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> SUBJECT: Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station Docket No. 50/395 Operating License No. NPF-12 Thirty Day Written Report LER 82-024

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

Please find attached Licensee Event Report #82-024 for Virgil C. Summer Nuclear Station. This Thirty Day Report is required by Technical Specification 6.9.1.13.(c) as a result of failure to satisfy Technical Specification 3.4.6.2, "Reactor Coolant System Operational Leakage," surveillance requirements on October 18, 1982.

Should there be any questions, please call us at your convenience.

Very truly yours, O. W. Dixon, Jr.

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#### DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF EVENT

On October 18, 1982, the Plant entered Mode 4 without performing Surveillance Test Procedure (STP) 114.002, "Operational Leak Test." Technical Specification 3.4.6.2. requires this surveillance to be performed prior to entering Mode 4.

#### PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES

There were no adverse consequences because the surveillance was satisfactorily performed the same day that Mode 4 was entered. Also, the Plant had not yet achieved initial criticality.

## CAUSE(S) OF THE OCCURRENCE

This event is attributed to procedural error. STP-114.002 requires the Reactor Coolant System (RCS) pressure to be 2235 psig before performing the subject surveillance test. At 2235 psig, the Plant is in Mode 4.

## IMMEDIATE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS TAKEN

Surveillance Test Procedure 114.002 was performed satisfactorily on October 18, 1982.

#### ACTION TAKEN TO PREVENT RECURRENCE

Surveillance Test Procedure 114.002 has been revised to comply with Technical Specification requirement.