

Virginia Electric and Power Company
North Anna Power Station, Unit No. 2
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Description of Event

On February 22, 1982, with Unit 2 at 30% power, the fire door between the 2J Emergency Diesel Generator Room and the Turbine Building would not latch and was declared inoperable. This event is contrary to T.S. 3.7.15 and reportable pursuant to T.S. 6.9.1.9.b.

Probable Consequences of Occurrence

Since a fire watch was posted within one hour as required by Technical Specifications, the public health and safety were not affected.

Cause of Event

The 2J Emergency Diesel Generator Fire Door lock tumbler rotated on its axis and would no longer engage the latch.

Immediate Corrective Action

A fire watch was posted within one hour as required by the Action Statement. The door lock tumbler was tightened in its housing, and the door was restored to service.

Scheduled Corrective Action

This type of failure is an isolated event. No further corrective action is necessary.

Actions Taken to Prevent Recurrence

No further action is required.

Generic Implications

The removing of fire doors from service in order to repair the door latches has been a generic problem with North Anna Units 1 and 2.