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DOCKET 50-255 - DPR-20 - PALISADES PLANT - LICENSEE EVENT REPORT 80-046 -HYDRAULIC SNUBBER FAILURE

On the reverse side is LER 80-046 which is reportable under Technical Specifications 6.9.2.B(2).

David P Hoffman

Nuclear Licensing Administrator

CC Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation Director, Office of Inspection and Enforcement NRC Resident Inspector, Palisades Plant

U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

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0 2	During routine surveillance testing of hydraulic snubbers, snubber S-5
0 3	(main steam line) was determined to be inoperable due to no visible
04	oil level. Reportable per TS 6.9.2.B2 and TS 3.20. See LER 80-16 for
0 5	similar occurrence. No threat to public health or safety resulted.
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	CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)
10	Loss of oil caused by failed 0-rings. Snubber was replaced with new unit.
111	Replacement of hydraulic snubbers with mechanical units is being
12	evaluated.
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1 5	ACILITY SPOWER OTHER STATUS 30 METHOD OF DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION 32 B 31 Surveillance Program
	STIVITY CONTENT 12 13 44 45 46 BO CONTENT 12 13 AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY (35) NA LOCATION OF RELEASE (36)
7	PERSONNEL EXPOSURES 80
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1 8	PERSONNEL INJURIES NUMBER DESCRIPTION 41 O O 0 0 NA
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