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Carolina Power & Light Company

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SUBJECT:

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MEETING SUMMARY - SELF-ASSESSMENT PRIOR TO SYSTEMATIC ASSESSMENT

OF LICENSEE PERFORMANCE (SALP) - SHEARON HARRIS NUCLEAR POWER

PLANT - DOCKET NO. 50-400

Dear Mr. Robinson:

This refers to a meeting requested by Carolina Power & Light Company on December 11, 1997, in Atlanta, Georgia. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss your Harris self-assessment prior to the cycle 13 SALP. It is our opinion, that this meeting was beneficial.

Enclosed is a List of Attendees and Carolina Power & Light Handout.

In accordance with Section 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," Part 2. Title 10 Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact us.

Sincerely,

Original signed by M. B. Shymlock

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2. Carolina Power & Light Handout

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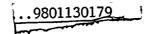
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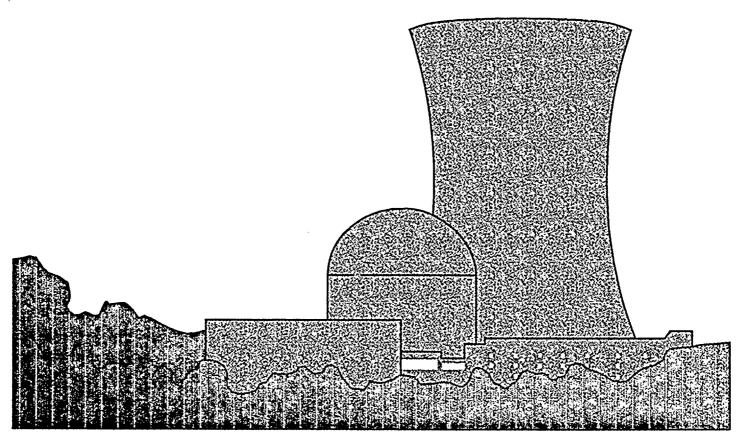
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HARRIS NUCLEAR PLANT



CP&L

NRC Management Meeting December 11, 1997

NRC Management Meeting December 11, 1997

Introduction

Regulatory Programs

Plant Performance

Operations

Maintenance

Engineering

Plant Support

Bill Robinson

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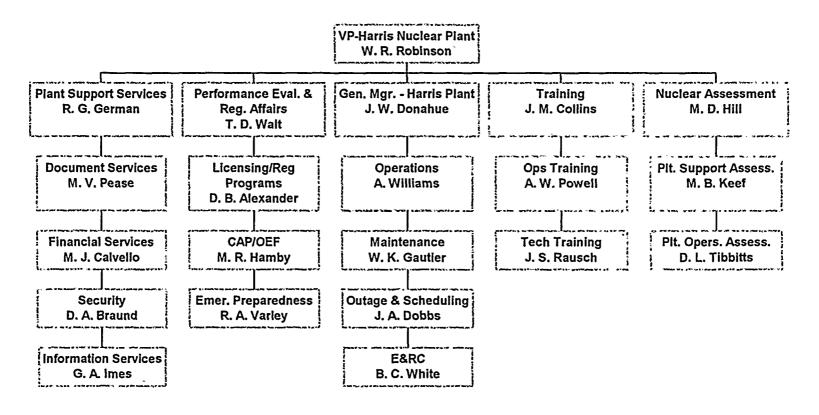
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Bill Robinson Introduction



Harris Nuclear Plant

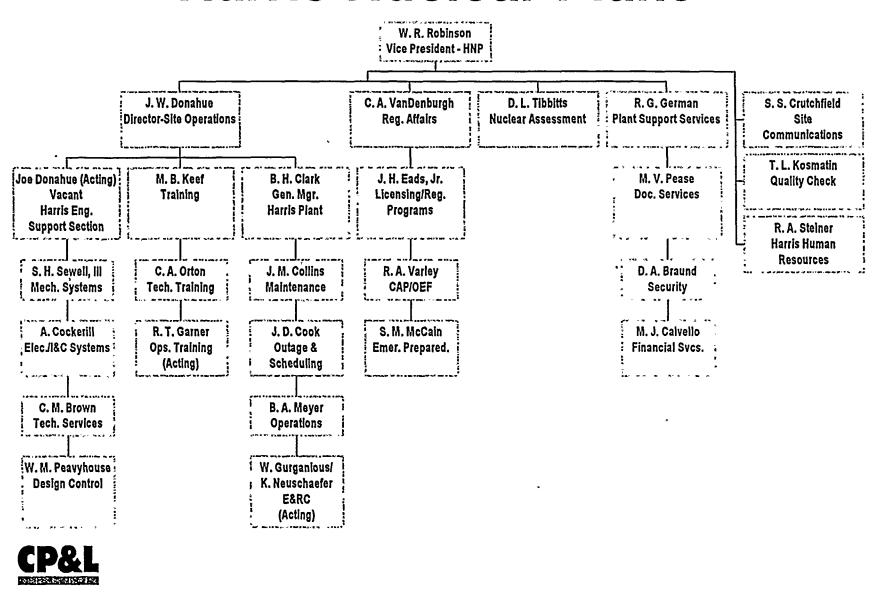
(Former Organizational Structure)







Harris Nuclear Plant



Organizations reporting to another department.

Chris VanDenburgh Regulatory Programs

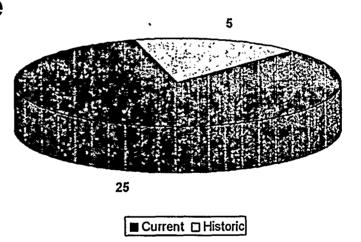




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30 Cited Violations

- ♦ 5 historical performance
- ♦ 25 current performance





30 Cited Violations

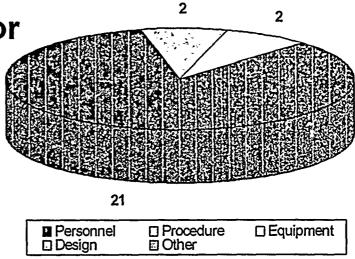
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Current Performance

4 21 due to personnel error

4 10 resulted from LERs



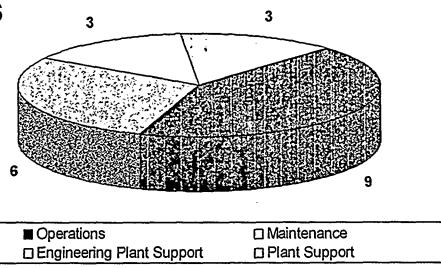


25 Current Performance Violations

Cited Violations

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Most personnel errors in Operations

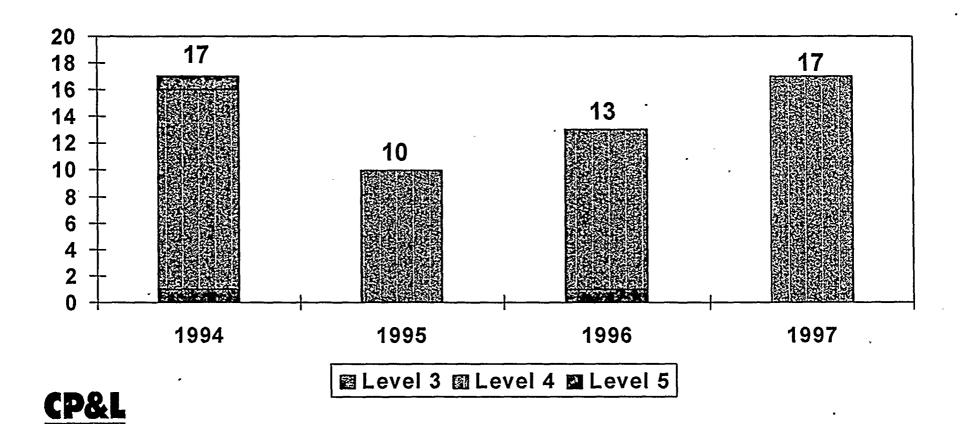




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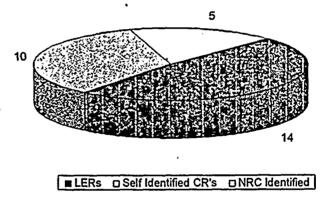


Non-Cited Violations

Current SALP Period (March 17, 1996 - January 17, 1998)

29 Non-Cited Violations

- ♦ 14 from LERs
- ♦ 10 from CR's
- ♦ 5 NRC-identified
- ◆ 18 involved personnel error

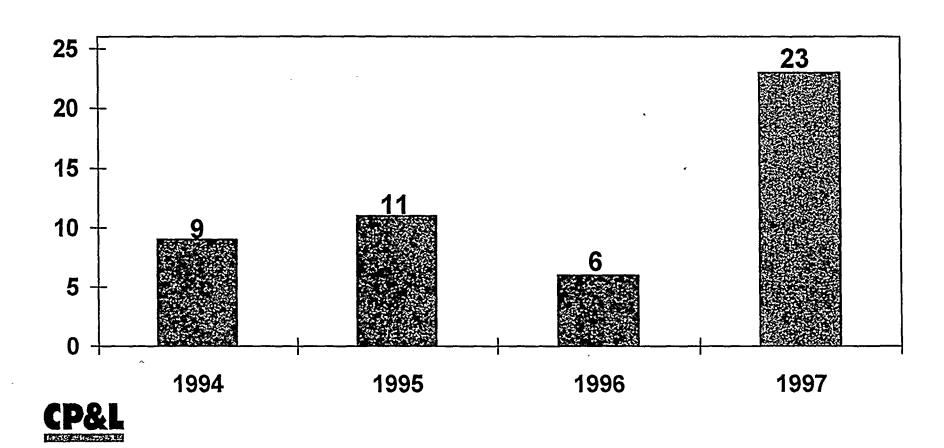


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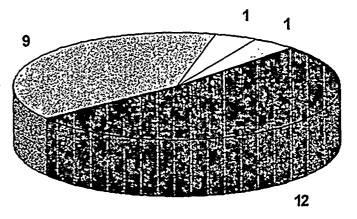


Licensee Event Reports

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44 LERs

- ♦ 21 historical performance
- 23 current performance



■ Operations | Maintenance | Engineering | Plant Support

23 current performance LERs

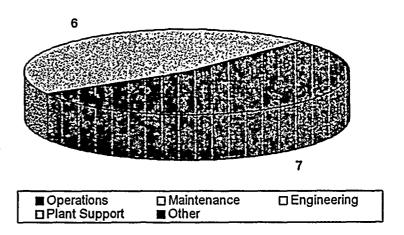




Current SALP Period (March 17, 1996 - January 17, 1998)

Most involved personnel errors

- ♦ 7 Operations
- ♦ 6 Maintenance

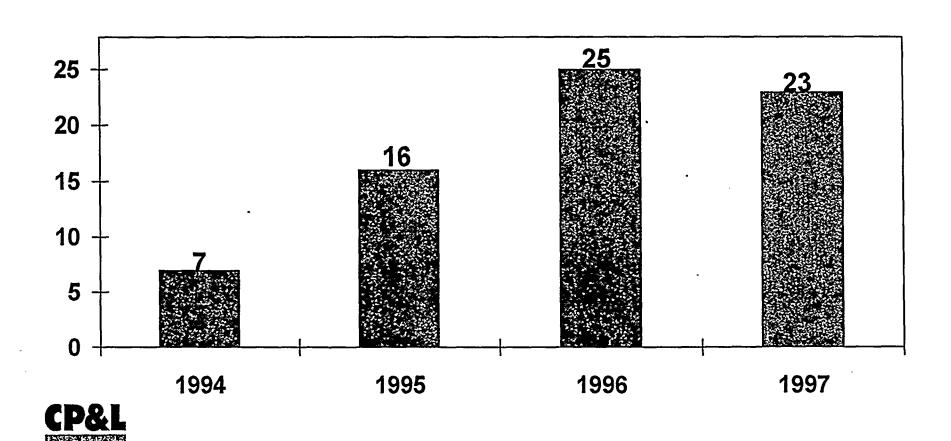


13 current performance LERs



Licensee Event Reports

Current SALP Period (March 17, 1996 - January 17, 1998)





- 385 FSAR changes since beginning of FSAR read through in March 1996
- Amendment 48 largest update since original licensing
- 3448 pages and 517 USQ determinations
- Significant level of engineering effort and commitment to accuracy of design documentation



Technical Specification Surveillance Review

Purpose

 Review TS surveillance requirements to ensure that they are completely and correctly reflected in procedures

Plan

- ♦ Four-person CP&L team
- ◆ Operations, Engineering, Maintenance, Licensing
- ♦ Review 581 surveillance requirements





- 82 Initial reviews completed
- 88 Total findings
 - **8 significant findings**
 - **■38 minor findings**
 - **⊠38** improvement items
 - 4 no action required





Significant Findings

- ♦ Pressurizer level and related volume
- ◆ Spent fuel pool water level (LER 97-021-00)
- Containment refueling water level
- ◆ EDG day tank minimum level
- ♦ HVAC heater measurement
- ◆ FHB & RABEES bleed flow path (LER 97-21-01)
- ◆ FHB & RABEES charcoal flow (LER 97-021-01)
- ◆ AFW isolation quarterly slave relay testing



Summary

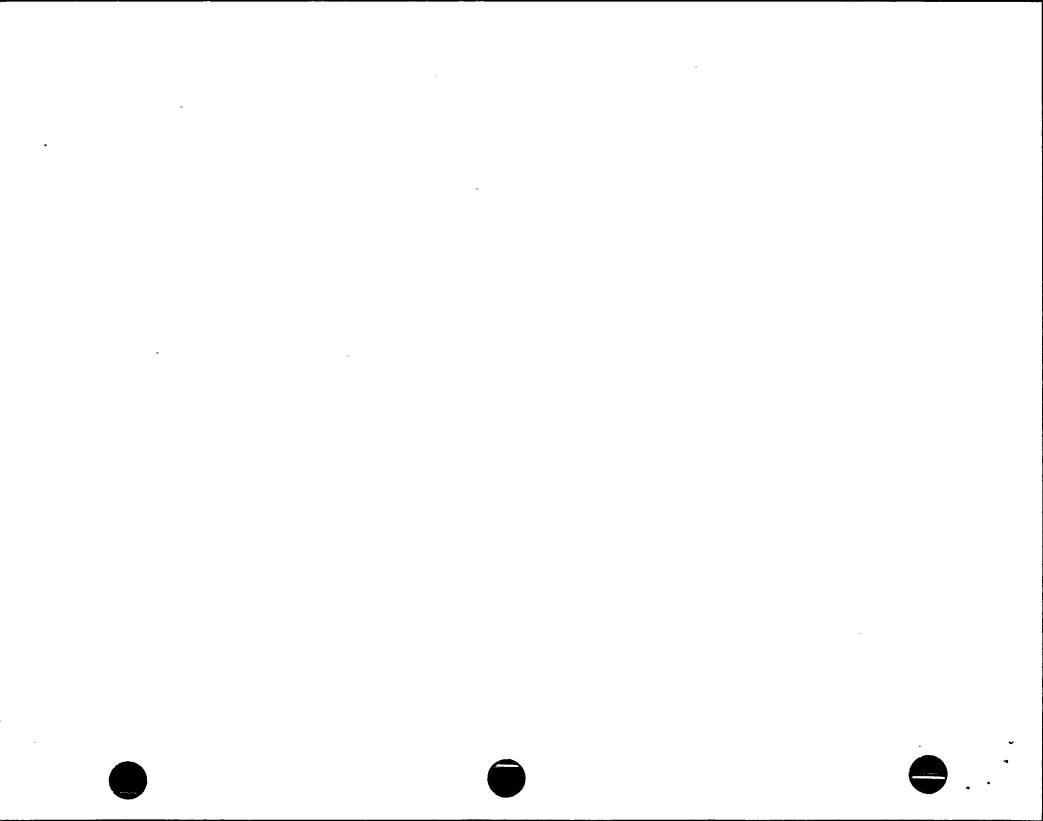
Violations

- Most involved personnel errors in Operations
- Licensee Event Reports
 - Large number due to effective GL 96-01 review and continuing review efforts
- FSAR Update
 - Continued commitment to accuracy of design basis
- TS Surveillance Review
 - ◆ Effective in finding complex discrepancies



Bo Clark Plant Performance





World Class Goals

We are an organization of high goals, standards, and expectations.

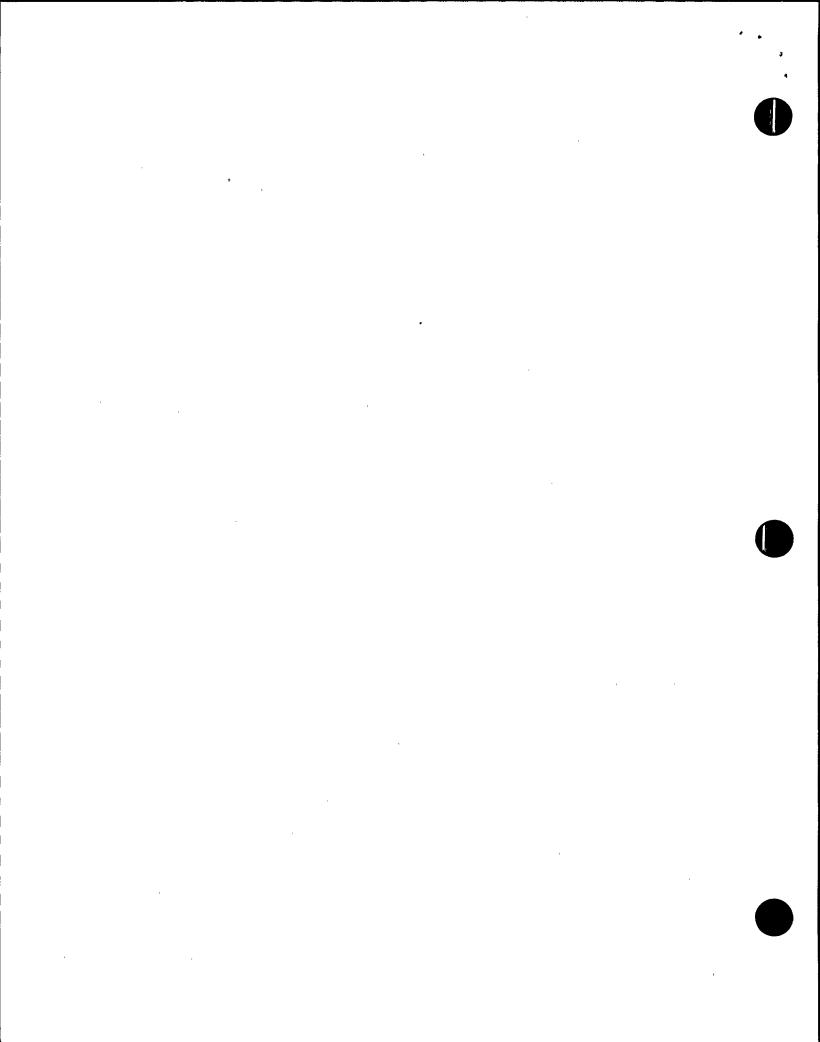




World-Class -

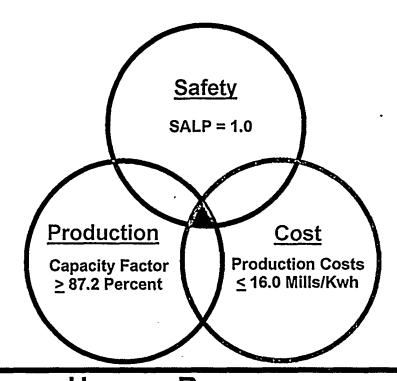
To be <u>above</u> the mean of the upper quartile of all operating plants in the United States in the areas of Safety, Production and Cost.





1999 Harris Plant Goals

Three-Year Average





Human Resources
Improve Human Resources to World Class Levels

Key Business Plan Initiatives

- Safety
 - Improve human performance
 - Reduce errors
- Production
 - Improve refueling outage management
 - Improve plant and equipment reliability
 - Improve fuel reliability





Human Performance

- Build a winning team
- Effective personnel performance management
- ◆ Communicate, communicate, communicate



Current Performance Against 1999 World Class Goals

Three-Year Averages

	Current	Goal
Safety	1.0	1.0
Production	83.7	87.2%
Cost (Mills/KWHR)	17.2	16.0

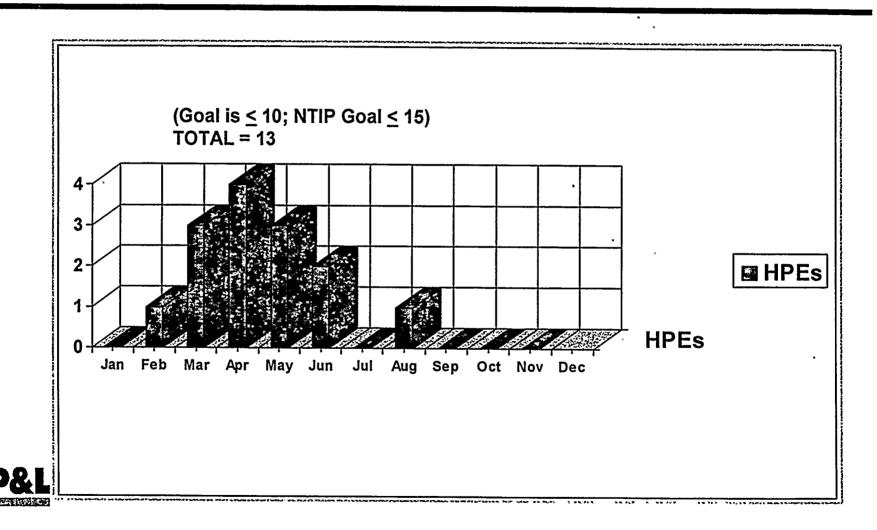




- We were not performing to our expectations
 - Human performance errors.
 - Station equipment performance
 - Refueling outage planning and execution



1997 Human Performance Events

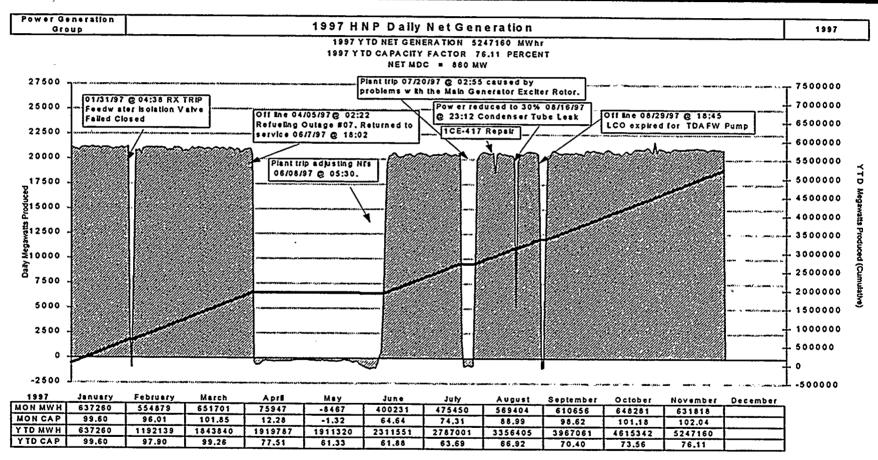


The Need for a Plan

- We were not performing to our expectations
 - ◆ Human performance errors
 - ◆ Station equipment performance
 - Refueling outage planning and execution



Plant Capacity





1997 Capacity Factor performance goal = 83.30%



- We were not performing to our expectations
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 - Refueling outage planning and execution



Refueling Outage Planning & Execution

- Planning milestones--missed/late
- Outage length
 - Planned 39 days
 - Actual 63 days
- Outage cost
 - ♦ Budgeted = \$23.2 million
 - Actual = \$29 million





We are a self-correcting organization

- ◆ Line-driven assessments
- ♦ INPO-requested assistance
- **NAS**
- **PES**
- NSRC
- ♠ NSOC



The Plan

- Our recognition of a need for a step change in performance
- Recommendation for a structured plan by our Nuclear Safety Review Committee
- Formal structured plan was developed by the line organization





Operational excellence as defined by:

- Certainty
- Dependability
- Efficiency

- Accuracy
- Predictability
- ♦ Timeliness



The Plan

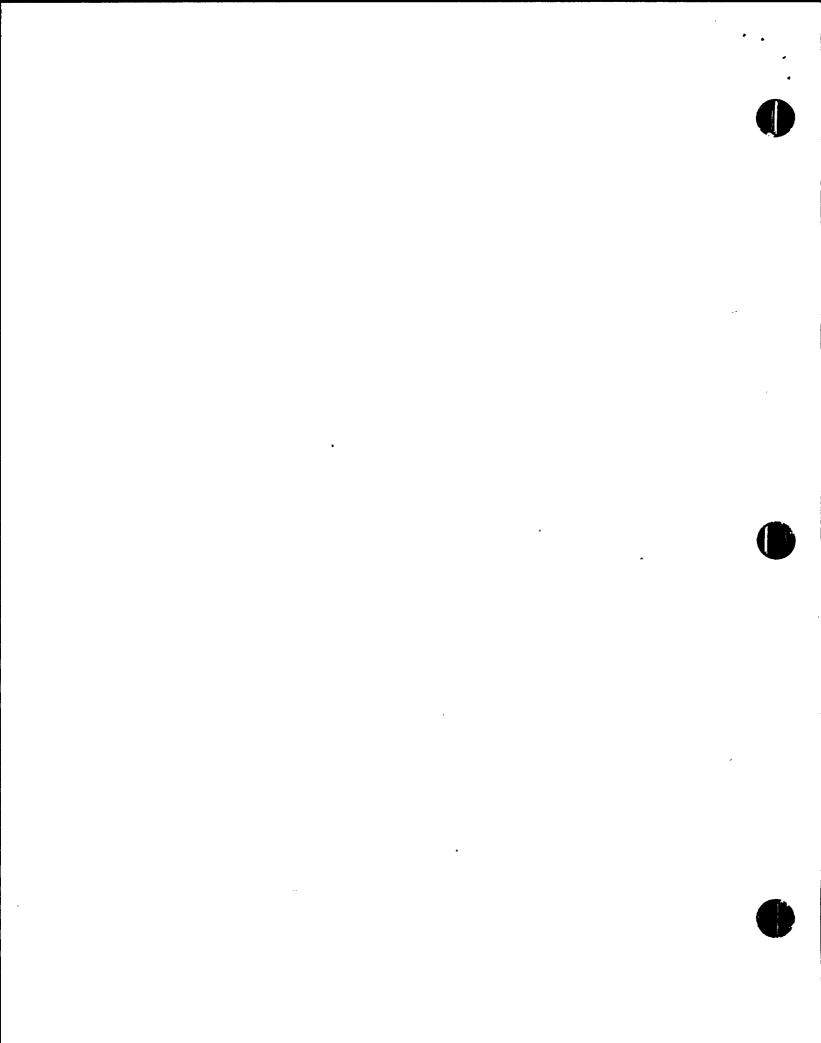
Four Simple, Key Initiatives

- Build a Winning Team
- Reduce Our Errors
- **Fix Our Problems**
- Plan Our Work, Work Our Plan



Initiative # 1 Build a Winning Team



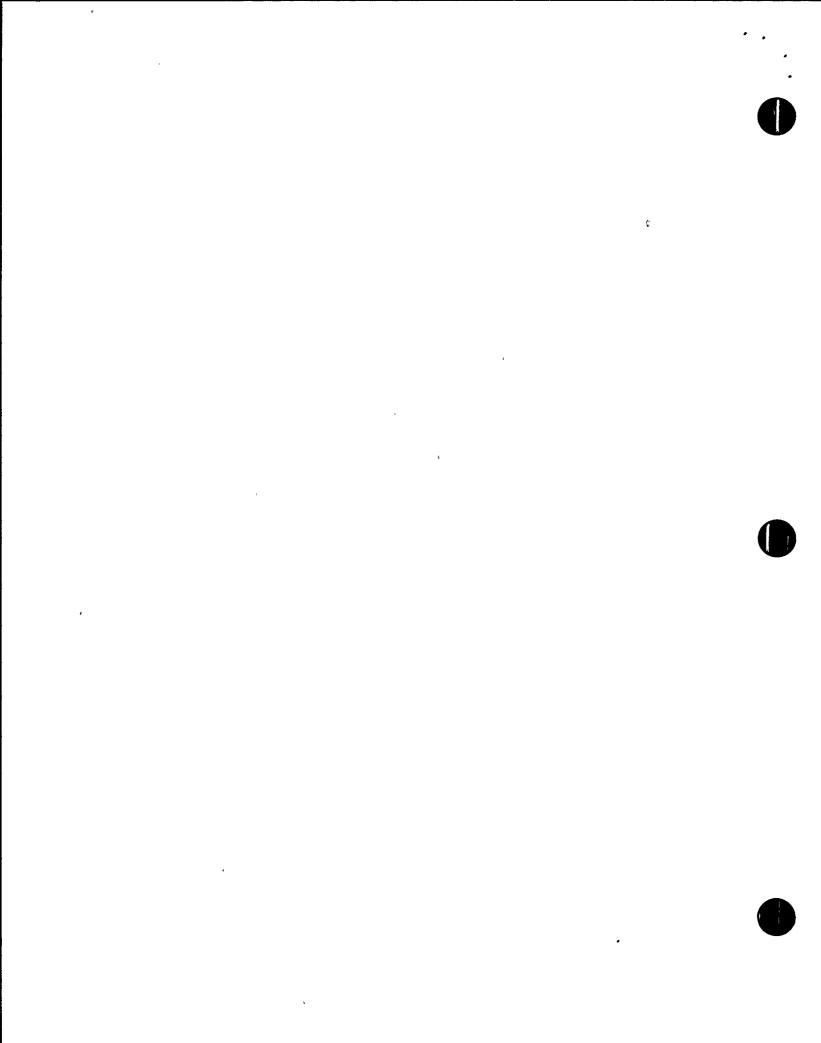


Initiative 1: Build a Winning Team

Key Objectives

- Improve site performance by getting the right people for every supervisory position
- Develop and retain top-notch employees and remove poor performers with effective use of the EPM process
- Gain, through effective communications, employee understanding for rapid and dramatic improvement





Initiative 1: Build a Winning Team

Results

Turnover

- Replaced 6 managers/supervisors
- **55** 41 Improvement Plans initiated /2 terminations to date

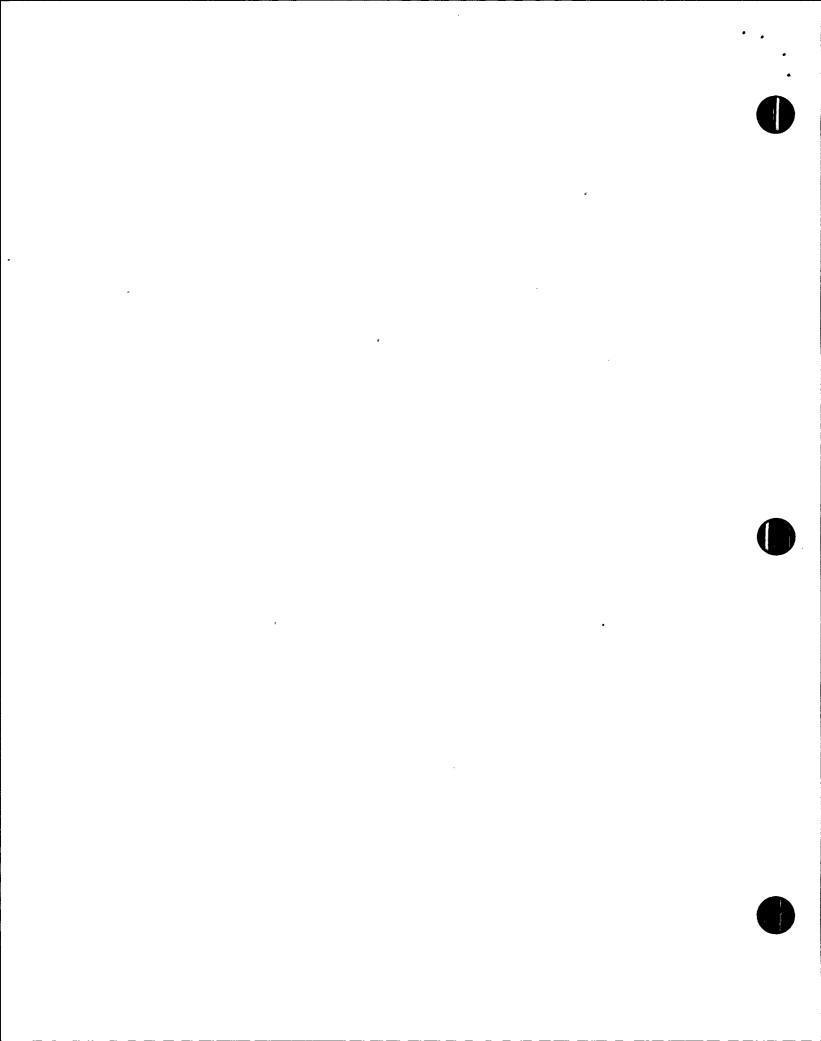
Increased quality of leadership

Employee feedback (Operations/Maintenance)

Improved understanding of realities facing Harris Plant and CP&L

NSRC Member - "Most significant impressions: the extent to which essential features of NTIP understood and embraced by the staff down through all levels....."





Initiative #2 Reduce Errors





- Key Objectives
 - Reduce human performance events
 - Use "STAR" as our error reduction tool.
 - Improve manager and supervisor coaching skills and emphasize positive reinforcement of desired behaviors



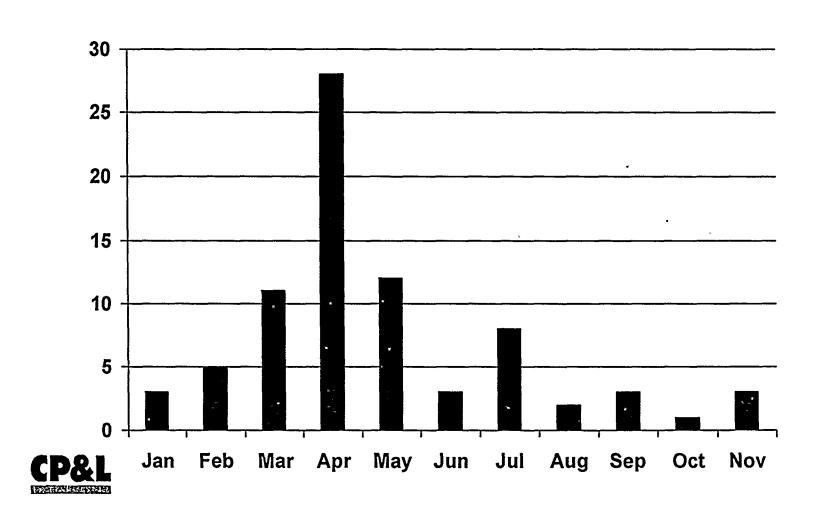


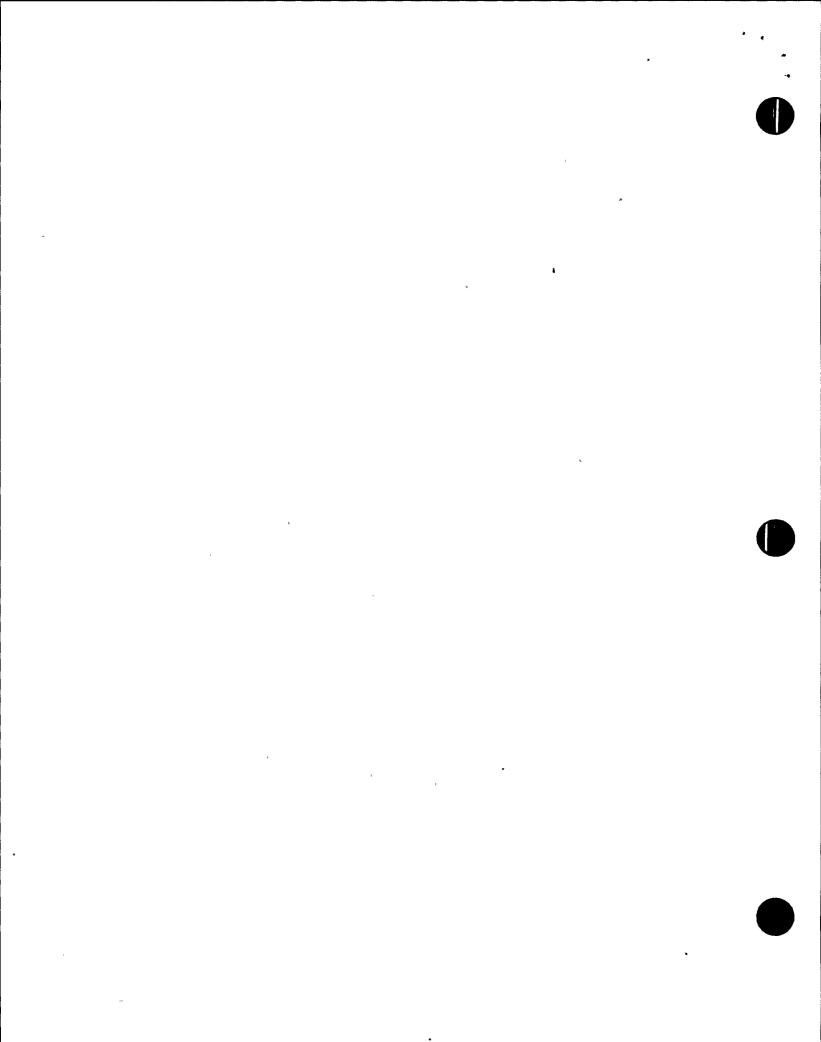
Results to date

- ♦ Reduction in human performance events 12 events in first half of 1997 - 1 event in last half of 1997
- ◆ Closeout of previous NAS operations concerns 7 of 9 ready for closure - remaining 2 by the end of 1997
- No repeat findings in human performance in the 1998 INPO evaluation

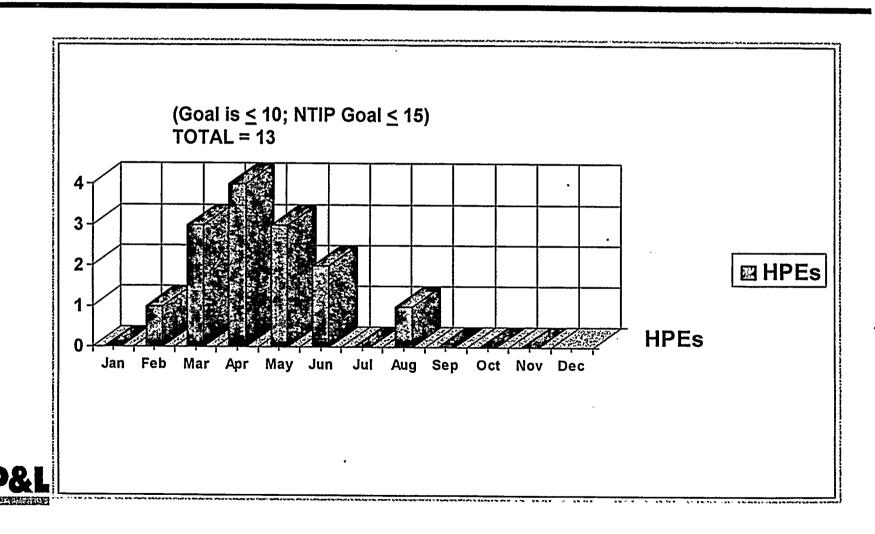


Lack of STAR

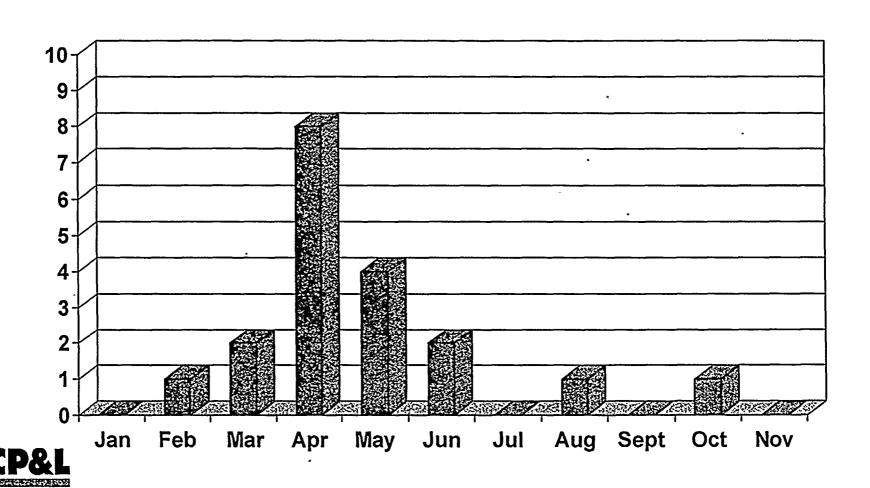




1997 Human Performance Events



Clearance Errors





- Shift qualifications
- Use of STAR
- Communications
- Plant status
- Questioning attitude
- Condition reporting
- Poor work practices
- Overtime
- Wanagement in the field



Initiative #3 Fix Our Problems

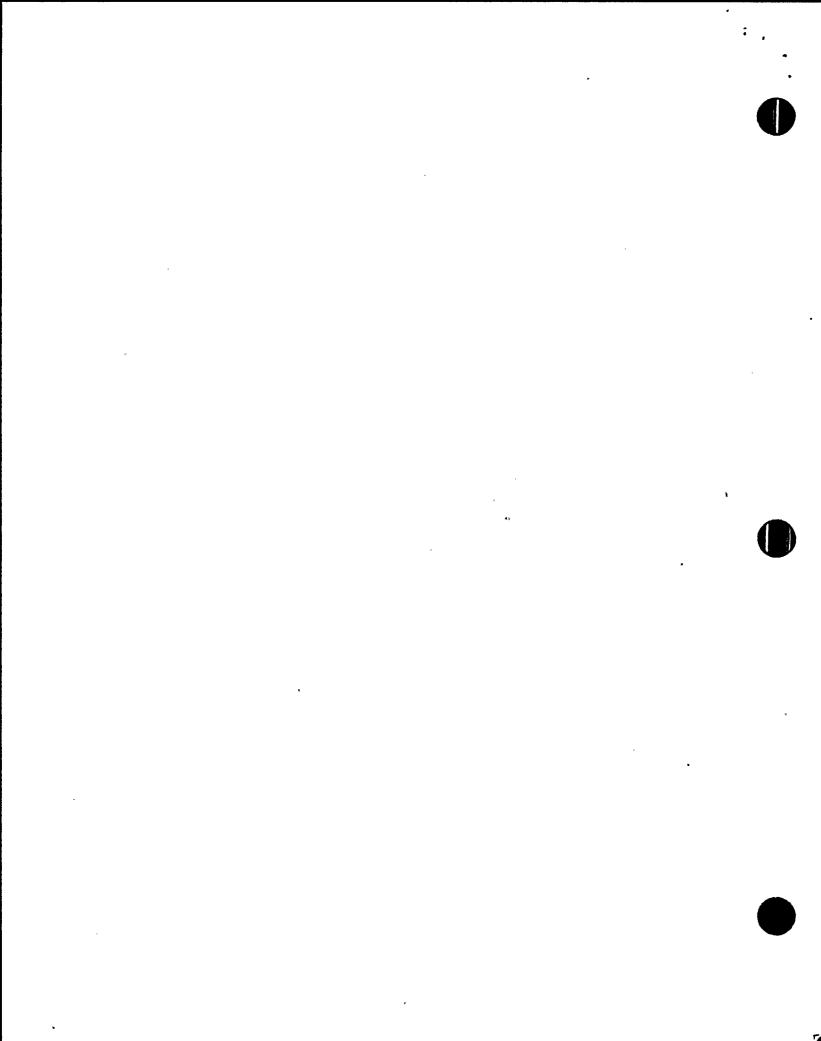


Initiative 3: Fix Our Problems

Key Objectives

- Identify adverse conditions and trends before significant events occur
- Improve the effectiveness of the corrective actions
- Perform critical self-assessments
- Management communication of corrective actions and self-assessment results information to their employees
- Improve plant reliability





Initiative 3: Fix Our Problems

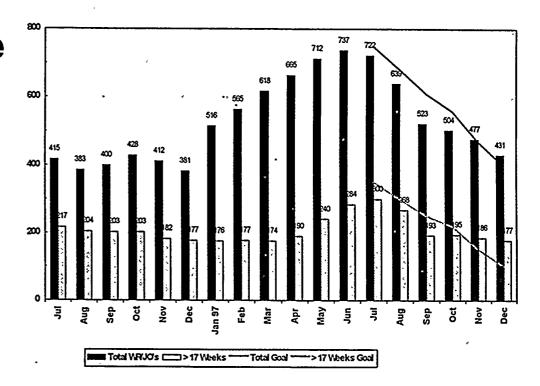
Indicators

- Open corrective actions less than 1200 by 1/98
- Corrective action investigation average age for new CR's will be less than 30 Days by 1/98
- Meet capacity factor goals in 1998
- Maintenance backlog 400 by 1/98





- Integrated schedule
 - Backlog reduction
 - Reduce rework





* April 4 - June 6, 1997 Refueling Outage



- Secondary Reliability Improvement Plan
- Feedwater Isolation Valve mechanical and solenoid performance
- Renewed focus on problem-solving and troubleshooting
- Maintenance Rule implementation



Initiative #4 Schedule Our Work and Work Our Schedule



Schedule Our Work and Work Our Schedule

- Objectives
 - Establish stability/predictability of daily routine
 - Efficient utilization of resources
 - Improved outage performance
 - Maintain system defense-in-depth



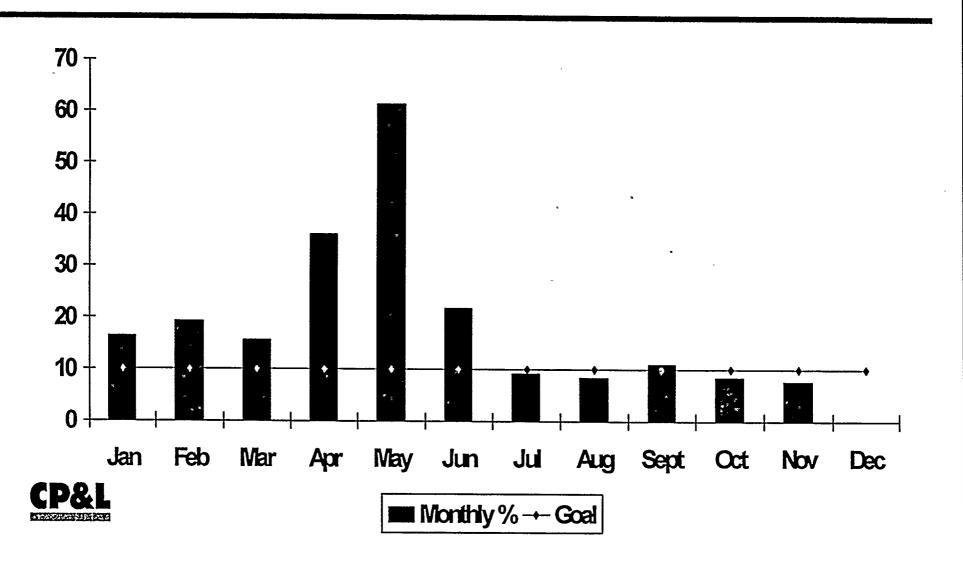
Schedule Our Work and Work Our Schedule (continued)

Indicators

- ♦ 100% Outage milestones met on track
- ♦ Site overtime ≤10%
- <400 tickets total by 1/98.</p>
- 90% daily schedule adherence
- Reduce work delays by 10%



Site Overtime - 1997



Bruce Meyer Operations





- Strengths
- Challenges
- Improvement Initiatives



Operations

SAFE, ERROR-FREE OPERATION EVERY TASK, EVERY JOB EVERY SHIFT



Strengths

- Operations management involvement
- Operations professionalism and leadership
- Conservative plant operations
- Operator training
- Self-assessment



Challenges

- Improving human performance
 - Constant focus "every shift"
- Plant equipment awareness
- Workload management
 - Procedure changes
 - Refueling outage preparations



Improvement Initiatives

Refocus plant on shift operations

- Work coordination
- New shift schedule
- Emergent work meeting
- Plan-of-the-Day meeting
- Shift distractions
- Operations sets priorities

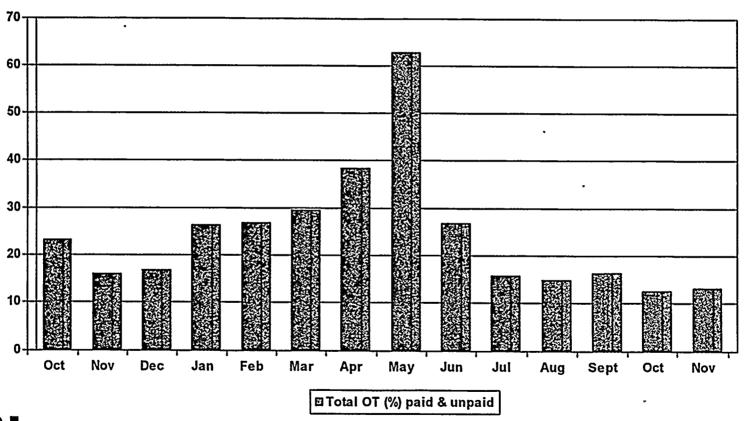


Improvement Initiatives

- Refocus Operations on shift operations
 - "Every task, every job, every shift"
 - Additional operators assigned to shift
 - Protect days off
 - Mid-shift briefs
 - Removed Control Room distractions
 - ♦ Safe, error-free operation "STAR"









STAR Training Analysis

LOR Sessions

	and programme and the control of the		
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Check redundant indications/diverse indications	29/47 (62%)	26/39 (67%)	
APP usage	51/57 (89%)	30/30 (100%)	
Match plant parameters with possible causes	48/80 (60%)	90/100 (90%)	
ACT (procedure usage)	28/53 (53%)	56/68 (82%)	
REVIEW P&L	17/33 (52%)	49/76 (64%)	
Trend Legend: Improving	Stable →	Declining 🕌	



- Reorganized Operations
 - Reevaluated supervisors and managers
 - Reevaluated shift crews
- Accountability
 - Effective Performance Management
 - Performance Improvement Plans
 - Positive reinforcement



Improvement Initiatives

Training

- Direct Operations Manager involvement
- Higher expectations of operators
- Emphasis on competencies
- New evaluation system
- Team job-performance measures





Operating Standards

- ◆ 3-way communication
- Phonetic alphabet
- Annunciator response
- Pre-job briefs
- Questioning attitude



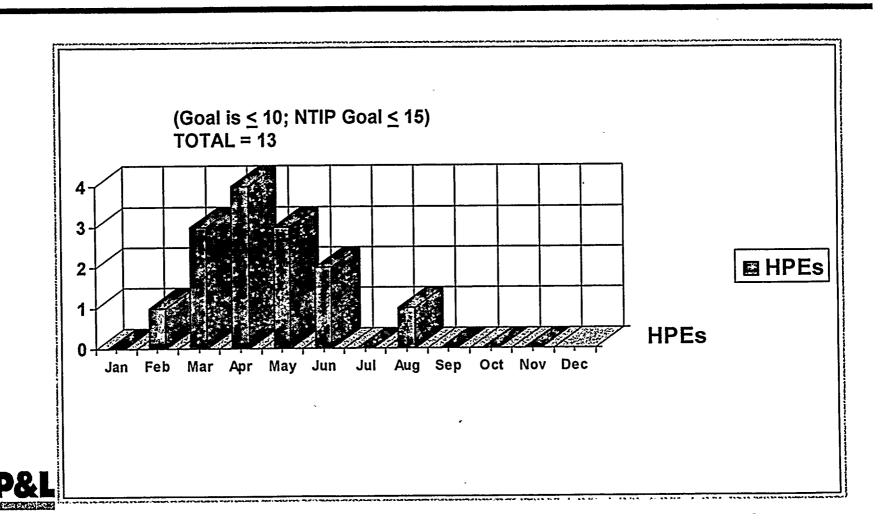


Self Assessment

- Crew self-assessments
- Identify adverse conditions
- Real-time Corrective Action Program
 - **≈14-day Level 1 Investigations**
 - **30-day Level 3 Investigations**



1997 Human Performance Events



Joe Collins Maintenance





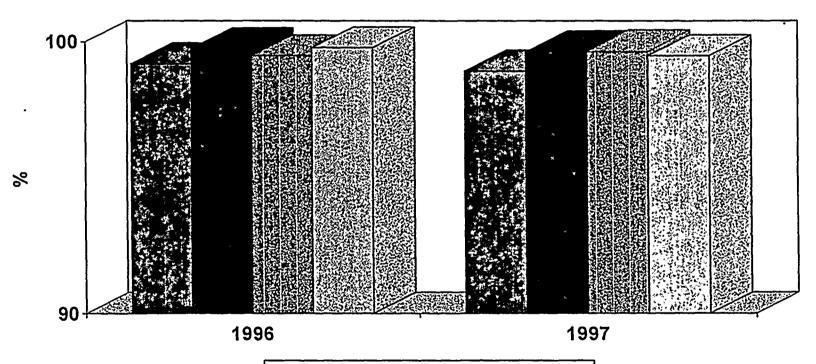
- Strengths
- Challenges
- Improvement Initiatives
- Summary



- Safety system availability
 - Safety system availability is important to us
 - We manage safety system availability by
 - Planning
 - Preparation
 - **Execution**
 - The results



Safety System Availability



■DG ■RHR BSI EAFW



	DG	RHR	SI	AFW
1996	99.18	99.75	99.49	99.79
1997	98.92	99.64	99.65	99.48

Strengths (continued)

- Support of shift operations
 - Crew turnover
 - Emergent work meeting
 - On-shift Maintenance support





- Predictive maintenance techniques
 - **\$ SF6**
 - Thermography
 - Vibration Analysis
 - Oil Analysis
 - Checworks



Strengths (continued)

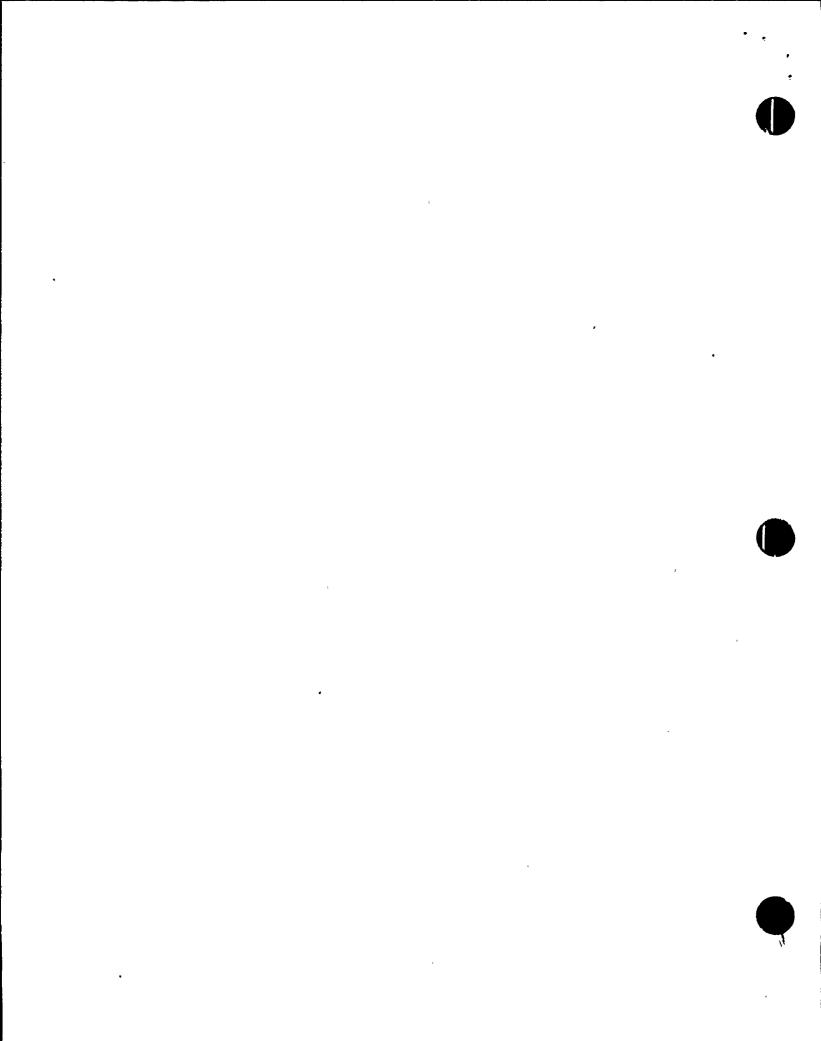
- Training
 - Maintenance management involvement
 - Training Program Committee
 - **Adjunct instructors**
 - **Real-time trainer**





- Training
 - Loop Trainer
 - Duplicates plant environment
 - Equates to the Plant Reference Simulator



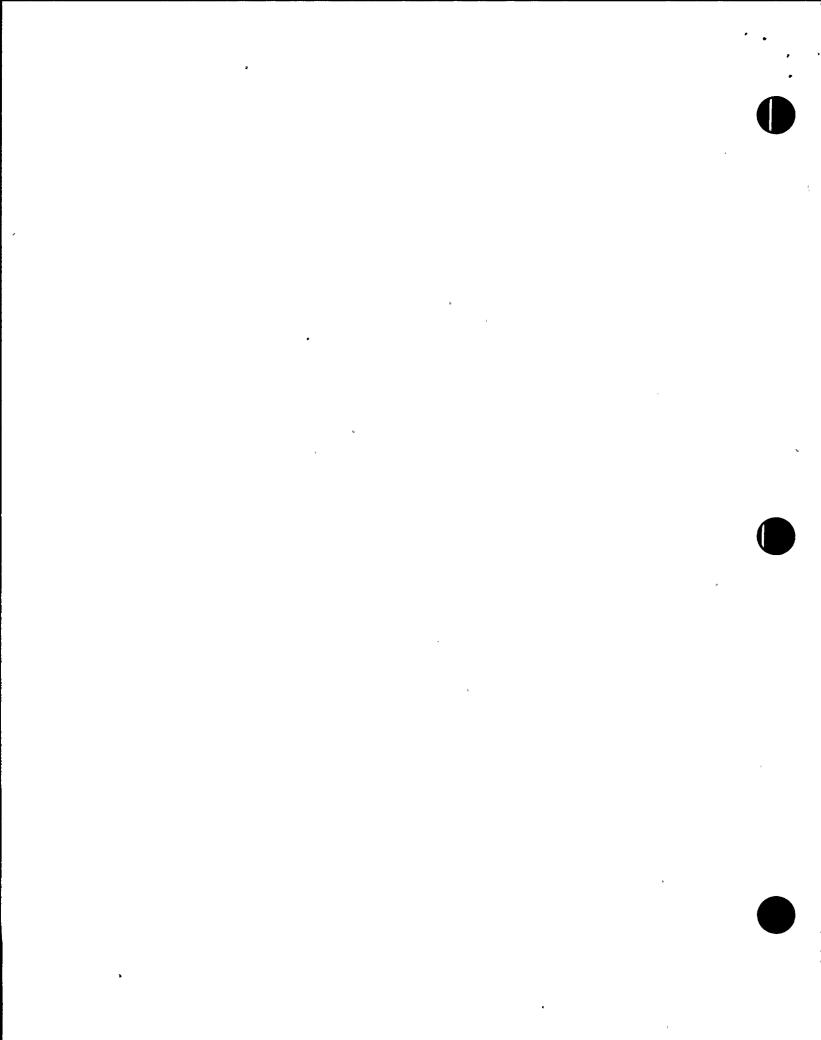


Strengths (continued)

Training

- Tangible results
 - **DG** training to support 10-year inservice inspection
 - **©CRDM** connector
 - *AFW steam turbine disassembly and inspection in RFO7





Challenges

Achieve and maintain backlog targets



TOTAL ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL **MAINTENANCE BACKLOG**

Indicator:

Numbers of total open online backlog CM's and of those

open longer than 17 weeks.

Goals by year end: Total backlog less than 400

WR/JO's>17 weeks less than 100

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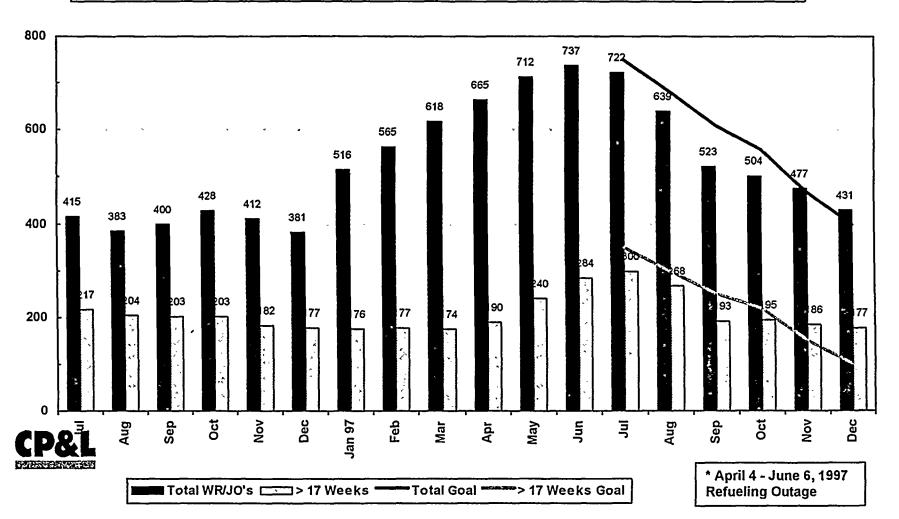
Backlog CM's: WCC=A,B

WR/JO # ends with 1

Type= ,10,20 System<8501

Skill=EL,ME Status<Field complete

Date initiated > 17 weeks prior to current date



Challenges (continued)

- Achieve and maintain backlog targets
- Achieve the right balance between "Skill of the Craft" and "Procedure-Directed"
- © Continual improvement of Surveillance Test Procedures



Improvement Initiatives

- Maintenance reorganization
 - Culture
 - ♦ Focus
- Effective use of work scheduling
 - Integrating of maintenance resources
 - Shifting schedule adherence from weekly to daily



Summary

- Maintenance is continuing to improve
 - Process and procedure improvements through self-assessment, crew critiques, and operating experience feedback
 - Skill improvements through continuing training, diagnostic testing, and supervisory coaching
 - Culture improvement through focused management attention



Tony Cockerill Engineering



Agenda

- Strengths
- Challenges
- Improvement Initiatives



- Support of shift operations
- Maintenance Rule
- Significant engineering assessments
- Response to Generic Letter 96-01 (Testing of safety-related logic circuits)
- Ongoing review of Technical Specification Surveillance Procedures



- FSAR review and continued use
- Engineering support of plant reliability and availability
- Use of operating experience information



- Support of shift operations
- Maintenance Rule
 - Participated in NRC Pilot Program
 - ♦ Self-assessment in December 1996
 - ♦ NRC Baseline Inspection in July 1997
 - "With recent improvements, progress towards a comprehensive Maintenance Rule Program is adequate"

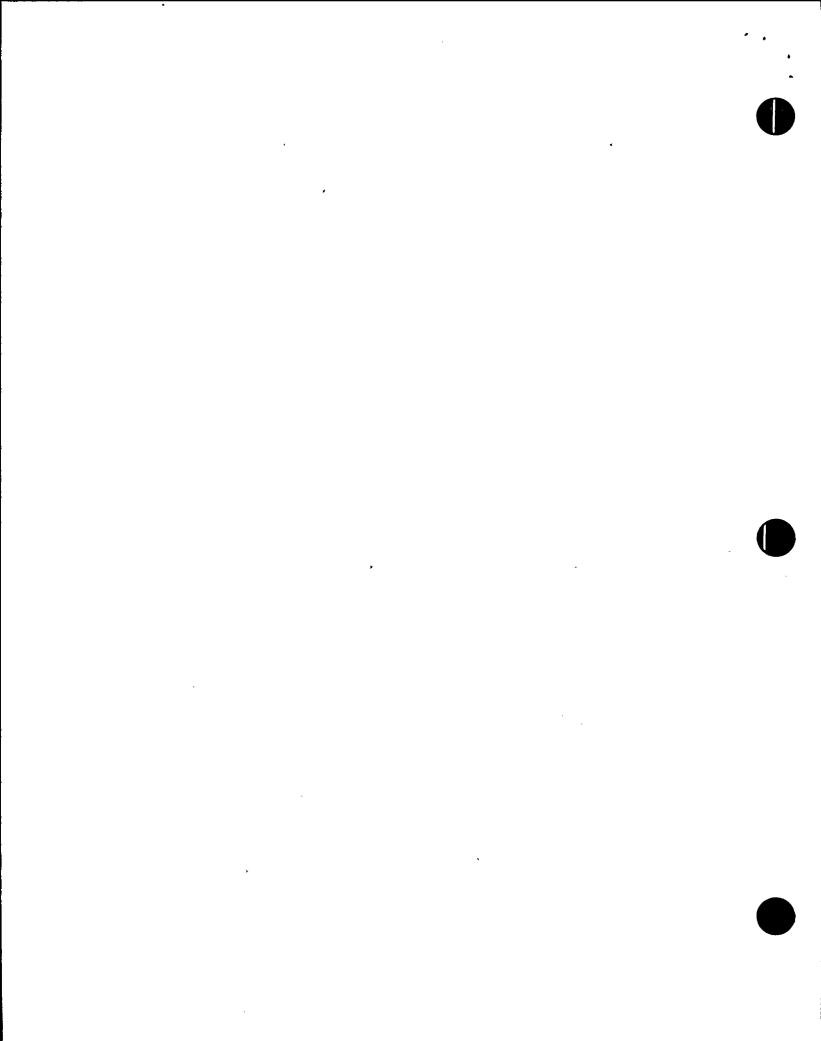


- Benefits achieved
 - Prioritize work load
 - Focus on problem areas
 - Things are getting fixed
- ♦ (A)(1) List 27 systems
 - **8** systems are in Monitoring Phase
 - 19 systems are in Investigation (Corrective Action)
- (A)(3) assessment completed



- Significant Engineering assessments
 - RPS SSFI industry experts
 - EQ NAS with industry experts
 - Safe Shutdown Analysis industry experts
 - Engineering Assessment NAS
 - Corporate Assessment of Engineering
 - SSEI on AFW System
 - ♦ ISI/IST Program Assessment
 - Maintenance Rule (A)(3) Assessment





- Response to Generic Letter 96-01 Testing of safety-related logic circuits
- Ongoing review of Technical Specification Surveillance Procedures
- FSAR Review
 - ♦ 340 CRs, 5 LERs, 2 USQs



- Engineering support of plant reliability and availability
 - Evaluation of containment liner
 - Installation of cavity seal ring
 - ♦ Modified EDG protection logic (GL 96-01)
 - Resolved inadvertent tripping of NSW pumps
 - Improved work practices in the switchyard
 - Replaced ESW pump and motor to increase margin
 - Resolution of Thermolag issue



- Use of operating experience information
 - Analyzed SG tubing common tap for single failure [NSAL 96-004]
 - Inaccessible in-core thimbles
 - Connecting non-seismic pipe to seismically qualified lines



Challenges

- Complete commitments in our 50.54f response
- Improve quality of design packages



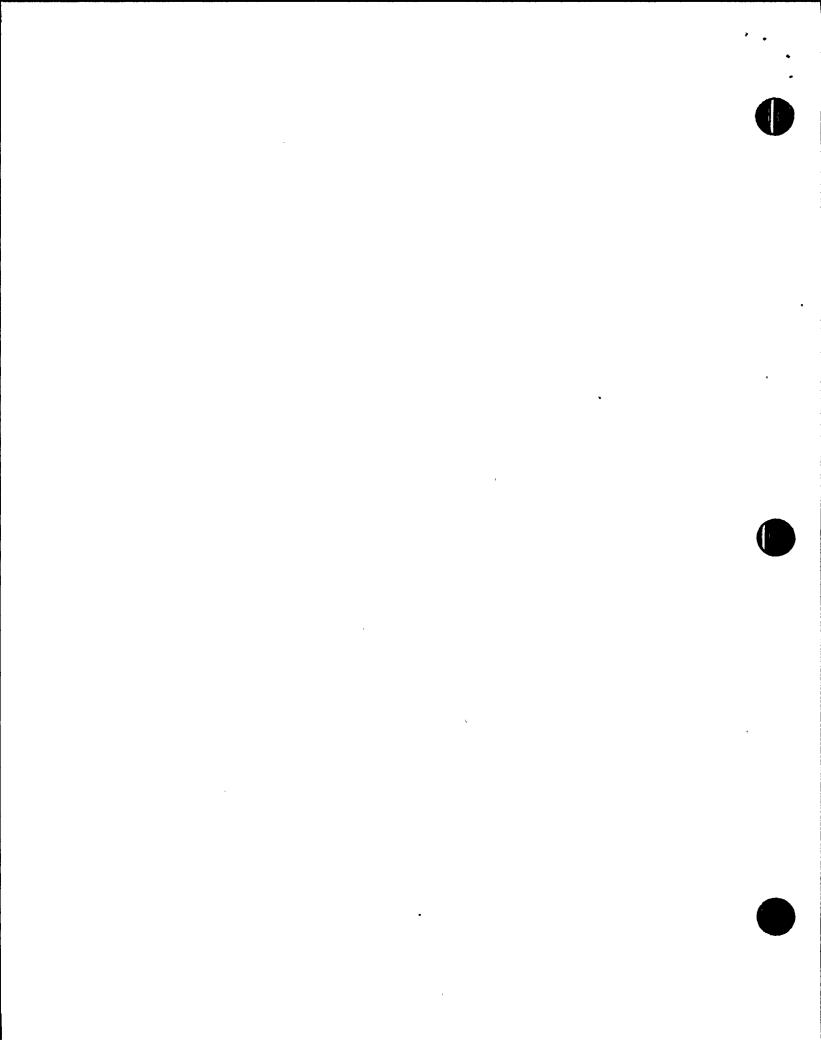
Challenges

- Major projects planned
 - ◆ SG replacement
 - Computer replacements
 - ◆ Complete spent fuel pools C & D
 - ◆ Replace feedwater isolation valves
 - Evaluate replacement of reciprocating air compressors
 - ♦ Resolve the year 2000 computer issue



- Engineering workload management
 - Pilot program in the Electrical Unit being implemented in Mechanical and Technical Services
 - Excel spreadsheet used to schedule work at the engineer level
 - Actual man-hours are tracked and compared with estimate
 - Has given engineers a sense of control and achievement





Using the Work Control Center's scheduling tool, modifications are being scheduled for implementation, document update, and turnover



- Problem Solving
 - ◆ Strong disciplined approach
 - Examples



- Engineering programs
 - Review of program procedures
 - **♦ MOV Improvement Plan**
 - EQ improvement
 - ♦ ISI/IST 10-year plan
 - Implementing SAMGs



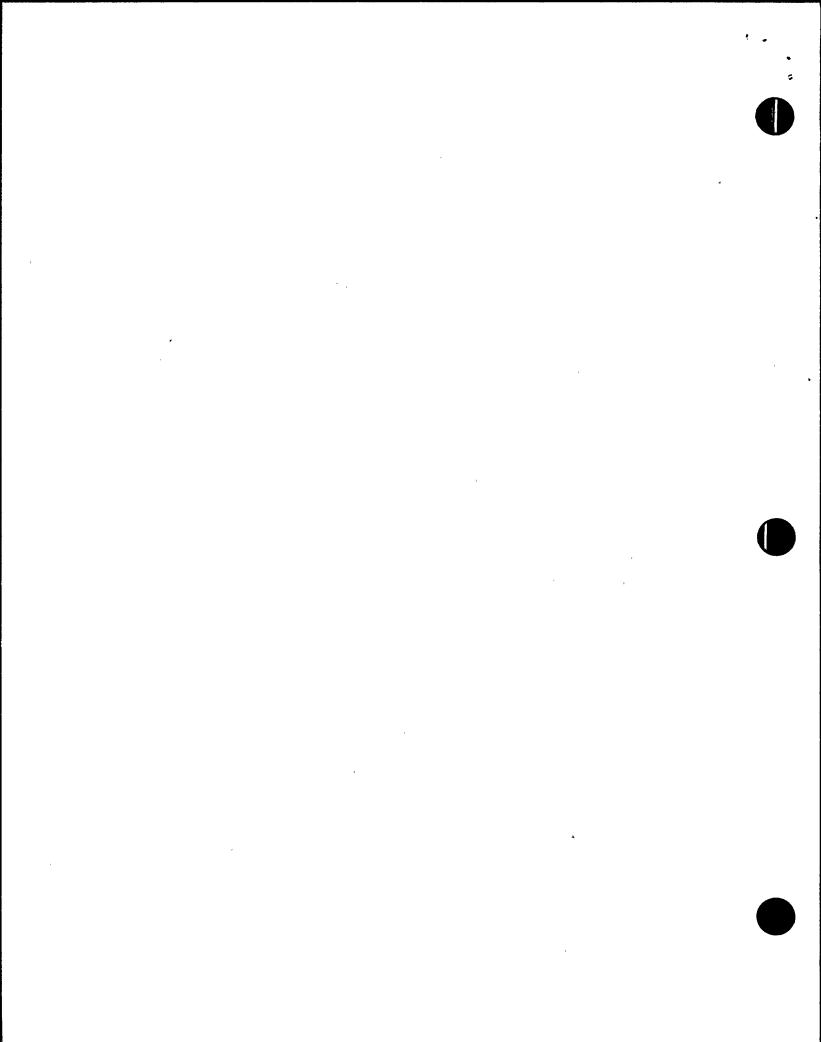
- Equipment upgrades
 - Replacing process cabinets power supplies
 - Replacing Control Room recorders
 - Upgrading Security x-ray machines
 - Replacing turbine building sump radiation monitor



Summary

- ©CP&L personnel perform the FSAR Review, GL 96-01 Response, Technical Specification Surveillance Procedures review
- Outsourcing work has been limited
- Engineering is more disciplined and focused





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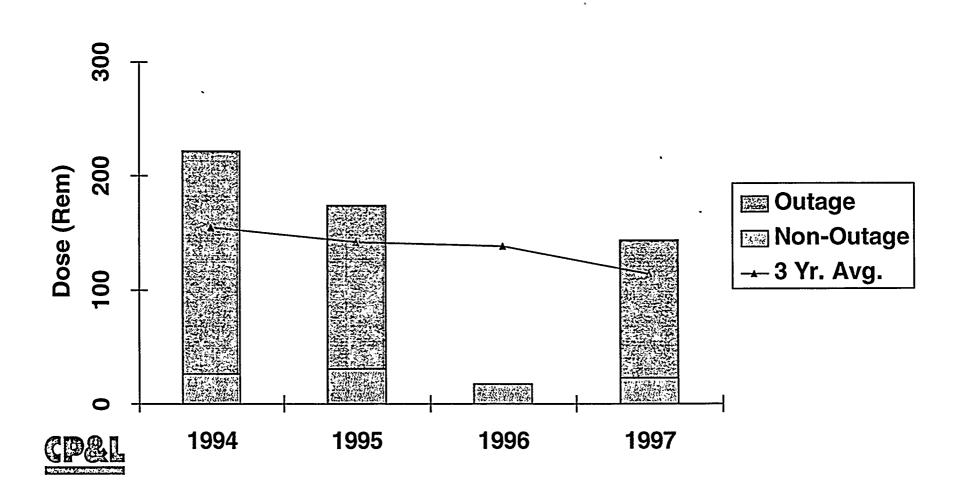
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RP Strengths

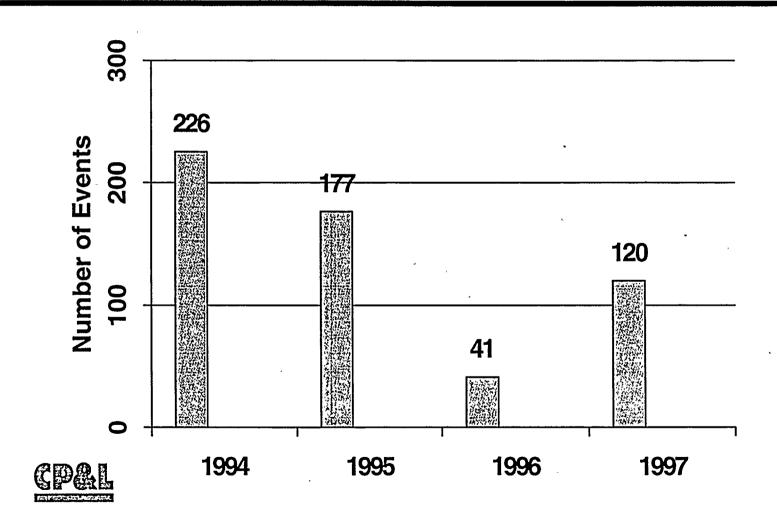
- Continued improvement in performance as evidenced by major radiation protection indicators
- Strong self-assessments
- Low threshold for problem identification

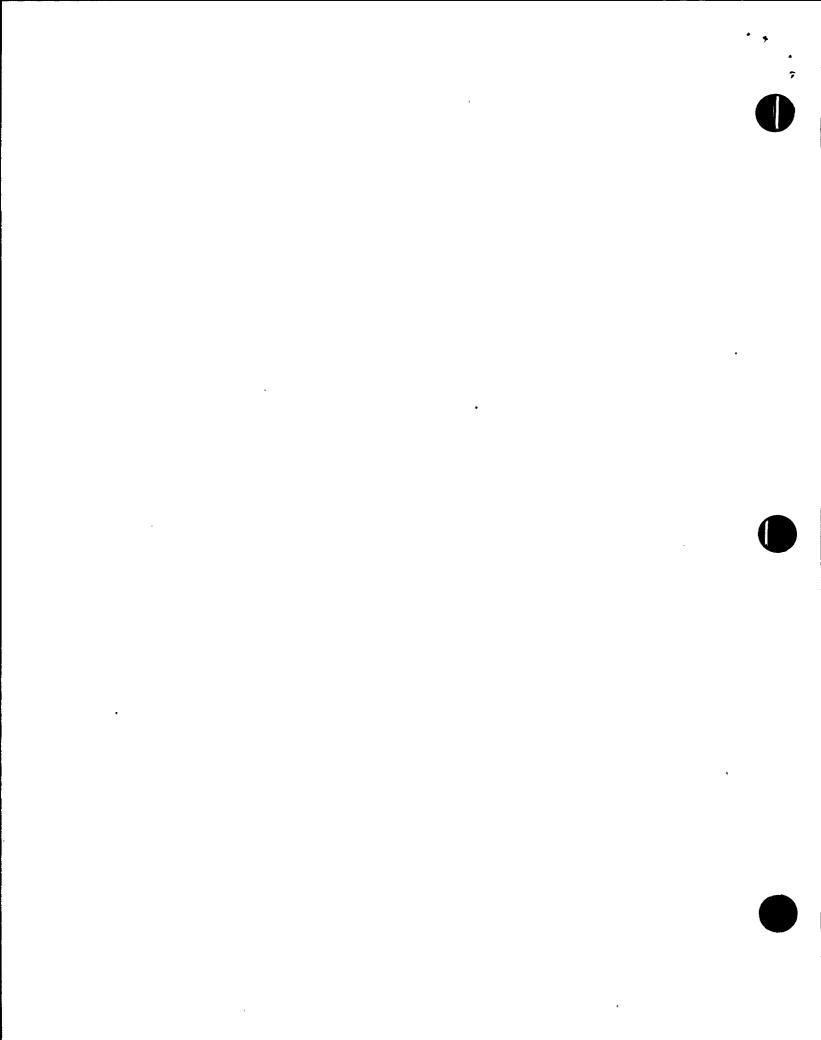


Radiation Dose

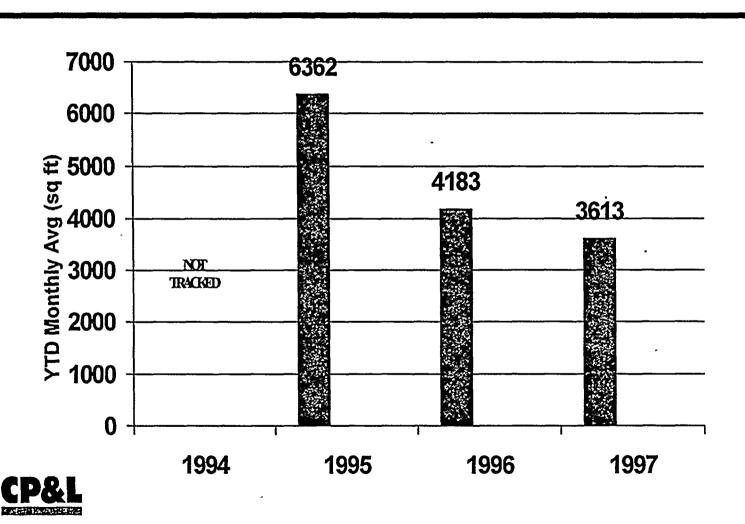


Personnel Contaminations

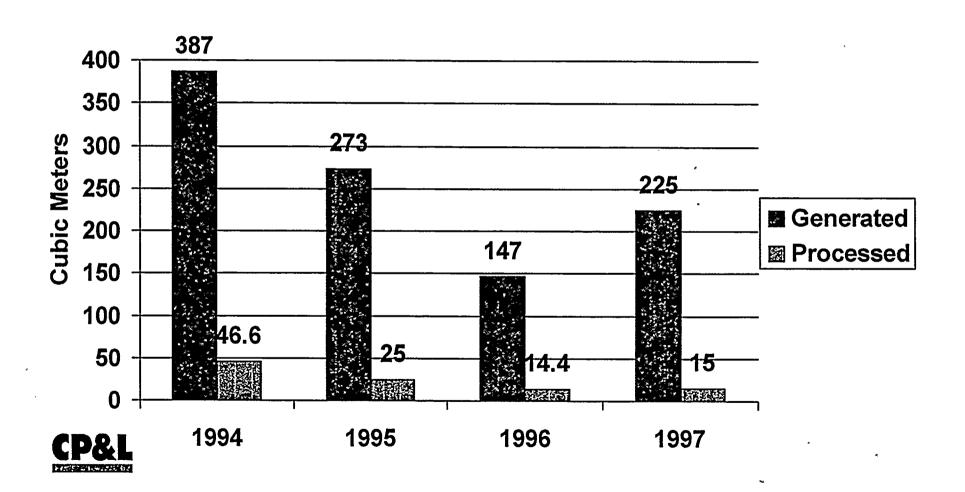




Contaminated Floor Area



Radioactive Waste Generated and Processed





 Lack of a permanent disposal facility for low-level radioactive waste



Chemistry Strengths

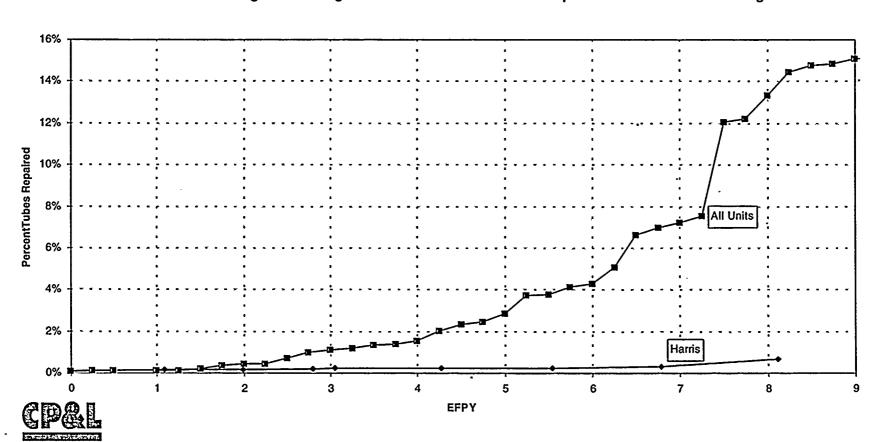
- Tight control of primary and secondary water chemistry
- Continued reduction in liquid and gaseous effluents



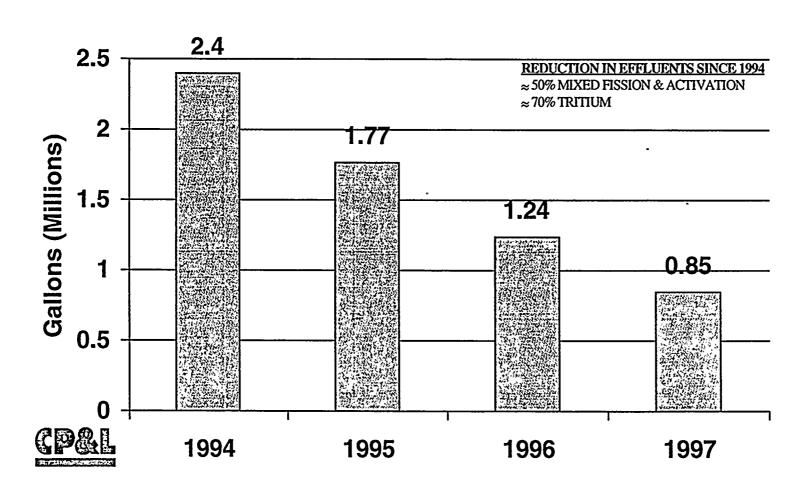
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Steam Generator Tube Performance

Worldwide Steam Generator Tube Degradation
Preheater Westinghouse Designed SGs w/Inconel 600 Low Temperature Mill Annealed Tubing



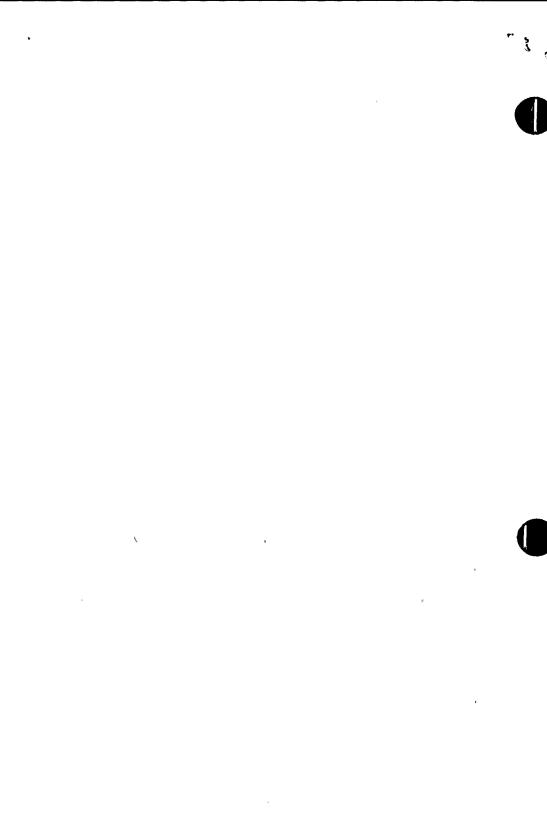
Liquid Effluent Batch Release Volumes



EP Strengths

- High quality emergency response facilities
- Effective implementation of drills and exercises
- Effective use of critiques
- Strong performance during the ingestion pathway exercise





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Security Strengths

- Sustained high quality performance
 - ◆ Strong self-assessment program
 - Quality Security training program.
 - Consistently low personnel-error rate
 - Strong relationship to local law enforcement



Security Improvements

- Reduced compensatory measures through effective maintenance support
- Upgraded Security range facility
- Upgraded weapons implemented into the site-defense strategy
- Upgrade of x-ray inspection units
- Improved access authorization





- Strong self assessments
- Proactive Thermolag resolution
 - ◆ Testing of Harris-specific configurations
 - Aggressive self-identification and correction of problems
 - Independent industry expert review of evaluations



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