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Interim Notification per 10CFR21

On April 24th 2007, C&D Technologies became aware that Nuclear Management Company (NMC) had posted an interim report to the NRC (log number 2007-07-00) concerning Replacement Battery Post Seal Corrosion issues. The posting was made to the NRC on March 28, 2007.

Per NMC's interim report 'the safety significance of the as-found condition is being evaluated' The batteries in question are LCR-25 cells purchased and shipped to NMC on 1/13/2006. The reported concern on the cells is for post seal corrosion. Per NMC's interim report, 'The battery will be sent back to C&D for testing to determine the safety significance of the as-found condition. C&D has agreed to make any additional part 21 notification'

C&D will make an evaluation of the cells to determine the safety significance of the as-found condition and report this to NMC, the NRC and to any other affected utilities within 30 days of receiving the cells back from NMC for the evaluation.

Sincerely,

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