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Attached is Licensee Event Report 50-387/97-025-00. This event was determined to be reportable per 10CFR50.73(a)(2)(v) in that both trains of Standby Liquid Control System (SLCS) were determined to be inoperable at the same time due to low accumulator pressure which could prevent the SLCS from achieving its maximum design flow to the reactor vessel. With the accumulators partially depressurized, at maximum design accident pressures the discharge pressure relief valve could lift and divert some of the sodium pentaborate back to the suction of the SLCS pumps. At low or intermediate reactor pressures, full SLCS flow would occur. The inoperability of both trains of Standby Liquid Control System is considered to be a loss of a safety system needed to mitigate the consequences of an accident.

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