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DPR-25 DRESDEN NUCLEAR POWER STATION UNIT 3  
THIS WILL CONFIRM CONVERSATION AT 16:00 HRS. THIS DATE WITH H.  
DANCE, VOF REGION 3 COMPLIANCE REGARDING A WIRING ERROR UNCOVERED  
IN THE LPCI LOGIC TO SPRAY THE CONTAINMENT UNDER ACCODENT CONDITIONS.

THE WIRING ERROR WAS DISCOVERED AT 15:00 HRS. ON 3/7/72 WHILE CONDUCTI  
NG  
A MONTHLY SURVEILLANCE TEST. THE ERROR WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN NOTED  
EXCEPT THAT AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEILLANCE A LPCI SYSTEM  
LOW-FLOW SWITCH WJS ALSO OUT OF CALIBRATION. THIS SET-UP A CONDITION

DIFFERENT THAT THAT NORMALLY FOUND DURING TH SURVEILLANCE TEST.  
THE WIRING ERROR WAS CORRECTED ON 3/8/72.

THIS INCIDENT WAS NOT REPORTED SOONER BECAUSE WHEN THE STATION  
INITIALLY REVIEWED THE PROOLEM IT WAS FELT TO BE A 30-DAY NOTIFICATION

BECAUSE THE LPCI SUB-SYSTEM WAS ALWAYS OPERABLE. TH EFFECT  
OF THIS WIRING ERROR WAS ONLY TO PROHIBIT PERMISSIVE TO  
SPRAY THE DRY WELL WITH GREATER THAN 2/3RDS CORE HEIGHTH. THIS  
FUNCTION IN SPITE OF TH WIRING ERROR COULD HAVE BEEN PERFORMED  
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~~BNRC~~SWITCH

W P WORDEN PLATYCPP HRS OF REGION 3 RPT ON NOT VOF LPCI 15:00 3/7/72  
LPCI 3/8/72 30 LPCI 2/3RDS

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