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Assigned LER Number 81-062/01X-0

Reported per T.S. Section 6.9.B.1.i.

Event Description: On 11/16/81, during refuel operations, Boston Edison received official notice from Wyle Labs. that two (2) Target Rock two-stage S/R Valves did not pass the initial setpoint tests and one did not actuate the main disk upon demand. The valves had severe pilot disk erosion and leaked at the base to body joint. This condition is being reported as a possible generic problem.

Cause & Corrective Action: The cause is unknown at present but is being evaluated by Wyle, Target Rock and Boston Edison. Target Rock also has been directed to repair the valves and re-submit to Wyle for re-certification.

Facility Status:

0 % Thermal MW

c) Routine Startup _____
d) Routine Shutdown _____
e) Steady State _____
f) Load Changing _____

g) Shutdown _____
h) Refueling X
i) Other _____
j) Not Applicable _____

A written followup report will be sent within two weeks.

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