

The membership of the MCSWG was jointly appointed by the Secretaries of DOL and DHHS, and includes representatives of: (1) DOL; (2) DHHS; (3) State Child Support Enforcement Directors; (4) State Medicaid Directors; (5) employers, including owners of small businesses and their trade and industry representatives and certified human resource and payroll professionals; (6) plan administrators and plan sponsors of group health plans (as defined in section 607(1) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (29 U.S.C. 1167(1)); (7) children potentially eligible for medical support, such as child advocacy organizations; (8) State medical child support organizations; and (9) organizations representing State child support programs.

Agenda

The agenda for this meeting includes review and approval of the MCSWG's report to the Secretaries containing recommendations for appropriate measures to address the impediments to the effective enforcement of medical child support as listed above. At the May, 1999, meeting the MCSWG formed four (4) subcommittees to discuss barriers, issues, options, and recommendations in the interim between full MCSWG meetings. At the next three meetings (August, 1999, October, 1999, and November, 1999), the subcommittees presented their draft recommendations to the full MCSWG for further discussion and consideration. At the January, 2000, meeting the MCSWG discussed the recommendations to be contained in the report to the Secretaries. At the March, 2000, meeting the MCSWG reviewed for approval the draft report. At this meeting, the MCSWG will review and approve the final report.

Public Participation

Members of the public wishing to present oral statements to the MCSWG should forward their requests to Samara Weinstein, MCSWG Executive Director, as soon as possible and at least four days before the meeting. Such request should be made by telephone, fax machine, or mail, as shown above. Time permitting, the Chairs of the MCSWG will attempt to accommodate all such requests by reserving time for presentations. The order of persons making such presentations will be assigned in the order in which the requests are received. Members of the public are encouraged to limit oral statements to five minutes, but extended written statements may be submitted for the record. Members of the public also

may submit written statements for distribution to the MCSWG membership and inclusion in the public record without presenting oral statements. Such written statements should be sent to the MCSWG Executive Director, as shown above, by mail or fax at least five business days before the meeting.

Minutes of all public meetings and other documents made available to the MCSWG will be available for public inspection and copying at both the DOL and DHHS. At DOL, these documents will be available at the Public Documents Room, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-5638, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Questions regarding the availability of documents from DOL should be directed to Ms. Ellen Goodwin, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Department of Labor (telephone (202) 219-7222, ext. 2722). This is not a toll-free number. Any written comments on the minutes should be directed to Ms. Samara Weinstein, Executive Director of the Working Group, as shown above.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 16th day of May, 2000.

Leslie Kramerich,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Pension and Welfare Benefits.

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FEDERAL MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

May 15, 2000.

TIME AND DATE: 10 a.m., Monday, May 15, 2000.

PLACE: Room 6005, 6th Floor, 1730 K Street NW, Washington, DC.

STATUS: Closed pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 552b(c)(10)).

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: It was determined by unanimous vote of a quorum of the Commission that the Commission consider and act upon the following in closed session:

1. *Eagle Energy, Inc. v. Secretary of Labor (MSHA) and FMSHRC*, 4th Cir. No. 00-1073, FMSHRC Docket No. WEVA 98-39.

No earlier announcement of the meeting was possible.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFO: Jean Ellen: (202) 653-5629, (202) 708-9300

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Jean H. Ellen,

Chief Docket Clerk.

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NORTHEAST DAIRY COMPACT COMMISSION

Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Northeast Dairy Compact Commission.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Compact Commission will hold its regular monthly meeting to consider matters relating to administration and enforcement of the price regulation, including the reports and recommendations of the Commission's standing Committees.

DATES: The meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 7, 2000.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at The Centennial Inn, Armenia White Room, 96 Pleasant Street, Concord, New Hampshire (I-93 Exit 14).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kenneth M. Becker, Executive Director, Northeast Dairy Compact Commission, 34 Barre Street, Suite 2, Montpelier, VT 05602. Telephone (802) 229-1941.

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 7256.

Dated: May 15, 2000.

Kenneth M. Becker,

Executive Director.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. 50-331 License No. DPR-49]

IES Utilities Inc., et al., (Duane Arnold Energy Center); Order Approving Transfer of Operating Authority and Conforming Amendment

I.

IES Utilities Inc. (the licensee), Central Iowa Power Cooperative (CIPCO), and the Corn Belt Power Cooperative (Corn Belt) are the holders of Facility Operating License No. DPR-49, which authorizes operation of the Duane Arnold Energy Center (DAEC or the facility). The facility is located near the town of Palo in Linn County, Iowa. The license authorizes IES Utilities Inc., to possess, use, and operate DAEC and authorizes CIPCO and Corn Belt to possess the facility.

II.

By application dated November 24, 1999, the Commission was informed that IES Utilities Inc., entered into operating service agreements with Nuclear Management Company, LLC (NMC). The application was supplemented by submittals dated February 4 and March 17, 2000. The initial application and the supplements are hereinafter referred to as "the application" unless otherwise indicated. Under the proposed transaction, NMC will be designated as the exclusive licensee authorized to use and operate DAEC in accordance with the terms and conditions of the license. The transaction involves no change in plant ownership. The licensee requested approval of the proposed transfer of operating authority under the DAEC facility operating license to NMC. The application also requested a conforming amendment to reflect the transfer. The proposed amendment would add NMC to the license as the licensee authorized to use and operate DAEC, and delete references to IES Utilities Inc. as the operator.

According to the application for approval filed by IES Utilities Inc., NMC would become the licensee authorized to use and operate DAEC following approval of the proposed license transfer. NMC will assume exclusive responsibility for the operation and maintenance of DAEC. Ownership of DAEC will not be affected by the proposed transfer of operating authority. The plant owners will retain their current ownership interests. NMC will not own any portion of DAEC. Likewise, the plant owners' entitlement to capacity and energy from DAEC will not be affected by the transfer of operating authority. No physical changes to the DAEC facility were proposed in the application.

Approval of the transfer of operating authority under the facility operating license and conforming license amendment was requested by IES Utilities Inc., pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80 and 50.90. Notice of the application for approval and an opportunity for a hearing was published in the **Federal Register** on February 4, 2000 (65 FR 5703). No hearing requests or written comments were received.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80, no license, or any right thereunder, shall be transferred, directly or indirectly, through transfer of control of the license, unless the Commission shall give its consent in writing. Upon review of the information in the application by IES Utilities Inc., and other information before the Commission, and relying

upon the representations and agreements contained in the application, the NRC staff has determined that NMC is qualified to hold the operating authority under the license, and that the transfer of the operating authority under the license to NMC is otherwise consistent with applicable provisions of law, regulations, and orders issued by the Commission, subject to the conditions set forth below. The NRC staff has further found that the application for the proposed license amendment complies with the standards and requirements of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and the Commission's rules and regulations set forth in 10 CFR Chapter 1; the facility will operate in conformity with the application, the provisions of the Act, and the rules and regulations of the Commission; there is reasonable assurance that the activities authorized by the proposed license amendment can be conducted without endangering the health and safety of the public and that such activities will be conducted in compliance with the Commission's regulations; the issuance of the proposed license amendment will not be inimical to the common defense and security or the health and safety of the public; and the issuance of the proposed amendment will be in accordance with 10 CFR Part 51 of the Commission's regulations and all applicable requirements have been satisfied. The foregoing findings are supported by a Safety Evaluation dated May 15, 2000.

III.

Accordingly, pursuant to Sections 161b, 161i, and 184 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, 42 U.S.C 2201(b), 2201(i), and 2234, and 10 CFR 50.80, *It is hereby ordered* that the transfer of operating authority under the license as described herein to NMC is approved, subject to the following conditions:

(1) After receipt of all required regulatory approvals of the transfer of operating authority to NMC, IES Utilities Inc., and NMC shall inform the Director of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, in writing of such receipt within 5 business days and of the date of the closing of the transfer no later than 7 business days before the date of closing. If the transfer is not completed by April 1, 2001, this Order shall become null and void, provided, however, upon written application and for good cause shown, such date may in writing be extended.

(2) NMC shall, prior to completion of the transfer of operating authority for DAEC, provide the Director of the Office

of Nuclear Reactor Regulation satisfactory documentary evidence that NMC has obtained the appropriate amount of insurance required of licensees under 10 CFR Part 140 of the Commission's regulations.

It is further ordered that consistent with 10 CFR 2.1315(b), a license amendment that makes changes, as indicated in Enclosure 2 to the cover letter forwarding this Order, to conform the license to reflect the subject transfer of operating authority is approved. The amendment shall be issued and made effective when the proposed transfer is completed.

This Order is effective upon issuance.

For further details with respect to this action, see the initial application dated November 24, 1999, and supplements dated February 4 and March 17, 2000, and the safety evaluation dated May 15, 2000, which are available for public inspection at the Commission's Public Document Room, the Gelman Building, 2120 L Street, NW., Washington, DC, and accessible electronically through the ADAMS Public Electronic Reading Room link at the NRC Web site (<http://www.nrc.gov>).

Dated at Rockville, Maryland this 15th day of May 2000.

Brian W. Sheron,

Acting Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. 50-282, 50-306, 72-10; License No. DPR-42, License No. DPR-60, License No. SNM-2506]

Northern States Power Company (Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant, Units 1 and 2, and Prairie Island Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation); Order Approving Transfers of Operating Authority and Conforming Amendments

I.

Northern States Power Company (NSP or the licensee) is the holder of Facility Operating Licenses Nos. DPR-42 and DPR-60, which authorize operation of Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant, Units 1 and 2 (Prairie Island or the facility), and Materials License No. SNM-2506, which authorizes operation of the Prairie Island Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (Prairie Island ISFSI). The facility and the Prairie Island ISFSI are located at the licensee's site in Goodhue County, Minnesota. The operating licenses authorize NSP to