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An Inventory of Its Hearing Records Concerning Northern States Power Company's Prairie Island Plant

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

- Agency:** Minnesota Environmental Quality Board.
- Series Title:** Hearing records concerning Northern States Power Company's Prairie Island plant,
- Dates:** 1980.
- Abstract:** Concerning Northern States Power Company's application to increase the storage capacity for spent fuel at its Prairie Island nuclear generating plant.
- Quantity:** 1.5 cu. ft. (2 boxes)
- Location:** See Detailed Description section for box locations.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE RECORDS

Records of and relating to hearings held before the Environmental Quality Board in regard to Northern States Power Company's application to increase the storage capacity for spent fuel at its Prairie Island nuclear generating plant. They include correspondence, testimony (both pre-filed and transcripts), memoranda, briefs, proposed conclusions and recommendations, and exhibits. The exhibits consist of photocopies of materials submitted to or issued by the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, largely concerning environmental impact statements and licensing matters for both NSP and other nuclear power generating companies.

RELATED MATERIALS

For other files on review of NSP power facilities construction, see Minnesota: Health Dept: Environmental Health Division. Environmental quality review files.

INDEX TERMS

This collection is indexed under the following headings in the catalog of the Minnesota Historical Society. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Topics:

Northern States Power Company (Minnesota).
Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant (Red Wing, Minn.).
Nuclear power plants--Environmental aspects--Minnesota.
Environmental impact analysis--Minnesota.
Protecting.
Monitoring.
Regulating.
Hearing.
Licensing.

Organizations:

United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Types of Documents:

Transcripts.
Environmental impact statements--Minnesota.

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

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Location	Box
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Correspondence and Testimony:

Folder 1:

April 13, 1980. Jocelyn F. Olson (Attorney General's Office) to Howard Kaibel (hearing examiner), enclosing pre-filed testimony of Tim K. Scherkenbach.

April 14, 1980. Notice of appearance at hearing by Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.

April 15, 1980. Pre-filed testimony of Prairie Island Project, Inc.

April 15, 1980. Pre-filed testimony of Dale M. Vincent.

April 17, 1980. MPCA motion to strike portions of pre-filed testimony of Dale M. Vincent.

[ca. April 20, 1980]. NSP's response to motions to strike testimony.

April 24, 1980. Response testimony of Tim K. Scherkenbach.

April 24, 1980. Rebuttal testimony of Charles W. Huver.

Folder 2.

April 25, 1980. Rebuttal testimony of Dale M. Vincent.

May 1, 1980. Transcript of EQB hearing, Red Wing.

Folder 3.

May 2, 1980. Transcript of EQB hearing, Red Wing.

Folder 4.

May 5, 1980. Transcript of EQB hearing, St. Paul.

May 5, 1980. Prairie Island Project, Inc. exhibit 1.

May 6, 1980. Transcript of EQB hearing, St. Paul.

Folder 5.

May 23, 1980. Popham, Haik, Schnobrich, Kaufman & Doty, Ltd request for extension of time.

May 28, 1980. Confirming time extension.

June 2, 1980. MPCA post-hearing brief.

June 2, 1980. NSP memorandum regarding legal issues for EIS need.

Location	Box	
101.D.16.7B	1	Folder 7. [no Folder 6 on original list] June 2, 1980. Prairie Island Project. Brief in support of EIS. June 3, 1980. Jocelyn Olson to Howard Kaibel. June 10, 1980. MPCA response memorandum. June 11, 1980. Prairie Island Project. Reply brief. June 11, 1980. NSP reply memorandum. Folder 8. June 26, 1980. Jocelyn Olson to Howard Kaibel. June 26, 1980. NSP proposed findings, conclusions, and recommendations. June 27, 1980. Prairie Island Project. Proposed findings, conclusions, and recommendations. August 4, 1980. MPCA proposed findings, conclusions, and recommendations. NSP certificate of need application to increase storage capacity of spent fuel pool, Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant, September 1979. 1 folder. Exhibits filed by NSP in support of its application. These exhibits are numbered (in most cases) and consist mainly of photocopies of federal documents. They are not in folders and have not been inventoried.
Location	Box	
101.D.16.8F	2	Exhibits, continued.