

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION

Date: July 24, 1980

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE--PNO-I-80-108

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information presented is as initially received without verification or evaluation and is basically all that is known by IE staff on this date.

Facility: Long Island Lighting Company
Shoreham Nuclear Power Station (DN 50-322)
Shoreham, New York

Subject: INJURY OF WORKER

On July 23, 1980 a painter was working with solvent inside a downcomer. The solvent "detonated" at about 2:10 p.m. The painter was taken to a hospital with burns covering an estimated 20-25% of his body.

This Preliminary Notification is issued for information only and no further action by IE is anticipated.

The licensee does not plan to issue a press release, but has responded to inquiries. Region I does not plan to issue a press release. The State of New York and Region II OSHA were notified on July 24, 1980.

NRC Region I received notification of this occurrence by telephone from an inspector on site at 4:45 p.m. on July 23, 1980.

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