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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Report No .:

50-302/81-070/03L-0

Facility:

Crystal River Unit 3

Report Date:

November 10, 1981

Occurrence Date: October 13, 1981

Identification of Occurrence:

Various source range neutron flux monitoring requirements were not met during surveillance activities. These occurrences were contrary to Technical Specification 3.9.2.

Conditions Prior to Occurrence:

At 1333 on October 13, 1981, during performance of SP-112, Calibration of the Reactor Protection System, the count rate amplifier for NI-2 was found out-of-tolerance. At 0226, on October 14, 1981, during performance of SP-112, the rate of change amplifier for NI-2 was found out-of-tolerance. At 1117 on October 14, 1981, during performance of SP-220, Source kange Functional Tests During Refueling Operations, the source range detector loop for NI-2 was found out-of-tolerance. At 0330 on October 22, 1981, during core verification, the source range counts could not be heard in the containment.

Designation of Apparent Cause:

The cause of the occurrences for NI-2 is attributed to instrument drift. The loss of audible counts in containment was due to a grounded cable. Core alterations were suspended.

Analysis of Occurrence:

There was no effect upon the health or safety of the general

Corrective Action:

The instruments were recalibrated. The grounded cable was bypassed and operability was restored at 0550 on October 22, 1981. The cable was subsequently replaced. No further corrective action is deemed necessary.

Failure Data:

These were the third, fourth, and fifth occurrences for NI-2, the second occurrence for loss of audible counts in containment, and this is the fifth event reported under this Specification.