Mr. R. C. Haynes, Director
Office of Inspection & Enforcement, Region I
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, PA 19406

Dear Mr. Haynes:

This LER deals with the downscale failure of the "B" Main Control Room air intake radiation monitor. Applicable Tech. Spec is 3.11.A.5.

U. S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

CONTROL BLOCK (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION)
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[0] 2 [While operating at power, the "B" Main Control Room intake air
[0]3 [radiation monitor failed downscale. The monitor is part of a 2 out of
0 4 2 trip logic to isolate the control room ventilation ducts and
o b initiate the emergency fresh air supply system on high radiation.
The failed channel was placed in the trip position. The redundant
instrument channel remained operable. Applicable Tech. Spec. is
OH 13.11.A.5.
SYSTEM CAUSE CODE SUBCODE COMPONENT CODE SUBCODE SUBCO
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CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (2) The cause of the failure was a defective Geiger-Mueller (G-M) tube
(GECo., Part No. 194X927G011). The G-M tube and associated
[1] electronics were replaced. The detector was calibrated and returned
to service on August 23, 1982.
FACILITY STATUS 1 1 E 28 1 0 0 29 NA NA METHOD OF DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION 32 A 31 Operator Observation 80 A 32 A 45 A 5
ACTIVITY CONTENT RELEASED OF RELEASE AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY 35 NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA N
PERSO: VEL EXPOSURES NUMBER TYPE DESCRIPTION 39 NA NA
PERSONNEL INJURIES NUMBER DESCRIPTION 41 NA
N 9 11 12 80 LOSS OF OR GAMAGE TO FACILITY (3) TYPE DESCRIPTION
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ISSUED DESCRIPTION (45) S
NAME OF PREPARER J. COONEY PHONE (215) 841-5020