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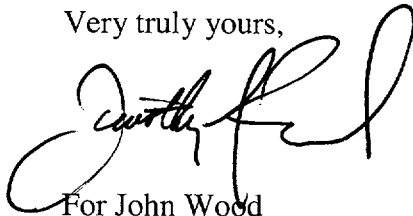
Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with the requirements of 10CFR26.71(d), "Recordkeeping Requirements," the Semiannual Fitness-For-Duty Report is being submitted for the Perry Nuclear Power Plant. This report covers the time period of January 1, 2001 to June 30, 2001.

Attachment 1 provides the Fitness-For-Duty Program performance data regarding testing results. Attachment 2 provides additional information regarding reported events and management actions taken in response to positive results. The provisions of the Fitness-For-Duty Program apply to persons granted unescorted access to the protected area of the plant, as well as to licensee, vendor, and contractor personnel required to physically report to the Technical Support Center or the Emergency Operations Facility in accordance with the Emergency Plan and associated implementing procedures.

If you have questions or required additional information, please contact Mr. Gregory A. Dunn, Manager – Regulatory Affairs at (440) 280-5305.

Very truly yours,



For John Wood

Attachments

cc: NRC Project Manager
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Fitness for Duty Program Performance Data Personnel Subject to 10CFR26

PNPP No. 8808 Rev. 6/92

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<u>FirstEnergy Corporation (FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company)</u> <i>Company</i>	<u>June 30, 2001</u> <i>6 Months Ending</i>
<u>Perry Nuclear Power Plant - 10 Center Road - Perry, Ohio 44081</u> <i>Location</i>	
<u>Joseph F. Slike, Access Authorization Supervisor</u> <i>Contact Name</i>	<u>(440) 280-5850</u> <i>Phone (include area code)</i>
Cutoffs: Screen/Confirmation (ng/ml) <input type="checkbox"/> Appendix A to 10CFR26	
Marijuana 50/15	Amphetamines 1,000/500
Cocaine 300/150	Phencyclidine 25/25
Opiates 300/300	Alcohol (%BAC) .04%

Testing Results		Licensee Employees		Long-Term Contractor Personnel		Short-Term Contractor Personnel	
		# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive
Average Number with Unescorted Access		913		N/A		378	
Categories		# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive	# Tested	# Positive
Pre-Access		29	0			1,168	17
For Cause	Post accident	1	0			2	0
	Observed behavior	1	1			10	5
Random		256	0			89	2
Follow-up		25	0			18	0
Other-		0	0			0	0
Total		312	1			1,287	24

Breakdown of Confirmed Positive Tests for Specific Substances

	Marijuana	Cocaine	Opiates	Amphe- tamines	Phency- clidine	Alcohol	Refusal to Test	1	2	3	4	5	
Licensee Employees	0	0	0	0	0	1	0						
Long-Term Contractors													
Short-Term Contractors	9 / 10	5	2	1	0	5	2						A
Total	10	5	2	1	0	6	2						26

Management Actions Taken

Drug and alcohol testing results for the reporting period are described in Attachment 1.

The licensee employee testing positive for alcohol during for cause testing was denied access to the Protected Area. Pursuant to Nuclear Operating Procedure (NOP-LP-1002) "Fitness for Duty" requirements, the individual and/or their company representative were informed of the right to appeal, and of the procedural requirements in order to re-instate unescorted access to the Protected Area. To date, the licensee employee has completed the necessary requirements and their unescorted access has been restored.

All contractor employees testing positive for illegal drugs/alcohol were denied access to the Protected Area. Pursuant to Nuclear Operating Procedure (NOP-LP-1002) "Fitness for Duty" requirements, individuals and/or their company representative were informed of the right to appeal, and of the procedural requirements in order to re-establish unescorted access to the Protected Area. To date, one contractor has initiated steps to restore unescorted access.

Nineteen (19) individuals were subjected to unannounced follow-up testing during this reporting period, as a result of a Fitness for Duty Program concern.

Initiatives Taken

Focus this reporting period was on providing Fitness for Duty Supervisory training to applicable incoming contractor personnel for the Perry refueling outage and developing a common Fitness for Duty Program for FENOC's three (3) nuclear sites. Participating in industry meetings regarding the proposed Fitness for Duty regulation has also been a priority during this period.

Reported Events

None