

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY  
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23261

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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director  
Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region II  
101 Marietta Street, Suite 3100  
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Serial No. 232  
PO/FHT:scj  
Docket No. 50-281

License No. DPR-37

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

We have reviewed your letter of March 30, 1979, in reference to the inspection conducted at Surry Power Station Unit No. 2 on March 6-9, 1979, and reported in I.E. Inspection Report No. 50-281/79-14. Our response to the specific deviation is attached.

We have determined that no proprietary information is contained in the report. Accordingly, Virginia Electric and Power Company has no objection to this inspection report being made a matter of public disclosure.

Very truly yours,

*C. M. Stallings*

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Vice President-Power Supply  
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Attachment

cc: Mr. Albert Schwencer

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RESPONSE TO VIOLATION  
NOTED IN IE INSPECTION REPORT  
NO. 50-281/79-14

A. NRC Comment:

As required by 10 CFR, Part 50, Appendix B, Criterion XVII, as implemented by VEPCO's licensing submittal (Steam Generator Project, Surry Power Station Units Nos. 1 and 2 - Revision 9), "Sufficient records shall be maintained to furnish evidence of activities affecting quality... Inspection and test records shall, as a minimum, identify the inspector or data recorder, the type of observation, the results, the acceptability, and the action taken in connection with any deficiencies noted. Records shall be identifiable and retrievable". Westinghouse Process Specifications NPT-91 and 94 require that the monitoring schedules for nitrogen pressure gage readings of primary and secondary sides of the steam generator lower assemblies shall be documented.

Contrary to the above, on March 8, 1979, the S.G. Lower assemblies identified as #2927, #2973 and #2981 had no official records for nitrogen pressure gage readings.

Response:

The item is correct as stated. The records for nitrogen pressure gage readings were informal.

1. Corrective steps which have been taken and results achieved:

Formal documentation was instituted on March 10, 1979.

Inspection and test records are being maintained in accordance with Westinghouse NPT 91, 94 and VEPCO Quality Assurance procedures.

2. Corrective steps taken to avoid further non-compliance:

The action taken above will preclude further non-compliance.

3. The date when full compliance will be achieved:

Full compliance was achieved on March 10, 1979.

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