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Enclosed is Licensee Event Report 97-014, Docket 50-249, which is being submitted pursuant to 10 CFR 50.73(a)(2)(v)(D), which requires the reporting of any event or condition that alone could have prevented the safety function of a structure or system to mitigate the consequences of an accident.

Actions which have been completed as a result of this condition are as follows:

1. All four hotwell level control switches were functionally tested, flushed, and inspected. Adjustments were made as needed to ensure proper operation of the float and switch mechanism. (Complete)
2. The GSLO condenser drain pump was vented and functionally tested satisfactorily. (Complete)
3. A letter describing the circumstances and the decision making process and the importance of the HPCI Condenser hotwell level control subsystem, has been provided to all Dresden Station Licensed Operators. (Complete)
4. Dresden Annunciator procedure DAN 902 (3) -3 H-11, was revised to clarify operator actions and evaluate HPCI operability following receipt of a HPCI GSLO condenser hotwell low level alarm. (Complete)

Additionally, this correspondence contains the following commitments:

1. Revise Dresden Instrument Surveillance DIS 2300-15 to incorporate inspection results from this investigation to address the identified failure mechanisms. (249-180-97-01401)
2. Schedule performance of revised Dresden Instrument Surveillance DIS 2300-15 for both Units 2 and 3 during their respective work window. This will allow performance data to be collect for trending purposes. (249-180-97-01402, 03, 04)

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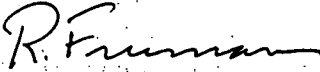
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3. Re-evaluate frequency for performance of Dresden Instrument Surveillance DIS 2300-15 based on the results of HPCI surveillances performed during calendar year 1998. (249-180-97-01405)
4. Evaluate alternative level switches and level switch elevations for the HPCI involving events from GSLO condenser hotwell level control and alarms. (249-180-97-01406)

If you have any questions, please contact Frank Spangenberg, Dresden Regulatory Assurance Manger at (815) 942-2920 extension, 3800.

Sincerely,



for
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Enclosure

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