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EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (11)

or safety due to this event.

CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

with the results of that investigation.

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NARRATIVE REPORT

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Reportable Occurrence Report No. 50-366/1980-073.

With the reactor in the run mode, while performing surveillance on Primary Containment Hydrogen Recombiner System, HNP-2-3607, the "B" recombinaer failed to operate. The redundant "A" recombinaer was in-operable because of a temperature problem as reported on LER 50-366/1980-068. The normal shutdown procedure, HNP-2-1020, was initiated as required by Tech. Specs. 3.6.6.2.b. The failure to start is not a repetitive event.

An investigation was started but the condition cleared before any deficiency was found. The "B" recombinaer was tested and proven operable. This allowed the shutdown procedure to be terminated. The "A" recombinaer was also returned to service following a procedural change of temperature set points. The "B" recombinaer was re-tested on May 17, 1980, and was operable per Primary Containment Hydrogen Recombiner System, HNP-2-3607.

Further investigation will continue as to the cause of this event. A follow-up report will be submitted with the results of that investigation.

There were no effects to public health or safety due to this event.