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COMPLIANCE REGION 3 = MORRIS TLL 13 =
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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, OF REGION 3 COMPLIANCE REGARDING A WIRING
ERROR UNCOVERED. = IN THE LPCI LOGIC TO SPRAY THE CONTAINMENT
UNDER ACCIDENT CONDITIONS. = THE WIRING ERROR WAS DISCOVERED
AT 15:00 HRS. ON 3/7/72 WHILE CONDUCTING. = A MONTHLY
SURVEILLANCE TEST. THE ERROR WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN NOTED. =
EXCEPT THAT AT THE TIME OF THE SURVEILLANCE A LPCI SYSTEM

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=LOW-FLOW SWITCH WAS ALSO OUT OF CALIBRATION. THIS SET-UP
A CONDITION. =DIFFERENT THAT THAT NORMALLY FOUND DURING
THE SURVEILLANCE TEST. =THE WIRING ERROR WAS CORRECTED
ON 3/8/72 = THIS INCIDENT WAS NOT REPORTED SOONER
BECAUSE WHEN THE STATION. =INITIALLY REVIEWED THE PROBLEM
IT WAS FELT TO BE A 30-DAY NOTIFICATION. =BECAUSE THE
LPCI SUB-SYSTEM WAS ALWAYS OPERABLE. THE EFFECT. =OF
THIS WIRING ERROR WAS ONLY TO PROHIBIT PERMISSIVE TO =
=SPRAY THE DRY WELL WITH GREATER THAN 2/3RDS CORE HEIGHT.
THIS. =FUNCTION IN SPITE OF THE WIRING ERROR COULD HAVE
BEEN PERFORMED =BY MEANS OF AN INSTALLED BY-PASS SWITCH. =
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