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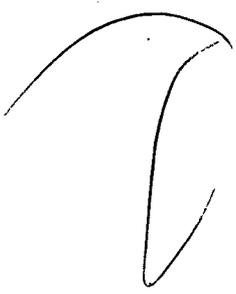
SUBJECT: LER 80-006/03L-0: on 800226, during refueling outage, seven of main steam line area temp switches found to trip above required level. Caused by setpoint drift. Switches recalibr.

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March 26, 1980

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Dear Mr Keppler:

MONTICELLO NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT  
Docket No. 50-263 License No. DPR-22

Main Steam Line Area Temperature Switch Setpoint Drift

The Licensee Event Report for this occurrence is reproduced on the back of this letter. Enclosed are three copies.

This event is reported in compliance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.2.a. Several main steam line area temperature switches were found to have drifted a small amount. Redundant switches were found to be within specified limits.

Yours very truly,

*David Musolf*

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Manager of Nuclear Support Services

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