OPERATING DATA REPORT

DOCKET NO 50-255
DATE 4-2-97
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OPERATING STATUS:

NOTES:

1.	UNIT NAME	Palisades
2.	REPORTING PERIOD:	970301-970331
3.	LICENSED THERMAL POWER (MWt)	2530
4.	NAMEPLATE RATING (GROSS MWe)	811.7
5.	DESIGN ELECTRICAL RATING (NET MWe)	805
6.	MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (GROSS MWe)	**770
7.	MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (NET MWe)	**730

8. IF CHANGES OCCUR IN CAPCITY RATINGS (ITEM NUMBERS 3 THROUGH 7AND 7) SINCE LAST REPORT, GIVE REASONS:

9. POWER LEVEL TO WHICH RESTRICTED, IF ANY (NET MWe):

10. REASONS FOR RESTRICTIONS, IF ANY:

	This Month	Yr-to-Date	Cumulative
11. HOURS IN REPORTING PERIOD	744.0	2160.0	221631.0
12. NUMBER OF HOURS REACTOR WAS CRITICAL	744.0	1634.2	129731.4
13. REACTOR RESERVE SHUTDOWN HOURS	----	----	----
14. HOURS GENERATOR ON-LINE	744.0	1494.2	124719.7
15. UNIT RESERVE SHUTDOWN HOURS	----	----	----
16. GROSS THERMAL ENERGY GENERATED (MWH)	1868293.0	3501311.8	275105310.3
17. GROSS ELECTRICAL ENERGY GENERATED (MWH)	602304	1120141	87186876
18. NET ELECTRICAL ENERGY GENERATED (MWH)	573067	1062610	82330370
19. UNIT SERVICE FACTOR	100.0%	69.2%	56.3%
20. UNIT AVAILABILITY FACTOR	100.0%	69.2%	56.3%
21. UNIT CAPACITY FACTOR (USING MDC NET)	105.5%	67.4%	54.5%*
22. UNIT CAPACITY FACTOR (USING DER NET)	95.7%	61.1%	46.1%
23. UNIT FORCED OUTAGE RATE	0.0%	30.8%	27.7%

24. SHUTDOWNS SCHEDULED OVER THE NEXT 6 MONTHS (TYPE, DATE AND DURATION OF EACH):

25. IF SHUTDOWN AT END OF REPORT PERIOD, ESTIMATED DATE OF STARTUP:

26. UNITS IN TEST STATUS (PRIOR TO COMMERCIAL OPERATION):

	Forecast	Achieved
INITIAL CRITICALITY		
INITIAL ELECTRICITY		
COMMERCIAL OPERATION		

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** Based on condenser backpressure

* Weighted Average (635 MWe used as MDC Net prior to October 1985)