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Gentlemen:

In accordance with Nine Mile Point Unit 1 (NMP1) Technical Specification Table 3.6.11-1, "Accident Monitoring Instrumentation," Action Statement 4.a., Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation is submitting the following Special Report concerning the inoperability of the Channel 12 Drywell Pressure Monitor.

Description of Event

On June 9, 1998, at approximately 1025 hours, with the reactor mode switch in the "RUN" position during normal operations, the Channel 12 Drywell Pressure Transmitter and Pressure Indicator were removed from service to perform troubleshooting and calibration of the associated Channel 12 Drywell Pressure Recorder.

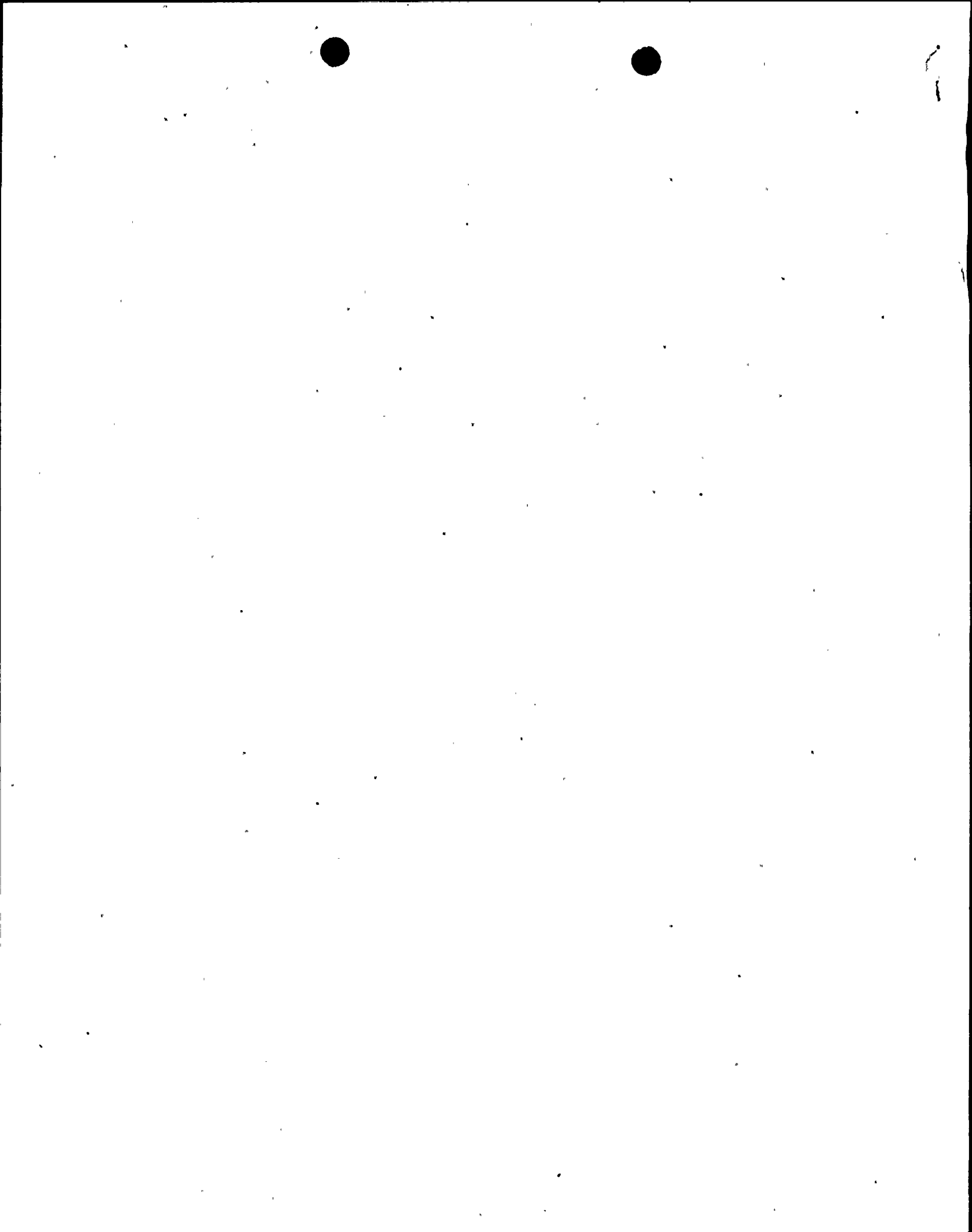
Cause of Event

The Technical Specification required pressure transmitter and indicator were removed from service to troubleshoot and calibrate the non-Technical Specification recorder. Operators had identified that the recorder indication had drifted outside its expected, nominal band.

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Troubleshooting demonstrated that the calibration was within specification and confirmed that the problem was isolated to the recorder. No specific cause for the recorder drift was identified. Since the recalibration performed on June 9, 1998, the drywell pressure recorder has not exhibited similar behavior. Review of chart traces since that time indicates the instrument has read within the expected, nominal range.

Corrective Actions

Following completion of the associated Work Order, and calibration of the Channel 12 Drywell Recorder, the Channel 12 Drywell Pressure Monitor was returned to service on June 9, 1998. Any additional corrective actions will be addressed in accordance with the Deviation/Event Report.

Very truly yours,



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