

UPDATED REPORT LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

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LICENSEE CODE: VANAST; LICENSE NUMBER: 00-000000-00; LICENSE TYPE: 47111; CAT 58: 4

CON'T REPORT SOURCE: L; DOCKET NUMBER: 0B000338; EVENT DATE: 043079; REPORT DATE: 10379

EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES: During start-up operations, at 2% power, temperature indicator TI-RS-100A on Casing Cooling Tank (1-RS-TK-1) was reading out of specifications at greater than 50°F. This is reportable pursuant to T.S. 6.9.1.9.b. This event did not affect the health and safety of the general public.

SYSTEM CODE: SH; CAUSE CODE: E; CAUSE SUBCODE: B; COMPONENT CODE: HTEXCH; COMP. SUBCODE: C; VALVE SUBCODE: Z

LER/RO REPORT NUMBER: 17; EVENT YEAR: 79; SEQUENTIAL REPORT NO.: 061; OCCURRENCE CODE: 03; REPORT TYPE: X; REVISION NO.: 1

ACTION TAKEN: B; FUTURE ACTION: Z; EFFECT ON PLANT: Z; SHUTDOWN METHOD: Z; HOURS: 0000; ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED: Y; NPRD-4 FORM SUB.: N; PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER: A; COMPONENT MANUFACTURER: D261

CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS: The temperature rose above its limit due to a slipping belt on the mechanical refrigeration unit. The belt drive was tightened, making the system operable.

FACILITY STATUS: C; % POWER: 002; OTHER STATUS: NA; METHOD OF DISCOVERY: A; DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION: Operator observation

ACTIVITY CONTENT: Z; AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY: NA; LOCATION OF RELEASE: NA

PERSONNEL EXPOSURES: NUMBER: 000; TYPE: Z; DESCRIPTION: NA

PERSONNEL INJURIES: NUMBER: 000; DESCRIPTION: NA

LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO FACILITY: TYPE: Z; DESCRIPTION: NA

PUBLICITY ISSUED: N; DESCRIPTION: NA

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Description of Event

During startup operations, at 2% power, Temperature Indicator TI-RS-100A on Casing Cooling Tank 1-RS-TK-1 read 51° for a 24 hour period. An emergency work request was submitted to repair the faulty refrigeration unit (1-RS-M-1). This is reportable pursuant to T.S. 6.9.1.9.b.

Probable Consequences of Event

With the casing cooling temperature greater than 50°F, the tank was considered inoperable as defined by T.S. 3.6.2.2; however, the tank and its associated pumps would still have functioned to inject water if required. Since the temperature of the tank was returned to less than 50°F within the 72 hours required by the action statement, the health and safety of the general public was not affected. Since the mechanism of failure was not an uncommon one for mechanical units of this type, a similar event could occur on Unit 2.

Cause

The temperature was reading above specifications due to a slipping belt on the mechanical refrigeration unit.

Immediate Corrective Action

The refrigeration unit was isolated and the drive belt was tightened, restoring the system to operation.

Scheduled Corrective Action

No further action required.

Action Taken To Prevent Recurrence

No further action required.

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