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SPECIAL REPORT

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Nine Mile Point Unit 1 Technical Specification Table 3.6.11-1(6), Action Statement Table 3.6.11-2(4), we are submitting the following Special Report concerning the inoperability of the #12 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System.

EVENT DESCRIPTION

On January 27, 1992; at 1400 hours, the #12 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System was declared inoperable due to a low flow condition determined during the performance of Surveillance Test N1-ST-Q18, "H₂/O₂ Monitoring System Valves and Associated Reactor Building Closed Loop Cooling System Valve Operability Test."

CAUSE OF EVENT

The immediate cause of this event was a low flow condition. A root cause analysis (10E92017) has been initiated. The results of the root cause analysis will be provided as a supplement to this report.

ACTIONS TAKEN

The #12 Containment Hydrogen Monitoring System was declared inoperable by the Station Shift Supervisor (SSS).

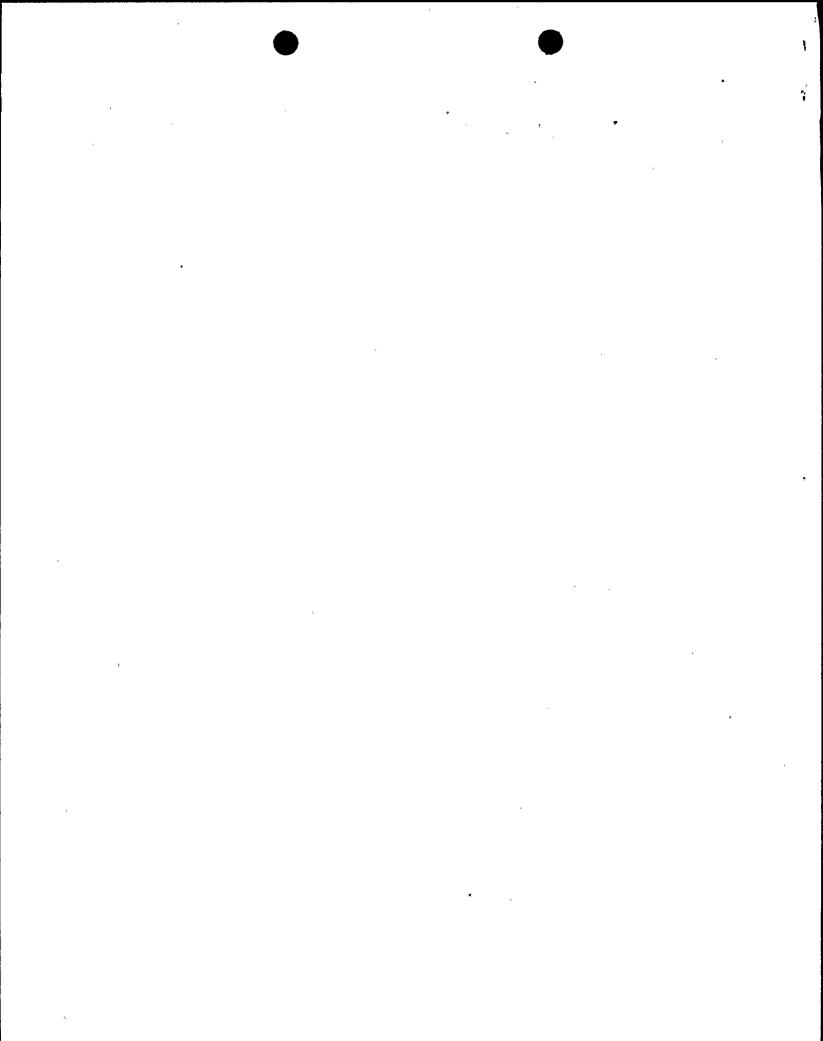
The following items were accomplished as part of the troubleshooting:

- Cleaned bypass line pressure control valve (PCV) 210.2-287 (WR-201230)
- Cleaned PCVs 201.2-286, 201.2-298 and flow indicator 201.2-189 (WR-197562)

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- Replaced trap 201.2-301 and filters 201.2-259 through 201.2-262 (WR-163734)
- Flushed sample cooler 201.2-272 (WR-201327)

As the above actions were not successful in restoring flow, troubleshooting will continue.

Long term corrective action to prevent recurrence will be the implementation of Modification 90-192, which is scheduled for the 1992 Refuel Outage.

Very truly yours,

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