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ATTACHMENT 1 (PAGE 1 OF 1) SURRY POWER STATION, UNIT 2

DOCKET NO: 50-281

REPORT NO: 81-021/03L-0 EVENT DATE: 03-02-81

TITLE OF EVENT: 1-VS-E-4A INOPERABLE

### 1. DESCRIPTION OF EVENT:

On March 3, 1981, with Unit Two at 100% power and the 'C' control room air conditioner chiller out of service for a design change, the service water strainer for the 'A' air conditioner condenser was found to be clogged. The chiller was removed from service and the strainer cleaned. This is contrary to Tech. Spec. 3.14.B and is reportable per Tech. Spec. 6.6.2.b.(2).

In addition, the unit was required to be placed in hot shutdown within 6 hours as per Tech. Spec. 3.0.1. However, the strainer was cleaned and repaired in three hours, and a unit shutdown was not initiated.

# 2. PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES AND STATUS OF REDUNDANT SYSTEMS:

The Control Room ventilation system contains three 100% capacity air conditioning units. Tech. Spec. 3.14, not being consistent with the philosophy used for other LCO's, requires 2 of 3 air conditioning condensers to be operable whenever fuel is loaded in the reactor core. Since the control room environment was maintained within the design parameters and the redundant air conditioning unit was returned to service within three hours, the health and safety of the public were not affected.

### 3. CAUSE:

Materials entrained in the service water system clogged the chiller's inlet strainer. An upstream self-cleaning strainer had been removed from service to perform modifications in accordance with a design change.

### 4. IMMEDIATE CORRECTIVE ACTION:

The 'B' air conditioning chiller was verified operating and maintaining the required environment within the control room.

### 5. SUBSEQUENT CORRECTIVE ACTIONS:

The service water strainer was cleaned and returned to service, and the upstream self-cleaning strainer has been refurbished and returned to service.

### 6. ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT RECURRENCE:

The actions taken above are considered adequate.

## 7. GENERIC IMPLICATIONS:

None.