

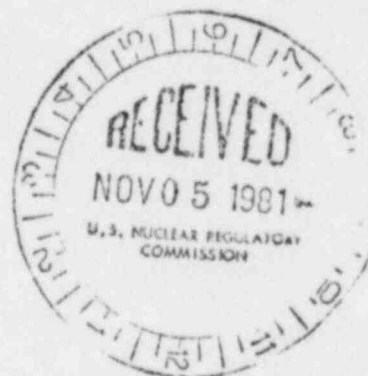


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PRAIRIE ISLAND NUCLEAR GENERATING PLANT
Docket No. 50-282 License No. DPR-42

Missed Operability Test of Fire Pump

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This event is reported in compliance with Technical Specification 6.7.B.2.(c), since it indicates an observed inadequacy in the implementation of administrative or procedural controls which threaten to cause reduction of degree of redundancy provided in reactor protection systems or engineered safety feature systems.

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