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SUBJECT DPR-25 DRESDEN NUCLEAR POWER STATION UNIT 3.

THIS WILL CONFIRM A CONVERSATION WITH MR HUGH DANCE OF YOUR OFFICE AT 1300 HOURS THIS DATE CONCERNING A LOSS OF SECONDARY CONTAINMENT INTEGRITY FOR A PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY 6 HOURS.

ON APRIL 19, 1973 AT APPROXIMATELY 1600 HOURS UNIT 3 MAIN STEAM ISOLATION VALVE (MSIV) 3-203-2B WAS OPENED FOR INSPECTION OF VALVE INTERNALS. SINCE THE UNIT 3 TURBINE STOPPED VALVES WERE ALSO DISASSEMBLED AT THE TIME, A FLOW PASS EXISTED FROM THE TURBINE BUILDING THROUGH STEAM LINES 3-3001B-24 INCH AND THE DISASSEMBLED 2B MSIV INTO THE UNIT 3 MAIN STEAM LINE TUNNEL WHICH IS A PART OF

SF-1201 (RS-69) APR 25 1973

THE SECONDARY CONTAINMENT. THIS CONDITION EXISTED UNTIL APPROXIMATELY

2200 HOURS ON APRIL 19, 1973 WHEN A BLIND FLANGE WAS INSTALLED ON 2B MSIV RESTORING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT INTEGRITY. MAINTENANCE PROCEDURE

CHANGE WILL BE ISSUED TO PREVENT THIS TYPE OF INCIDENT FROM REOCCURRING.

W P WORDEN

SUPERINTENDENT

DRESDEN NUCLEAR POWER STATION

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