

REGULATORY INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM (RIDS)  
DISTRIBUTION FOR INCOMING MATERIAL 50-305

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SUBJECT: LTR 1 ENCL 1

LICENSEE EVENT REPT 50-305/77-37, 38, AND 39 ON 12/20, 12/21, AND 12/23/77  
RESPECTIVELY CONCERNING CONDENSATE TANK DRAWN BELOW 75,000 GAL, D/G WOULD NOT  
PICK UP MORE THAN 1500 KW, AND ICS PUMP 1B FAILED TO START DURING OPERATIONAL  
TEST.

PLANT NAME: KEWAUNEE

REVIEWER INITIAL: XBT  
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CONTROL NBR: 780270091

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WISCONSIN PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION



P.O. Box 1200, Green Bay, Wisconsin 54305

January 19, 1978



Mr. J. G. Keppler, Regional Director  
Office of Inspection & Enforcement  
Region III  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
799 Roosevelt Road  
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler:

Docket 50-305  
Operating License DPR-43  
Reportable Occurrences RO 77-37, 38 and 29

In accordance with the requirements of Technical Specifications, Section 6.9, the attached Licensee Event Reports for reportable occurrences RO 77-37, 38 and 39 are being submitted.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "E. W. James".

E. W. James  
Senior Vice President  
Power Supply & Engineering

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Attach.

cc - Dir, Office of Inspection & Enforcement  
US NRC, Washington, D. C. 20555  
Dir, Office of Mgt Info & Program Control  
US NRC, Washington, D. C. 20555

A002/s  
H/G

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# LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

CONTROL BLOCK: \_\_\_\_\_ (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION)

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LICENSEE CODE		LICENSE NUMBER			LICENSE TYPE		58	

01	L	05000305	07122077	08011978	09				
7	8	60	61	68	69	74	75	80	
CON'T		REPORT SOURCE		DOCKET NUMBER		EVENT DATE		REPORT DATE	

### EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (10)

02 | Following a reactor trip, the plant was being maintained in hot shutdown and the  
 03 | condensate storage tank (CST) was drawn below 75,000 gallons through normal water  
 04 | usage for plant conditions. This placed the facility under LCO TS 3.4.a.4. The  
 05 | service water supply was available and the demineralizers were operating and re-  
 06 | turned CST level above 75,000 gallons in about five hours; therefore, there was no  
 07 | effect on the plant or on public safety.

09	WF	X	Z	ACCU	Z	Z											
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SYSTEM CODE		CAUSE CODE		CAUSE SUBCODE		COMP. SUBCODE		VALVE SUBCODE									
17	77	037	03	L	0												
7	8	21	22	23	24	26	27	28	29	30	31	32					
LER/RO REPORT NUMBER		EVENT YEAR		SEQUENTIAL REPORT NO.		OCCURRENCE CODE		REPORT TYPE		REVISION NO.							
X	Z	Z	Z	0000	N	N	A	G055									
33	34	35	36	37	40	41	42	43	44	45	47						
ACTION TAKEN		FUTURE ACTION		EFFECT ON PLANT		SHUTDOWN METHOD		HOURS		ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED		NPRD-4 FORM SUB.		PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER		COMPONENT MANUFACTURER	

### CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

10 | This condition is possible whenever an unexpected reactor trip from sustained high  
 11 | power operation occurs. All systems operated normally and CST level was returned  
 12 | to normal as soon as possible. No further corrective actions are necessary.  
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15	G	000	Hot Shutdown	A	Operator Observation																																						
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FACILITY STATUS		% POWER		OTHER STATUS		METHOD OF DISCOVERY		DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION																																			
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ACTIVITY RELEASED		CONTENT OF RELEASE		AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY		LOCATION OF RELEASE																																					
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PERSONNEL EXPOSURES		TYPE		DESCRIPTION																																							
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PUBLCITY		DESCRIPTION																																									
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NAME OF PREPARER: G. H. Ruiter PHONE: (414) 433-1329



Attachment to LER 77-038/Q3L-0

Cause Description and Corrective Actions (Cont.)

maintenance manual will be made to provide for operational testing following adjustments to control components.

# LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

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LICENSEE CODE								LICENSE NUMBER								LICENSE TYPE					CAT		58	

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7	8	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80				
CON'T		REPORT SOURCE										DOCKET NUMBER					EVENT DATE					REPORT DATE				

### EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (10)

0 2 | During full power operation, ICS pump 1B failed to start during an operational test

0 3 | performed prior to starting TCR modifications. This placed the plant under LCO

0 4 | TS 3.3.b.2.B. The ICS pump started on the second attempt. Earlier ICS pump

0 5 | start failures have been reported by LER 77-27/03L-0 and 77-29/03L-0. The TCR

0 6 | modifications raised the ICS pump breaker instantaneous overcurrent trip settings

0 7 | in an effort to provide additional pump start reliability. The other ICS pump and

0 8 | all fan coil units were available; there was no effect on plant operation or public

7 8 9 safety.

0	9	S	B	X	Z	P	U	M	P	X	X	B	Z		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		
LER/RO REPORT NUMBER		SYSTEM CODE		CAUSE CODE		CAUSE SUBCODE		COMPONENT CODE				COMP. SUBCODE		VALVE SUBCODE	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
EVENT YEAR		SEQUENTIAL REPORT NO.		OCCURRENCE CODE		REPORT TYPE		REVISION NO.		ACTION TAKEN		FUTURE ACTION		EFFECT ON PLANT	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
SHUTDOWN METHOD		HOURS		ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED		NPRD-4 FORM SUB.		PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER		COMPONENT MANUFACTURER		ACTION TAKEN		FUTURE ACTION	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38
METHOD		HOURS		ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED		NPRD-4 FORM SUB.		PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER		COMPONENT MANUFACTURER		ACTION TAKEN		FUTURE ACTION	

### CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

1 0 | The cause of these pump start failures is still not definitely known, however,

1 1 | during the TCR work the 1A pump breaker static trip device was found to be operating

1 2 | erratically and was replaced. Our investigation will continue and definitive

1 3 | identification of the cause of failure will be reported upon discovery. The

1 4 | increased instantaneous overcurrent trip settings should provide more pump start

7 8 9 reliability.

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7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
FACILITY STATUS		% POWER		OTHER STATUS		METHOD OF DISCOVERY		DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION	

1	6	Z	Z	NA	NA
7	8	9	10	11	12
ACTIVITY		CONTENT		AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY	

1	7	0	0	0	Z	NA
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
PERSONNEL EXPOSURES		TYPE		DESCRIPTION		

1	8	0	0	0	NA
7	8	9	10	11	12
PERSONNEL INJURIES		DESCRIPTION			

1	9	Z	NA
7	8	9	10
LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO FACILITY		DESCRIPTION	

1	9	N	NA
7	8	9	10
PUBICITY		DESCRIPTION	

2	0	N	NA
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ISSUED		DESCRIPTION	