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Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant
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MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-263 License No. DPR-22

Submittal of Monticello Monthly Operating Report for February 2000

In accordance with Monticello Technical Specification 6.7.A.3, the report of operating statistics for the Monticello Nuclear Generating Plant for the month of February is provided.

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AVERAGE DAILY UNIT POWER LEVEL

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MONTH OF February

DAY	AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL (MWe-Net)	DAY	AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL (MWe-Net)
1	_____ -3. _____	17	_____ -6. _____
2	_____ -2. _____	18	_____ -6. _____
3	_____ -2. _____	19	_____ -5. _____
4	_____ -3. _____	20	_____ -6. _____
5	_____ -3. _____	21	_____ -6. _____
6	_____ -3. _____	22	_____ -6. _____
7	_____ -3. _____	23	_____ -7. _____
8	_____ -4. _____	24	_____ -6. _____
9	_____ -3. _____	25	_____ -6. _____
10	_____ -2. _____	26	_____ -6. _____
11	_____ -2. _____	27	_____ -6. _____
12	_____ -2. _____	28	_____ -8. _____
13	_____ -4. _____	29	_____ 21. _____
14	_____ -4. _____		
15	_____ -4. _____		
16	_____ -4. _____		

INSTRUCTIONS

On this format, list the average daily unit power level in MWe-Net for each day in the reporting month. Compute to the nearest whole megawatt.

NARRATIVE SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE

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MONTH _____ FEB _____

02-01-00
to Shutdown for 2000 refueling outage.
02-27-00

02-27-00
to Plant startup in progress.
02-29-00

Note: Power operation defined as essentially 100% of rated power except for weekend load drops for specified surveillance testing.