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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55401

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Mr J G Keppler
Office of Inspection & Enforcement
U S Nuclear Regulatory Commission
799 Roosevelt Road
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Dear Mr Keppler:

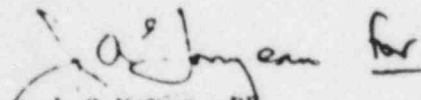
PRAIRIE ISLAND NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-282 License No. DPR-42

Nonconservative Bistable Setpoint

The Licensee Event Report for this occurrence is reproduced on the attached page. Enclosed are three copies.

This event is reported in compliance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.2.(a) in that the steam exclusion temperature bistable setting was found to be less conservative than those established by the technical specifications but did not prevent fulfillment of the functional requirements of the affected systems.

Yours very truly,


L. O. Moyer, PE
Manager of Nuclear Support Services

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