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SUBJECT: SUBMITTAL TO INCIDENT REPORTING SYSTEM VIA

WEB-BASED SYSTEM

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) now submits relevant reactor-related generic communications to the international community through the internet via the Web-Based Incident Reporting System (WBIRS). The reports are coded using the Incident Reporting System Reporting Guidelines manual, and the full documents are submitted. The purpose of this memo is to inform you of a recent submittal of generic communications to the WBIRS. The following operating experience reports from United States reactors were submitted to the WBIRS between January and May 2007:

NRC Information Notice 2006-24: Recent Operating Experience Associated with Pressurizer and Main Steam Safety/Relief Valve Lift Setpoints

NRC Information Notice 2006-26: Failure of Magnesium Rotors in Motor-operated Valve Actuators

NRC Information Notice 2006-27: Circumferential Cracking in the Stainless Steel Pressurizer Heater Sleeves of Pressurized Water Reactors

NRC Information Notice 2006-28: Siren System Failures Due to Erroneous Siren System Signal

NRC Information Notice 2006-29: Potential Common Cause Failure of Motor-operated Valves as a Result of Stem Nut Wear

NRC Information Notice 2006-31: Inadequate Fault Interrupting Rating of Breakers

NRC Information Notice 2007-01: Recent Operating Experience Concerning Hydrostatic Barriers

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NRC Information Notice 2007-02: Failure of Control Rod Drive Mechanism Lead Screw Male Coupling at a Babcock and Wilcox-designed Facility

NRC Information Notice 2007-05: Vertical Deep Draft Pump Shaft and Coupling Failures

NRC Information Notice 2007-06: Potential Common Cause Vulnerabilities in Essential Services Water Systems

NRC Information Notice 2007-07: Potential Failure of All Control Rod Groups to Insert in a Boiling Water Reactor Due to a Fire

NRC Information Notice 2007-09: Equipment Operability Under Degraded Voltage Conditions

NRC Information Notice 2007-11: Recent Operator Performance Issues at Nuclear Power Plants

NRC Information Notice 2007-14: Loss of Offsite Power and Dual-unit Trip at Catawba Nuclear Generating Station

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