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Energy Group**

Nine Mile Point
Nuclear Station

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

SUBJECT: Nine Mile Point Unit 1
Docket No. 50-220
License No. DPR-63

**Special Report, Channel #11 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System
Inoperable for Scheduled Preventive Maintenance**

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Action Statement 4.a of Nine Mile Point Unit 1 Technical Specification Table 3.6.11-2, "Accident Monitoring Instrumentation Action Statements," Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station, LLC (NMPNS) is submitting the following Special Report concerning the inoperability of the Channel #11 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System.

Description of Event

On December 8, 2003, at approximately 0404 hours, operators declared the Channel #11 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System inoperable for scheduled preventive maintenance involving valves in the sample stream. The work includes replacing isolation valve actuator rubber goods, replacing certain solenoid operated valves, and calibrating pressure control valves associated with the isolation valves.

The redundant Channel #12 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System was verified to be in service prior to removing Channel #11 from service.

Cause of Event

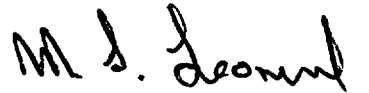
The Channel #11 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System was declared inoperable in order to perform scheduled preventive maintenance.

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Corrective Actions

The scheduled preventive maintenance was completed and the Channel #11 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System was returned to an operable status on December 19, 2003 at approximately 1159 hours.

Very truly yours,



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