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D P R 29 DRESDEN NUCLEAR POWDR STATION UNIT 3:

THIS WILL CONFIRM CONVERSATION AT 15:00 HRS THIS DATE WITH H DANCE REGARDING FAILURE OF THE ISOLATION CONDENSOR VALVE 3-130AD TO OPEN ELECTRICALLY FOLLOWING A REACTOR SCRAM. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE SCRAM WHICH OCCURRED AT 0901 HRS A GROUP 1 ISOLATION ONCURRED BECAUSE OF J HIGH WATER LEVEL CONDITION

AN ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO PLACE THE ISOLATION CONDENSOR IN SERVICE BUT VALVE 3-301-3 WOULD XNOT OPEN. AN OPERATOR HAD TO GO TO THE VALVE

AND MANUALLY CRACK TME VALVE OFF ITS SEAT. ONCE THE VALVE WAS OPENED ITS BREAKER RE-SET AND IT FUNCTIONED PROPERLY

WHILE THE OPDERATOR WAS WORKING ON PLACING THE ISOLATION CONDENSOR IN SERVICE REACTOR PRESSURE INCREASED TO APPROXIMATELY 1100 PFIG AT THIS PRESSURE 3A ELECTROMATIC VALVE OPENS AUTOMATICALLY. ZHEN THE ELECTROMATIC VALVE OPENED THE DRYWELL PRESSURE IMMEDIATELY INCREASED TO 2.5 PSIG. AFTER PDAKING AT 2.5 PSIG

THE DRYWELL PRESSURE RETURNED TO NORMAL

E A COMPGLETE DRYWELL INSPECTION WILL BE MADE WHEN ENTRYNIS POSSIBLE TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE OF THE PRESSURIZATION AND TO DETERMINE IF ANY EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN DAMAGED AS A RESULT OF TMHIS PRESSURIZATION IN ADDITION A COMPLETE CHCK-OUT WILL BE MUDE ON VALVE 3-1301-3 OF THD ISOLATION CONDENSOR TO DETERMINE WHXY T FAILED TO OPEN

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