

UNITED STATES ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 50-263

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT
FOR THE MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT, UNIT 1

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Atomic Energy Commission's regulations in Appendix D to 10 CFR Part 50, notice is hereby given that the "Final Environmental Statement Related to the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant, Unit 1, Docket No. 50-263," prepared by the Directorate of Licensing, U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, is being made available in the following locations where it will be available for inspection by members of the public: the Commission's Public Document Room at 17 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 20545, and at the Environmental Resources Center, Minneapolis Public Library, 1222 S. E. 4th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55414. The report is also being made available at the Minnesota State Planning Agency, Suite 802, 550 Cedar Street, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101.

The notice of availability of Applicant's Environmental Report and AEC's Draft Environmental Statement for the Monticello

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Nuclear Generating Plant and requests for comments from interested persons was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on June 2, 1972 (37 F.R. 11080). The comments received from Federal, State and local officials and interested members of the public have been included as appendices to the Final Environmental Statement.

Single copies of the Final Environmental Statement may be obtained by writing the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D. C. 20545, Attention: Deputy Director for Reactor Projects, Directorate of Licensing.

Dated at Bethesda, Maryland, this 20th day of November 1972.

FOR THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Daniel R. Muller".

Daniel R. Muller, Assistant Director
for Environmental Projects
Directorate of Licensing