

NCR described below was reviewed and accepted by the PNSC Chairman in accordance with PNSC Procedure, AI-301, Rev. 3, Section 4.2.2., waiving a formal PNSC Membership review:

NCR 66305 – Site Security rescued a live sea turtle from the CR 3 Intake Structure on July 28, 2002. The turtle was transferred to a holding pen at the Mariculture Center, where staff biologists identified it as an endangered species. The 4-hour notification to the NRC was made.

No safety significant issues were identified.



J. A. Franke
PNSC Chairman

Date Minutes Signed: 8/13/02

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xc: Dale Young
NSRC Secretary
PNSC Members, Alternates, and Presenters

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Action Request Number: 66305
Facility: CR3
Unit: E&C

Event Time: 12:48
Event Date: 7/18/02
Investigator: Peter Ezzell

1. Event Description Site Security rescued a live sea turtle from the CR3 intake structure.

2. Investigation Results (Consider the following)

What happened and How the event/condition occurred;

A sequence of events At approximately 12:48 Site Security rescued a live turtle from the CR3 intake structure. The turtle was transferred to a holding pen at the mariculture center. Staff biologists evaluated the turtle at 13:06 and determined that it was an endangered species. CR3 control room was notified of this determination at 13:11.

Specific activities being performed; The rescue occurred during routine observation of the intake area.

Group involved / Experience level of personnel; Personnel performing the recovery are trained in turtle recovery.

Consequences of the event/condition; Recovery of live sea turtles, and dead sea turtles which die as a result of CR3 operations, require NRC notification.

Any related equipment performance problems; NA

The extent of condition of the problem. This turtle is the 73rd live take since January 1, 2001.

3. Inappropriate Acts / Equipment Malfunctions There were no inappropriate actions or equipment malfunctions. Personnel performed their duties in accordance with AI-571. This NCR was written to document the turtle take as it was expected to require a 4 hour notification to the NRC. This NCR was classified as priority 1 in accordance with CAP-NGGC-0200. Live turtle takes, or deaths due to CR3 operation, are reportable as 4 hour reports under 10 CFR 50.72 (B)(2) as this relates to protection of the environment for which notification to other government agencies has or will be made.

4. Contributing and Root Cause(s) (Number each cause and reference in Section 9 below) NA

5. Does this event involve a loss of a Maintenance Rule function? Yes No
(If Yes, contact System Engineer. Contact Maintenance Rule Engineer for assistance if needed.)

6. Previous Operating Experience (Internal and External) Prior to this event, 6 sea turtles were determined to have died from natural causes. One turtle, recovered from CR1&2 intake was classified as a causal mortality.

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7. **Generic Implications** Future sea turtle takes have been acknowledged by the NMFS and the NRC. A request to revise the NMFS's biological opinion has been submitted through the NRC and is being evaluated by the NMFS.

8. **Safety Significance** (How significant was the occurrence relative to actual and potential plant and personnel safety?) None

9. **Corrective Actions**

C/A #	Cause #	Planned/Completed Corrective Action	Assignment Type	Assignee or Group	Initial Due Date
1	NA	None			
2					
3					
4		Perform an effectiveness review of the completed corrective actions (if effectiveness review is waived, provide basis below).			

Basis for Waiver of Effectiveness Review: Corrective actions are not required

10. PNSC/CIRP Review required? Yes No

11. Do you recommend this event be disseminated as an Operating Experience (OE) Program entry? (Refer to CAP-NGGC-0202 Attachment 6 for guidance. If Yes, contact appropriate OE Program Coordinator)?

Yes No