

PDR

SEP 9 1976

Distribution:  
 Central Files  
 T&E R/F  
 SG R/F  
 SG S/F  
 NMSS R/F

R. G. Page  
 T. C. Thayer  
 EDO - 828  
 K. R. Chapman  
 G. Sparks  
 secy (3) 76-2297

Mr. Jack Ferman  
 Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
 1935 West County Road B2  
 Roseville, Minnesota 55113

Dear Mr. Ferman:

This is in response to your letter to the Commission dated August 19, 1976 in which you asked several questions concerning the submission of NRC/ERDA Forms 742 and 741 pursuant to 10 CFR 70.53 and 70.54. Your queries involved three facilities of the Northern States Power Company; specifically, Prairie Island 1 (Docket 50-282), Prairie Island 2 (Docket 50-306) and the Monticello plant (Docket 50-253).

These facilities are subject to all reporting requirements set forth in 10 CFR Parts 70.53 and 70.54. All three facilities have continuously filed their NRC/ERDA Form 742's on time and in accordance with regulations, the latest covering the period January 1976 through June 1976.

The NRC/ERDA Form 741 is used to record transfers of Nuclear Material and in the case of power reactors is submitted in conjunction with receiving fresh fuel or shipping out scrap, byproducts or depleted fuel. Only one of the three facilities has had 741 activity during calendar year 1976.

The 742 and 741 data are stored at the Union Carbide computer site at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, in both digital and hard copy form.

The information reported on NRC/ERDA Forms 741 and 742 is considered proprietary by the licensees and for that reason is not distributed to Public Document Rooms and cannot be distributed to other firms or agencies without express consent from the originator. We recommend that you contact the Northern States Power Company directly for copies of the requested data.

If we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by *[Signature]*

Kenneth R. Chapman

Kenneth R. Chapman, Director  
 Office of Nuclear Material

OFFICE	T&E/SG	T&E/SG	O&E/SG Safety and Safeguards	ELD	SG
SURNAME	GSparks	von Ehrenfried	TC Thayer	RGR	KRChapman
DATE	9/9/76	9/3/76	9/3/76	9/3/76	9/9/76