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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Attn: Document Control Desk
Washington, DC 20555

Re: St. Lucie Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-335 and 50-389
Monthly Operating Report

Pursuant to Technical Specification 6.9.1.6, and the guidance of Generic Letter 97-02, attached are the March 2001 Operating Data Report, Summary of Operating Experience Report, and Unit Shutdowns and Power Reductions for St. Lucie Units 1 and 2.

Please contact us should there be any questions regarding this information.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rajiv S. Kundalkar', is written over the typed name.

Rajiv S. Kundalkar
Vice President
St. Lucie Plant

RSK/spt

Attachments

cc: Regional Administrator, USNRC, Region II
Senior Resident Inspector, USNRC, St. Lucie Plant

DOCKET NO: 50-335
UNIT NAME: St. Lucie Unit 1
DATE: April 4, 2001
COMPLETED BY: J. A. Rogers
TELEPHONE: (561) 467-7296

REPORTING PERIOD: March 2001

1. Design Electrical Rating (Mwe-Net)_____	830		
2. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Mwe-Net)___	839		
	MONTH	-YTD-	CUMULATIVE
3. Number of Hours Reactor Critical_____	744	2160	170762
4. Number of Hours Generator On Line_____	744	2160	169030.5
5. Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours_____	0.0	0.0	0.0
6. Net Electrical Energy (MWH)_____	638219	1857743	137824710

SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE

DOCKET NO.: 50-335
UNIT: St. Lucie #1
DATE: April 4, 2001
COMPLETED BY: J.A. Rogers
TELEPHONE: (561) 467-7296

REPORT MONTH March 2001

Unit 1 operated at essentially full power for most of the month of March, downpowering for main steam safety valve testing on March 31.

In accordance with the requirements of Technical Specification 6.9.1.6, there were no challenges to the power operated relief valves or the safety valves during the report period.

UNIT SHUTDOWNS AND POWER REDUCTIONS

DOCKET NO.: 50-335
 UNIT: St. Lucie #1
 DATE: April 4, 2001
 COMPLETED BY: J.A.Rogers
 TELEPHONE: (561) 467-7296

REPORT MONTH March 2001

NUMBER	DATE	TYPE1	DURATION (HOURS)	Reason2	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN REACTOR3	CAUSE & CORRECTIVE ACTION TO PREVENT RECURRENCE
1	3/31/01	S	0.0	B	5	Unit 1 downpowered for planned testing of the main steam safety valves.

1
 F Forced
 S Scheduled

2
 Reason
 A - Equipment Failure (Explain)
 B - Maintenance or Test
 C - Refueling
 D - Regulatory Restriction
 E - Operator Training & License Examination
 F - Administrative
 G - Operational Error (Explain)
 H - Other (Explain)

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 Method
 1 - Manual
 2 - Manual Scram
 3 - Automatic Scram
 4 - Continued
 5 - Load Reduction
 9 - Other (Explain)

DOCKET NO: 50-389
UNIT NAME: St. Lucie Unit 2
DATE: April 4, 2001
COMPLETED BY: J. A. Rogers
TELEPHONE: (561) 467-7296

REPORTING PERIOD: March 2001

1. Design Electrical Rating (Mwe-Net)_____	830		
2. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Mwe-Net)____	839		
	MONTH	-YTD-	CUMULATIVE
3. Number of Hours Reactor Critical_____	672.3	2088.3	134055.2
4. Number of Hours Generator On Line_____	660.9	2076.9	132353.9
5. Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours_____	0.0	0.0	0.0
6. Net Electrical Energy (MWH)_____	553531	1765454	108788608

SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE

DOCKET NO.: 50-389
UNIT: St. Lucie #2
DATE: April 4, 2001
COMPLETED BY: J.A. Rogers
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REPORT MONTH March 2001

Unit 2 operated at essentially full power through March 13. On March 14, the unit tripped offline due to control rod drive power supply problems. On March 18, the unit returned to service and reached full power by end of day.

In accordance with the requirements of Technical Specification 6.9.1.6, there were no challenges to the power operated relief valves or the safety valves during the report period.

UNIT SHUTDOWNS AND POWER REDUCTIONS

DOCKET NO.: 50-389
 UNIT: St. Lucie #2
 DATE: April 4, 2001
 COMPLETED BY: J.A.Rogers
 TELEPHONE: (561) 467-7296

REPORT MONTH March 2001

Number	Date	Type ¹	Duration (Hours)	Reason ²	Method of Shutting Down Reactor ³	Cause & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence
1	3/14/01	F	83.1	A	3	Unit 2 tripped offline due to problems with control rod drive power supplies. LER 50-389/2001-001
2	3/18/01	F	0.0	A	4	Unit 2 at reduced power due to problems with control rod drive power supplies.

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 S Scheduled

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 E - Operator Training & License Examination
 F - Administrative
 G - Operational Error (Explain)
 H - Other (Explain)

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