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Abstract

This monthly report contains Licensee Event Report (LER) operational information that was processed into the LER data file of the Nuclear Safety Information Center (NSIC) during the one month period identified on the cover of the document. The LERs, from which this information is derived, are submitted to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) by nuclear power plant licensees in accordance with federal regulations. Procedures for LER reporting are described in detail in NRC Regulatory Guide 1.16 and NUREG-0161, *Instructions for Preparation of Data Entry Sheets for Licensee Event Reports*. The LER summaries in this report are arranged alphabetically by facility name and then chronologically by event date for each facility. Component, system, and keyword indexes follow the summaries. The components and systems are those identified by the utility when the LER form is initiated; the keywords are assigned by the NSIC staff when the summaries are prepared for computer entry.

This report for June 1982 continues the transition for the use of LERs processed into the NRC-NIH data file to the use of LERs processed into the NSIC data file. In order to ensure an orderly transition and provide complete coverage, a cross-check of the two data files is still being performed. This monthly report includes a few LERs for 1981 that have not been included in previous monthly reports. Questions concerning this report or its contents should be directed to either

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[ 1 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 1                            DOCKET 50-313            LER 82-006  
 LOW FLOW IN CONTROL ROOM VENTILATION SYSTEM.  
 EVENT DATE: 031682    REPORT DATE: 040182            NSSS: BW            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONT ROOM HABITBLTY SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: FAN SUCTION DIAMETER IS TOO SMALL.

(NSIC 173004) THE CONTROL ROOM EMERGENCY AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEM FAN, VSF-9, INDICATED LOW AIR FLOW OF LESS THAN 90% OF DESIGN FLOW DURING ITS 18 MONTH SURVEILLANCE TEST. TECH SPEC 3.9.1.C REQUIRES THAT FANS BE SHOWN TO OPERATE WITHIN +/- 10% OF DESIGN FLOW. FAN 2VSF-9 WAS OPERABLE AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 3.9.2. THIS OCCURRENCE IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.12.3.2(B). THE DIAMETER OF THE SUCTION RESTRICTION OF FAN VSF-9 WAS DETERMINED TO BE LESS THAN NEEDED FOR NORMAL OPERATION OF THE SYSTEM. DURING INSTALLATION THE DIAMETER OF THE SUCTION RESTRICTION WAS DETERMINED BY THE ORIGINAL AIR BALANCE.

[ 2 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 1                            DOCKET 50-313            LER 82-008  
 CONTAINMENT COOLER ISOLATION VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 032982    REPORT DATE: 042182            NSSS: BW            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PNEUMATIC RELAY FAILURE.

(NSIC 173010) THE REACTOR BUILDING (RB) ISOLATION VALVE FOR THE RB COOLERS CHILLED WATER SUPPLY, CV-6202, WOULD NOT COMPLETELY CLOSE DURING THE STROKE TEST WHICH IS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 4.4.1.4. THIS OCCURRENCE IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.12.3.2(B). THE O-RINGS IN THE PNEUMATIC RELAY IN THE AIR SUPPLY TO VALVE CV-6202 FAILED AND CAUSED THE RELAY TO GO TO AN INTERMEDIATE POSITION. THIS PREVENTED THE VALVE CV-6202 FROM GOING FULLY CLOSED OR FULLY OPEN, BECAUSE THE FAILED PNEUMATIC RELAY PROVIDED BOTH AN AIR SUPPLY PATH AND A VENT PATH. THE PNEUMATIC RELAY IS INSTALLED IN PARALLEL WITH THE AIR SUPPLY SOLENOID VALVES FOR THE ACTUATOR OF VALVE CV-6202 AND IS A BACKUP TO ASSURE VALVE CLOSURE UPON LOSS OF INSTRUMENT AIR. THE RELAY WAS REPAIRED AND REINSTALLED. FUNCTIONAL CHECKS PROVED SATISFACTORY. VALVE CV-6202 WAS TESTED AND PROVED OPERABLE.

[ 3 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2                            DOCKET 50-368            LER 81-034 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON CHECK VALVE FAILURES DUE TO MANUFACTURING ERROR.  
 EVENT DATE: 100181    REPORT DATE: 012582            NSSS: CE            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: MANUFACTURING ERROR.

(NSIC 172797) WHILE DISASSEMBLING AN EMERGENCY FEEDWATER PUMP TURBINE STEAM SUPPLY CHECK VALVE TO REPAIR A MINOR HINGE PIN LEAK, INTERNAL DAMAGE WAS DISCOVERED. THE VALVE COUNTERPART ON THE OTHER STEAM GENERATOR ASO HEADER WAS DISASSEMBLED REVEALING SIMILAR RESULTS. VALVE 2MS-39A HAD THE DISK STUD BROKEN FROM THE DISK, AND THE DISK STUD, STUD NUT AND WASHER WERE MISSING. VALVE 2MS-39B HAD THE DISK STUD NUT AND WASHER MISSING. AT FACTORY ASSEMBLY, WIRE WAS USED TO HOLD THE DISK STUD RETAINER NUT ON INSTEAD OF A PIN AS PER THE DESIGN DRAWING. THE WIRE APPARENTLY BROKE AND ALLOWED THE NUT TO BACKOFF. THE DAMAGED PARTS WERE REMOVED AND REPLACED WITH NEW PARTS. SEARCH FOR THE MISSING PARTS WAS CONDUCTED, AND ALL OF THE PARTS WERE FOUND WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE NUT. THE VALVE INVOLVED IS AN ANCHOR VALVE COMPANY 4" SWING CHECK VALVES.

[ 4 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2                            DOCKET 50-368            LER 81-035  
 LPSI PUMP INOPERABLE DUE TO LOW SW FLOW.  
 EVENT DATE: 100581    REPORT DATE: 102381            NSSS: CE            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: STATION SERV WATER SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
 CAUSE: CORROSION PRODUCTS IN PIPE.

(NSIC 172914) A SCHEDULED SPECIAL ENGINEERING TEST WAS BEING PERFORMED TO VERIFY

ADEQUATE FLOW THROUGH COMPONENTS IN THE SERVICE WATER SYSTEM. FLOW MEASUREMENTS ON THE SEAL WATER COOLER, 2E52B, FOR B LOW PRESSURE SAFETY INJECTION PUMP INDICATED 3.5 GPM VICE THE REQUIRED 8GPM. THE PUMP WAS THEREFORE TECHNICALLY INOPERABLE. REPORTABLE UNDER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.B. A SMALL LENGTH OF 1/2 INCH CARBON STEEL PIPE AT THE COOLFR SUPPLY AND RETURN WAS PARTIALLY PLUGGED WITH CORROSION PRODUCTS. PIPING CONVERTED TO STAINLESS STEEL IN THE PAST HAS EXHIBITED LITTLE CORROSION. THIS SECTION OF THE CARBON STEEL PIPING WAS REPLACED WITH STAINLESS STEEL. THE COOLER WAS OPENED AND FOUND TO BE CLEAN. THE FLOW-RATE THROUGH THE COOLER IS NOW WITHIN SPECIFICATIONS. TO PREVENT A SIMILAR OCCURRENCE, THE SAME ACTIONS WERE ACCOMPLISHED ON "A" LOW PRESSURE SAFETY INJECTION PUMP.

[ 5 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2                            DOCKET 50-368            LER 82-007 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON CHARGING LINE LEAKS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021682    REPORT DATE: 042282            NSSS: CE                            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CHEM, VOL CONT & LIQ POISN SYS    COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
 CAUSE: VIBRATION INDUCED CRACKING.

(NSIC 173133) ON 2/16/82, A LEAK WAS DISCOVERED IN A WELD FOR A DRAIN LINE OF THE SUCTION BLADDER OF CHARGING PUMP 2P-36C. ON 4/4/82 A LEAK WAS DISCOVERED IN A WELD ON THE SUCTION ACCUMULATOR VENT LINE. BOTH LEAKS WERE SMALL AND DRAINED TO THE RADWASTE SYSTEM. THE 2/16/82 OCCURRENCE WAS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9(D). ONLY CHARGING PUMP 2P-36B WAS CONSIDERED OPERABLE AFTER THE 4/4/82 LEAK WAS DISCOVERED CAUSING ENTRY INTO THE ACTION STATEMENT OF TECH SPEC 3.1.2.4. THEREFORE, THE 4/4/82 OCCURRENCE IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9(B) AND TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9(D). SIMILAR TO LERS 50-368/81-001, 80-090, 80-019, AND 79-031. THE CAUSE OF THE FAILURES IS BELIEVED TO BE VIBRATION INDUCED CRACKING. IN BOTH CASES THE WELD WAS REPAIRED, AND PUMP 2P-36C WAS PROVED OPERABLE AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. AN ENGINEERING EVALUATION IS UNDERWAY TO DETERMINE LONG TERM CORRECTIVE ACTION.

[ 6 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2                            DOCKET 50-368            LER 82-012  
 CHARGING PUMP LEAKS.  
 EVENT DATE: 033182    REPORT DATE: 042182            NSSS: CE                            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CHEM, VOL CONT & LIQ POISN SYS    COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: CRACKED CYLINDER HEAD.

(NSIC 173134) CHARGING PUMP 2P-36A WAS FOUND TO BE LEAKING DURING A ROUTINE OPERATIONS TOUR. PUMP 2P-36A WAS OPERATING AT THE TIME OF THE DISCOVERY. CHARGING PUMPS 2P-36B & 2P-36C WERE OPERABLE AT THE TIME OF THE OCCURRENCE. THE LEAK WAS SMALL AND DRAINED TO THE RADWASTE SYSTEM. THIS OCCURRENCE IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.D. AS AN ABNORMAL DEGRADATION OF A SYSTEM DESIGNED TO CONTAIN RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL. THE CAUSE OF THE LEAK WAS A CRACKED CYLINDER HEAD. THE PUMP 2P-36A WAS TAKEN OUT OF SERVICE AND DECLARED INOPERABLE. PUMPS 2P-36B AND 2P-36C WERE LINED UP TO SATISFY TECH SPEC 3.1.2.4. PUMP 2P-36A WILL BE REPAIRED UPON RECEIPT OF REPLACEMENT PARTS. AN ENGINEERING EVALUATION WILL BE PERFORMED TO DETERMINE ROOT CAUSE AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS.

[ 7 ]            ARKANSAS NUCLEAR 2                            DOCKET 50-368            LER 82-009  
 CONTROL ELEMENT ASSEMBLY CALCULATOR FAILS DURING TEST.  
 EVENT DATE: 040182    REPORT DATE: 042282            NSSS: CE                            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHR INST SYS REQD FOR SAFETY    COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: COMPUTER SCAN INCONSISTENCY.

(NSIC 173132) CONTROL ELEMENT ASSEMBLY CALCULATOR (CEAC) NO. 2 FAILED DURING PERFORMANCE OF AN EXCORE INSTRUMENT TEST ON CHANNEL 'D'. CORE PROTECTION CALCULATOR (CPC) CHANNELS WERE PLACED IN CEAC NO. 2 INOPERABLE. LOGGING OF CEA POSITIONS EVERY 4 HOURS WAS INITIATED AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 3.3.1.1. THE















PREPARING AN ACTION PLAN REGARDING THIS DESIGN CHANGE WHICH WILL BE FORWARDED TO NRC IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

[ 26 ]        BROWNS FERRY 1                                DOCKET 50-259        LER 82-010  
 STACK MONITOR INOPERABLE DUE TO LOW FLOW.  
 EVENT DATE: 011282    REPORT DATE: 020982        NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS    COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: FROZEN SAMPLE LINE.

(NSIC 172950) STACK MONITOR WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AFTER LOW-FLOW ALARM. THE FIRST OF THE REQUIRED HOURLY SAMPLES WAS DETERMINED TO BE NONREPRESENTATIVE. (TECH SPEC 3.8.B.1). THIS MONITOR IS COMMON TO ALL UNITS. A 6-FOOT SEGMENT OF SAMPLE LINE, (HEAT TRACED BUT NOT INSULATED) FROZE, DUE TO SEVERE COLD WEATHER, INHIBITING SAMPLE FLOW TO MONITOR WHICH IN TURN INHIBITED TAKING THE FIRST HOURLY SAMPLE. SAMPLING CONTINUED AS THE SAMPLE LINE THAWED COMPLETELY. SEGMENT WAS THEN INSULATED.

[ 27 ]        BROWNS FERRY 1                                DOCKET 50-259        LER 82-007  
 METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTATION FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 011382    REPORT DATE: 020882        NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS    COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: FREEZING WEATHER.

(NSIC 172942) O-XR-90-104 LOST INDICATION FOR WIND DIRECTION AND WIND SPEED CHANNEL C, ELEVATION 887 MSL. (TECH SPEC TABLE 3.2.I.) THIS INSTRUMENTATION IS COMMON TO UNITS 1, 2, AND 3. PREVIOUS SIMILAR EVENT: BFRO-50-259/80021. THE ANEMOMETER (WIND SPEED) AND VANE (WIND DIRECTION) ICED UP. THE CLIMET MODEL 011-1 ANEMOMETER AND MODEL 012-10 VANE WERE ALLOWED TO THAW AND THEN RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[ 28 ]        BROWNS FERRY 1                                DOCKET 50-259        LER 82-008  
 REFUELING FLOOR AIR MONITOR PUMP FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 011682    REPORT DATE: 020982        NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT AIR PURI & CLEANUP SYS    COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: PUMP BELT FAILS DUE TO WEAR.

(NSIC 172944) CAM 1-90-250 (REFUEL FLOOR) WAS RENDERED INOPERABLE DUE TO A BROKEN DRIVE BELT. (T.S. 3.8.B.8). PREVIOUS SIMILAR EVENT: BFRO-50-296/81063. THE CAUSE IS NORMAL WEAR DUE TO CONTINUOUS OPERATION. THE STANDARD V-BELT FOR THE SCHWITZER MODEL 325 SERIES AIR PUMP WAS REPLACED AND THE CONTINUOUS AIR MONITOR RETURNED TO SERVICE. AN INSPECTION OF V-BELTS HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE MONTHLY SURVEILLANCE OF THESE CAMS.

[ 29 ]        BROWNS FERRY 1                                DOCKET 50-259        LER 82-009  
 RELAY ROOM SMOKE DETECTOR FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 011782    REPORT DATE: 021182        NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT        COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: AGING OF DETECTOR.

(NSIC 172949) A SMOKE DETECTOR IN THE RELAY ROOM ALARMED AND WOULD NOT CLEAR. THE ALARM COULD HAVE MASKED SIGNALS FROM DETECTORS WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO BE OPERABLE BY TECH SPEC 3.11.C.1. PREVIOUS SIMILAR EVENTS: BFRO-50-259/81002, 80041, 79015, 78009, 78001; 260/81036; 296/78028, 78026, 78023, 78017, 78009, 77009. INCREASED DETECTOR SENSITIVITY DUE TO NORMAL, NATURAL AGING WAS THE CAUSE. THERE ARE ALMOST 800 SMOKE DETECTORS IN THE PLANT, AND IT IS NORMAL TO HAVE AN OCCASIONAL FAILURE OF THIS TYPE. THE KIDDE FT-200 IONIZATION SMOKE DETECTOR WAS REPLACED AND SUCCESSFULLY TESTED.







EVENT THERE WERE NO PLANNED LEVEL CHANGES WHICH WOULD HAVE ALERTED THE CONTROL OPERATOR OF THE INSTRUMENTS' INOPERABILITY. IT IS FELT THAT PRESENT PLANT PROCEDURES, WHICH REQUIRE A LEVEL INSTRUMENTATION COMPARISON PRIOR TO ANY PLANNED LEVEL CHANGES, ARE SUFFICIENT IN THE PREVENTION OF FUTURE SIMILAR EVENTS.

[ 41 ] BRUNSWICK 1 DOCKET 50-325 LER 82-034  
 REACTOR PRESSURE INDICATOR READING INCORRECT.  
 EVENT DATE: 030482 REPORT DATE: 032982 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SYS REQD FOR SAFE SHUTDOWN COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INDICATOR FAILURE.

(NSIC 173101) ROUTINE SURVEILLANCE REVEALED THAT REACTOR PRESSURE INDICATOR 1-C32-PI-3332, LOCATED ON THE REMOTE SHUTDOWN PANEL, SHOWED 1,030 PSI WHILE ACTUAL PRESSURE WAS 1,000 PSI. THE INDICATOR WAS THEN DECLARED INOPERABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPECS. SEE TECH SPECS 3.3.5.2, 6.9.1.9B. A CALIBRATION CHECK DETERMINATION THAT THE INDICATOR WAS OUT OF TOLERANCE, COMBINED WITH A FAILED INDICATOR CONVERSION RESISTOR, R5, CAUSED THIS EVENT. THE INDICATOR, MODEL NO. 1151, AND THE CONVERSION RESISTOR WERE REPLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MANUFACTURER'S RECOMMENDATIONS AND THE INDICATOR WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[ 42 ] BRUNSWICK 1 DOCKET 50-325 LER 82-035  
 RHRSW PRESSURE TRANSMITTER FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030482 REPORT DATE: 032982 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SYS REQD FOR SAFE SHUTDOWN COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: CORROSION OF MODULE DIAPHRAGM.

(NSIC 173106) WHILE PERFORMING THE CALIBRATION OF RHRSW DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE INSTRUMENTATION LOCATED ON THE REMOTE SHUTDOWN PANEL, PT-55.9PC, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE OUTPUT OF RHRSW D/P TRANSMITTER, 1-E11-PDT-N002BX, REMAINED CONSTANT REGARDLESS OF THE INPUT SIGNAL. AS A RESULT, THE TRANSMITTER AND ITS ASSOCIATED INDICATOR, 1-E11-PDI-3344, WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC. SEE TECH SPECS 3.3.5.2, 6.9.1.9B. A FAILURE OF THE TRANSMITTER SENSOR MODULE OCCURRED DUE TO CORROSION OF THE MODULE DIAPHRAGM RESULTING IN THE CONSTANT TRANSMITTER OUTPUT SIGNAL. THE SENSOR MODULE WAS REPLACED. THE TRANSMITTER, MODEL NO. 1152, WAS CALIBRATED AND THE PT WAS SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED.

[ 43 ] BRUNSWICK 1 DOCKET 50-325 LER 82-039  
 CONTAINMENT INTEGRITY BREACHED WHEN AIRLOCK DOORS OPEN.  
 EVENT DATE: 031282 REPORT DATE: 040982 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: PENETRATIONS, PRIMARY CONTAIN  
 CAUSE: LOOSE AND MISSING SCREWS ON DOOR INTERLOCK.

(NSIC 173107) BOTH REACTOR BUILDING 20 FOOT ELEVATION PERSONNEL AIRLOCK DOORS WERE SIMULTANEOUSLY OPENED CAUSING A BREACH OF SECONDARY CONTAINMENT INTEGRITY. THE DOORS WERE IMMEDIATELY CLOSED AND ACCESS WAS RESTRICTED THROUGH THIS AIRLOCK UNTIL THE PROBLEM WAS CORRECTED. SEE TECH SPEC 3.6.5.1, 6.9.1.9B. TWO OF FOUR FASTENING SCREWS FOR THE OUTER DOOR INTERLOCK DEVICE COVER PLATE WERE MISSING AND THE REMAINING TWO WERE LOOSE. THIS CAUSED MECHANICAL BINDING OF THE INTERLOCK ALLOWING CONCURRENT OPENING OF THE DOORS. THE MISSING SCREWS WERE REPLACED AND ALL FOUR SCREWS WERE TIGHTENED USING LOCTITE AND THE AIRLOCK INTERLOCK SYSTEM, FOLGER-ADAM CO. 40-AL ELECTRIC BOLT ASSEMBLY, WAS THEN RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[ 44 ] BRUNSWICK 1 DOCKET 50-325 LER 82-040  
 CONTAINMENT MULTIPOINT TEMPERATURE RECORDER PRINTS ERRATICALLY.  
 EVENT DATE: 031982 REPORT DATE: 041482 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS













CONTAINMENT ATMOSPHERIC HYDROGEN ANALYZER, 2-CAC-AT-1263-1, INDICATED A 0% TO 1.8% CHANGE IN HYDROGEN CONCENTRATION IN THE DRYWELL. ON 3-25-82 A 3% HYDROGEN CONCENTRATION CHANGE WAS OBSERVED. IN EACH CASE THE REDUNDANT ANALYZER, 2-CAC-AT-1259-1, INDICATED A NORMALLY EXPECTED 0% HYDROGEN CONCENTRATION IN THE DRYWELL. TECH SPECS 3.3.5.3, 3.6.6.4, 6.9.1.9B. THE 1263-1 ANALYZER OUTPUT SIGNAL COARSE SPAN ADJUSTMENT POTENTIOMETER, R3, AND COARSE ZERO ADJUSTMENT POTENTIOMETER, R5, WERE BOTH ERRATIC DUE TO DIRTY CONTACTS. IN EACH CASE, BOTH POTENTIOMETERS WERE DISASSEMBLED AND CLEANED. THE 1263-1, MODEL NO. 7C6A-1A3AX, WAS THEN CALIBRATED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[ 59 ] CALVERT CLIFFS 1 DOCKET 50-317 LER 81-002 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON LOW AFWS FLOW RATE.  
 EVENT DATE: 011181 REPORT DATE: 120781 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: FLOW RATE WAS ABOVE MINIMUM.

(NSIC 172806) AFTER THOROUGH INVESTIGATION IT WAS CONCLUDED THAT THE FACTS UNDERLYING THE EVENT DID NOT MEET THE CRITERIA FOR SUBMISSION OF AN LER. THE DESIGN AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW RATE WAS ALWAYS MAINTAINED ABOVE THE MINIMUM REQUIRED, ALTHOUGH THAT WAS NOT INITIALLY CLEAR TO PERSONNEL IN THE FIELD AT THE PLANT.

[ 60 ] CALVERT CLIFFS 1 DOCKET 50-317 LER 81-074 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON POTENTIALLY UNCONSERVATIVE CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 102281 REPORT DATE: 120181 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: COOL SYS FOR REAC AUX & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 172907) PLANT PERSONNEL DISCOVERED THAT COMPONENT COOLING ISOLATION VALVE TO CONTAINMENT CC-3832-CV, WOULD FAIL OPEN ON LOSS OF INSTRUMENT AIR (IA), FAILING THE VALVE IN THE UNCONSERVATIVE POSITION. THE VALVE WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE (T.S. 3.7.3.1). IN ACCORDANCE WITH T.S. 3.0.3, SHUTDOWN BEGAN AT 15:5. A MODIFICATION WAS MADE SO THE VALVE WOULD FAIL ON LOSS OF IA. THE MODIFICATION WAS COMPLETED, VALVE TESTED AND DECLARED OPERABLE AT 2000. SIMILAR EVENT: 50-318/81-45. THE INCIDENT APPEARS TO BE AN ISOLATED EVENT. VALVE HAS BEEN CONFIGURED TO FAIL OPEN ON A LOSS OF INSTRUMENT AIR SINCE BEFORE AN OPERATING LICENSE WAS ISSUED. A FACILITY CHANGE REQUEST TO MODIFY VALVE WAS NOT IMPLEMENTED DUE TO FAILURE OF ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS WHICH HAVE BEEN REVISED AND SHOULD NOW ADEQUATELY PREVENT FUTURE SIMILAR INCIDENTS.

[ 61 ] CALVERT CLIFFS 1 DOCKET 50-317 LER 82-015  
 PRESSURIZER LEVEL EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 040782 REPORT DATE: 042382 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: LICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 173013) WHILE PERFORMING MAINTENANCE ON PRESSURE TRANSMITTER - 102C, PRESSURIZER (PZR) LEVEL EXCEEDED THE  $\pm$  5% PROGRAMMED BAND (TECH SPEC 3.4.4). PARTIAL DRAINING OF THE COMMON REFERENCE LEG FOR PT-102C AND LT-110Y CAUSED AN OSCILLATION IN PZR LEVEL SUCH THAT LEVEL INCREASED TO 230 INCHES, A 6.5% DIFFERENCE FROM THE PROGRAMMED LEVEL. PZR LEVEL WAS RESTORED TO THE  $\pm$  5% BAND. THE CAUSE OF THIS INCIDENT WAS FAILURE ON THE PART OF THE CONTROL ROOM OPERATOR AND TECHNICIAN TO REALIZE THE COMMONALITY OF THE REFERENCE LEG FOR PT-102C AND LT-110Y. THIS INCIDENT HAS BEEN DISCUSSED WITH THE PERSONNEL INVOLVED. ADDITIONALLY, ALL I&C TECHNICIANS AND LICENSED OPERATORS WILL BE INFORMED OF THE DETAILS OF THIS EVENT.

[ 62 ] CALVERT CLIFFS 2 DOCKET 50-318 LER 82-014  
 CONTAMINATED OIL ADDED TO DIESEL GENERATOR LUBE OIL SYSTEM.  
 EVENT DATE: 030482 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG GENERATOR SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: ENGINES, INTERNAL COMBUSTION  
 CAUSE: INADEQUATE PROCEDURES.

(NSIC 172823) AT 0140, AN OPERATOR WAS SAMPLING OIL FROM #21 EMERGENCY DIESEL GENERATOR (EDG) LUBE OIL DAY TANK PRIOR TO RETURNING IT TO SERVICE, WHEN HE OBSERVED THE OIL TO BE CONTAMINATED WITH FREE STANDING WATER PRESENT. THIS IS CONSIDERED REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.C. THE EDG REMAINED OPERABLE AS NO CONTAMINATED OIL ENTERED THE CRANKCASE. CONTAMINATED OIL WAS REPLACED AND GOOD OIL ADDED. LUBE OIL DAY TANK WAS FILLED THE PREVIOUS DAY WITH A BARREL OF UNSAMPLED OIL WHICH WAS FOUND TO HAVE A SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF WATER AND SEDIMENT. A RADCHEM PROCEDURE TO ESTABLISH A PROGRAM FOR SAMPLING OIL AND SIMILAR CONSUMABLES PRIOR TO USE IS BEING FORMULATED AND WILL BE COMPLETE BY APRIL 30, 1982.

[ 63 ] COOK 1 DOCKET 50-315 LER 82-014  
 FEEDWATER ISOLATION VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE DURING REACTOR TRIP.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDENSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: CORROSION IN VALVE OPERATOR CONNECTION BOX.

(NSIC 172838) DURING A REACTOR TRIP COINCIDENT WITH A LOW TAVG, FEEDWATER ISOLATION VALVE FMO-203 FAILED TO CLOSE ON A FEEDWATER ISOLATION SIGNAL, CONTRARY TO REQUIREMENTS OF TECH SPEC TABLE 3.3-3, ITEM 1. THE OTHER FEEDWATER ISOLATION VALVES DID CLOSE. THE VALVE WAS REPAIRED PRIOR TO UNIT STARTUP. THE APPARENT CAUSE WAS A BUILDUP OF CORROSION PRODUCTS WITHIN THE LIMITORQUE ACTUATOR ELECTRICAL CONNECTION BOX. THE SOURCE OF CORROSION PRODUCTS COULD NOT BE DETERMINED. THE SWITCH CONTACTS WERE CLEANED AND ADJUSTED. THE VALVE WAS TESTED. SIMILAR VALVES IN BOTH UNITS WERE INSPECTED. NO EVIDENCE OF CORROSION WAS FOUND.

[ 64 ] COOK 1 DOCKET 50-315 LER 82-015  
 PRESSURIZER PRESSURE BELOW REQUIREMENT DURING COOLDOWN TRANSIENT.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SYSTEMS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: PROBLEMS WITH INITIAL PRESSURE LIMITER CIRCUITS.

(NSIC 172840) A POWER INCREASE WAS IN PROGRESS USING THE TURBINE LOAD LIMITER TO INCREASE TURBINE LOAD. AT 46%, THE TURBINE WOULD NOT ACCEPT ADDITIONAL LOAD. WHILE ATTEMPTING TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE, THE SETPOINT WAS INCREASED ON THE INITIAL PRESSURE LIMITER AND A TURBINE RUNBACK OCCURRED. THE COOLDOWN ASSOCIATED WITH FEEDWATER ADDITIONS AND STEAM DUMP OPERATION TO DECREASE TAVG/TREF DEVIATION CAUSED PRESSURIZER PRESSURE TO DECREASE TO 2204 PSIG FOR APPROXIMATELY ONE MINUTE. THIS IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.2.5. THE CAUSE OF THE TRANSIENT WAS TRACED TO PROBLEMS IN THE INITIAL PRESSURE LIMITER CIRCUITS. PLACING THE AUTOMATIC ROD CONTROL SYSTEM IN AUTOMATIC PARTWAY THROUGH THE TRANSIENT AND MANUAL OPERATION OF STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL CONTROL MAY HAVE ADVERSELY AFFECTED THE OVERALL SYSTEM RESPONSE. THE INITIAL PRESSURE LIMITER CIRCUITRY WAS REMOVED FROM THE CONTROL SYSTEM.

[ 65 ] COOK 2 DOCKET 50-316 LER 81-055 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON GAS RELEASE FROM VCT.  
 EVENT DATE: 110181 REPORT DATE: 120281 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: GAS RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LEAKY VALVE.









DUCTWORK WAS ISOLATED. NEW DUCTWORK WAS FABRICATED USING STRONGER MATERIAL AND SOCKET WELDS. LOWERED NITROGEN MAKEUP LINE RELIEF SETPOINT. BRIEFED OPERATORS TO SECURE NITROGEN ON GROUP ISOLATION. DESIGN TO ELIMINATE NITROGEN MAKEUP FROM DUCTWORK TO THE BE DONE DURING MAY 1982 OUTAGE.

[ 76 ] COOPER DOCKET 50-298 LER 82-007  
 DRYWELL TO TORUS PRESSURE DROP FALLS BELOW LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 032482 REPORT DATE: 042282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: OTHER COMPONENTS  
 CAUSE: RHR TEST LINE DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 173000) PERFORMANCE OF S.P. 6.3.5.1 RESULTED IN UNCOVERING A DOWNCOMER CAUSING DRYWELL TO TORUS DP TO BE REDUCED BELOW TECH SPEC 3.7.E REQUIREMENTS, DP REMAINED AT 0.95 PSID OR HIGHER AND WAS RESTORED TO 1 PSID WITHIN ONE HOUR. DRYWELL/TORUS DP REDUCED BELOW TECH SPEC WHEN DOWNCOMER IN TORUS UNCOVERED BY FLOW WAVE WHILE RUNNING RHR FULL FLOW TEST. DP WAS RESTORED. DESIGN CHANGE TO REDIRECT TEST LINE RETURN FLOW TO BE ACCOMPLISHED MAY 1982.

[ 77 ] CRYSTAL RIVER 3 DOCKET 50-302 LER 82-008  
 LETDOWN COOLER LEAKS.  
 EVENT DATE: 012782 REPORT DATE: 022682 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC COOL CLEANUP SYS & CONT COMPONENT: HEAT EXCHANGERS  
 CAUSE: TUBE TO SHELL LEAK.

(NSIC 173137) AN INCREASING ACTIVITY LEVEL WAS FOUND IN THE SERVICE WATER SYSTEM AT RML-3. AN RCS LEAK OF LESS THAN 0.1 GALLON PER MINUTE WAS DISCOVERED IN LETDOWN COOLER 'A'. THIS CREATED AN EVENT REPORTABLE UNDER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.D. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT IS ATTRIBUTED TO A TUBE-TO-SHELL LEAK IN LETDOWN COOLER 'A'. LETDOWN COOLER 'A' WAS ISOLATED AND WILL BE REPLACED.

[ 78 ] CRYSTAL RIVER 3 DOCKET 50-302 LER 82-009  
 TWO CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVES FAIL TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 020482 REPORT DATE: 031682 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: TORQUE SWITCHES OUT OF ADJUSTMENT.

(NSIC 172843) AT 0400, DURING PERFORMANCE OF SP-435, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVES MUV-259 AND 260 FAILED TO CLOSE. THIS CREATED AN EVENT NOT ATTRIBUTED TO A SPECIFIC SHUTDOWN ACTIVITY AS REQUIRED BY REG. GUIDE 1.16, AND THEREFORE, CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC. 3.6.3.1. REDUNDANCY IS PROVIDED BY MUV-253. MAINTENANCE WAS INITIATED AND OPERABILITY WAS RESTORED TO MUV-259 AND 260 ON 2/5/82. THE CAUSE OF MUV-259 AND 260 FAILING TO CLOSE CAN BE ATTRIBUTED TO INSUFFICIENT TORQUE SWITCH SETTING. THE TORQUE SWITCH SETTINGS WERE INCREASED. MUV-259 AND 260 WERE TESTED SATISFACTORILY PER SP-435. MP-402 WILL BE REVISED TO ENSURE THAT TORQUE SWITCH SETTINGS ARE MAINTAINED ABOVE THE MINIMUM TORQUE SETTING REQUIRED TO OPERATE LIMITORQUE VALVES.

[ 79 ] CRYSTAL RIVER 3 DOCKET 50-302 LER 82-010  
 RADIATION MONITOR FAILS ON THREE OCCASIONS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021782 REPORT DATE: 031782 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AREA MONITORING SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: WATER FROM ROOF LEAKS.

(NSIC 172856) AT 2050, DURING NORMAL SHUTDOWN OPERATION, RMG-14 FAILED AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. THIS CREATED AN EVENT CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.3.3.1. CHEM/RAD DEPARTMENT WAS NOTIFIED AND MAINTENANCE WAS INITIATED. OPERABILITY WAS RESTORED ON 2/18/82. THIS SAME EVENT OCCURRED WITH RMG-14 ON 2/22/82 AND





ONGOING EFFORTS IN GENERAL ORIENTATION AND REQUALIFICATION CLASSES AS WELL AS SPECIAL CLASSES WITH THE CONTRACTORS.

[ 83 ]        DAVIS-BESSE 1                                DOCKET 50-346        LER 82-011  
 DROPPED ROD CAUSES QUADRANT POWER TILT.  
 EVENT DATE: 022582        REPORT DATE: 032582        NSSS: BW            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTIVITY CONTROL SYSTEMS        COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: BLOWN FUSE.

(NSIC 172875) AT 0320 HOURS DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF ST 5013.04, CONTROL ROD EXERCISING TEST, CONTROL ROD 5-2 DROPPED TO 0% WITHDRAWN. THE STATION ENTERED THE ACTION STATEMENT OF TECH SPEC 3.1.3.1. THE DROPPED ROD IN QUADRANT X-Y CAUSED QUADRANT POWER TILT TO INCREASE TO APPROXIMATELY 9% IN QUADRANT WX AND ZW IN EXCESS OF THE TRANSIENT LIMIT BUT LESS THAN THE MAXIMUM LIMIT OF TECH SPEC 3.2.4. THE CAUSE OF THE ROD DROP WAS A BLOWN FUSE IN THE TRANSFER SWITCH MODULE ASSEMBLY 'B' PHASE. THIS APPEARS TO BE A RANDOM FUSE FAILURE AS THE UNIT HAS NOT EXPERIENCED DIFFICULTIES PRIOR TO THIS EVENT. THE BLOWN FUSE WAS REPLACED AT 0530 HOURS. ROD 5-2 WAS DECLARED OPERABLE AT 550 HOURS ON FEBRUARY 25, 1982. AT 0650 HOURS, THE QUADRANT POWER TILT HAD RETURNED TO BELOW THE STEADY STATE LIMIT.

[ 84 ]        DAVIS-BESSE 1                                DOCKET 50-346        LER 82-013  
 SAFETY FEATURES ACTUATION CHANNEL FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030282        REPORT DATE: 033182        NSSS: BW            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS        COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: WIRING AND CIRCUIT BOARD FAILURES.

(NSIC 172872) AT 2116 HOURS, RE 2007 IN SAFETY FEATURES ACTUATION SYSTEM (SFAS) CHANNEL 4 FAILED LOW. THE LOW RADIATION BISTABLE TRIPPED WHICH GAVE THE ALARM TO THE CONTROL ROOM OPERATOR. PER TECH SPEC 3.3.2.1 THE HIGH RADIATION BISTABLE WAS TRIPPED. AT 1905 HOURS ON 3/6/82 AND AT 1046 HOURS ON 3/7/82, RE 2007 AGAIN FAILED LOW. THE REMAINING THREE SFAS CHANNELS WERE OPERABLE THROUGHOUT THESE OCCURRENCES. THE CAUSE OF THE FAILURE ON 3/2/82 WAS DETERMINED TO BE A BROKEN WIRE IN THE CABLE CONNECTOR IN PENETRATION BOX P4LIGX. UNDER MWO IC-193-82, THE CABLE CONNECTOR WAS RETERMINATED AND THE SFAS CHANNEL RETURNED TO SERVICE ON 3/4/82. THE DETECTOR WAS REPLACED 3/7/82 UNDER MWO IC-216-82. ST 5031.04 WAS RUN AND THE SFAS CHANNEL RETURNED TO SERVICE ON 3/10/82.

[ 85 ]        DAVIS-BESSE 1                                DOCKET 50-346        LER 82-012  
 BORON INJECTION FOR LONG TERM SHUTDOWN LESS THAN REQUIRED CONCENTRATION.  
 EVENT DATE: 031482        REPORT DATE: 032682        NSSS: BW            TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTIVITY CONTROL SYSTEMS        COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172874) DURING THE FINAL STAGES OF REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM (RCS) COOLDOWN FOR THE REFUELING OUTAGE, THE WATER INJECTED TO MAKEUP FOR THE RCS INVENTORY SHRINKAGE WAS OF A LOWER THAN EXPECTED BORON CONCENTRATION. THIS WAS DUE TO A FAILURE TO COMPLETELY CLOSE THE DEMINERALIZED WATER MAKEUP VALVE. ALTHOUGH THE REACTOR WAS MAINTAINED AT LEAST 14% SHUTDOWN, TECH SPEC 6.9.1.8.D REQUIRES A REPORT BE PREPARED WHENEVER 'AN UNPLANNED REACTIVITY INSERTION OF MORE THAN 0.5% DELTA K/K' OCCURS. THE MINIMUM BORON CONCENTRATION AFTER THE DILUTION WAS 1698 PPM, WHICH IS WELL ABOVE THE 600 PPM MINIMUM TO MAINTAIN THE REQUIRED 1% SHUTDOWN MARGIN. THE CAUSE OF THE OCCURRENCE WAS A COMBINATION OF PERSONNEL AND PROCEDURE ERROR. THE OPERATORS INVOLVED WERE COUNSELED AND THE EVENT WILL BE REVIEWED WITH ALL OPERATORS. THE AFFECTED PROCEDURES WILL BE MODIFIED TO STANDARDIZE AND LIMIT THE AVAILABILITY OF THE DEMINERALIZED WATER FLOWPATH AND PROVIDE BETTER GUIDANCE ON MONITORING THE BORON CONCENTRATION.



[ 89 ]            DRESDEN 3                            DOCKET 50-249            LER 81-025 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON AUTOMATIC DEPRESSURIZATION SYSTEM RELIEF VALVE FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 091481    REPORT DATE: 022582            NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: EXCESSIVE LEAKAGE OF THREADED PORTION OF VALVE.

(NSIC 172905) DURING NORMAL OPERATION WHILE PERFORMING ADS VALVE OPERABILITY SURVEILLANCE, THE 'B' ELECTROMATIC RELIEF VALVE FAILED TO OPEN AT RATED PRESSURE. BECAUSE OF HPCI INOPERABILITY, PER TECH SPEC 3.5.C., AN IMMEDIATE SHUTDOWN BEGAN AT 2240 HRS. REMAINING ADS VALVES AND LOW PRESSURE ECCS SYSTEMS WERE OPERABLE, AND REACTOR WAS AT LESS THAN 90 PSIG WITHIN THE REQUIRED 24 HOURS. LAST SIMILAR OCCURRENCE REPORTED BY R.O. 50-249/80-21. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF FAILURE WAS EXCESSIVE LEAKAGE ON THE THREADS BETWEEN THE CAGE AND THE DISC RETAINER PLUG. THE VALVE WAS REPLACED WITH A VALVE THAT HAD THE THREADED AREA WELDED TO PREVENT LEAKAGE. TO PREVENT FUTURE RECURRENCE, THE VALVE THREADS WILL BE SEAL WELDED UNTIL A MORE ACCEPTABLE ALTERNATIVE IS FOUND.

[ 90 ]            DRESDEN 3                            DOCKET 50-249            LER 82-004  
 CONTAINMENT VENT LINE LEAKAGE EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 011782    REPORT DATE: 020982            NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LEAKY VALVE SEAT.

(NSIC 172951) DURING LOCAL LEAK RATE TESTING OF CONTAINMENT VENT LINE, THE MEASURED LEAKAGE WAS 5612 SCFH WHICH EXCEEDS TECH SPEC 4.7.A FOR SINGLE ISOLATION (29.38 SCFH). INVESTIGATION SHOWED LEAKAGE THROUGH AO-3-1601-23. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCE REPORTED FOR UNIT 2 BY R.O. 50-237/81-05. LEAKAGE THROUGH THE VALVE WAS DUE TO DETERIORATION OF THE SEATING SURFACE. THE VALVE WILL BE REPLACED. FOLLOWING REPLACEMENT OF THE A.O. 3-1601-23 VALVE, THE VOLUME WILL BE RETESTED. IF ANY OTHER VALVE LEAKS ABOVE TECH SPEC LIMITS, IT WILL BE REPAIRED AND REPORTED AT THAT TIME. ENGINEERING IS REVIEWING THE SUBJECT VALVE FOR POSSIBLE REDESIGN OR MODIFICATION.

[ 91 ]            DRESDEN 3                            DOCKET 50-249            LER 82-006  
 STORAGE BATTERY TESTING MISSED.  
 EVENT DATE: 012282    REPORT DATE: 021782            NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: DC ONSITE POWER SYS & CONTROLS    COMPONENT: BATTERIES & CHARGERS  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172813) THE QUARTERLY STORAGE BATTERY SURVEILLANCES (TECH SPEC 4.9.B.2) WERE NOT PERFORMED FOR THE THIRD QUARTER OF 1981. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCE REPORTED BY R.O. 81-68/03L-0 ON DOCKET 50-237. EVENT DUE TO MISCOORDINATION BETWEEN IMPLEMENTING NEW QUARTERLY BATTERY CHECK PROCEDURE AND REVISING THE SURVEILLANCE COMPUTER PROGRAM. EVENT REVIEWED WITH ALL PERSONNEL INVOLVED. A REVISION TO THE METHOD CHANGES THAT ARE MADE TO THE SURVEILLANCE COMPUTER PROGRAM WILL BE IMPLEMENTED TO PREVENT RECURRENCE.

[ 92 ]            DRESDEN 3                            DOCKET 50-249            LER 82-008  
 5 HPCI TEMPERATURE SWITCH SET POINTS EXCEED LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 012682    REPORT DATE: 022382            NSSS: GE            TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT    COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: MISALIGNED MICROSWITCH DUE TO LOOSE SCREWS.

(NSIC 172814) WHILE PERFORMING REFUEL SURVEILLANCE DIS 2300-7, CALIBRATION TESTING ON THE HPCI TEMPERATURE SWITCHES, THE FOLLOWING SWITCHES WERE ABOVE TECH SPEC LIMITS OF TABLE 3.2.A: 2371A, 2372A, 2373B, 2370C AND 2370D. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCES REPORTED BY R.O. 050-249/80-8, 80-11, 78-11, AND R.O. 050-237/81-7. THE EVENT WAS CAUSED BY A MISALIGNED MICROSWITCH DUE TO A FEW LOOSE SCREWS WHICH



[ 96 ] FARLEY 1 DOCKET 50-348 LER 82-013  
 CONTAINMENT ATMOSPHERE MONITORS INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 031782 REPORT DATE: 041682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC COOL PRES BOUN LEAK DETEC COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: VACUUM PUMP FAILURE WHILE OTHER PUMP OUT OF SERVICE.

(NSIC 173088) AT 1550 ON 3/17/82 CONTAINMENT ATMOSPHERE ACTIVITY MONITORS R-11 (PARTICULATE MONITOR) AND R-12 (GASEOUS MONITOR) WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO THE FAILURE OF THE VACUUM PUMP. TECH. SPEC. 3.4.6.1 REQUIRES THESE RADIATION MONITORS TO BE OPERABLE. TECH. SPEC. 3.4.6.1 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. MONITORS R-11 AND R-12 ARE EQUIPPED WITH TWO VACUUM PUMPS, ONE SERVING AS AN INSTALLED SPARE. WHILE THE INBOARD PUMP WAS OUT OF SERVICE, THE OUTBOARD PUMP FAILED. FOLLOWING REPLACEMENT OF THE FILTER AND GASKET, THE INBOARD PUMP WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE AND R-11 AND R-12 WERE DECLARED OPERABLE AT 0700 ON 3/18/82. SUBSEQUENT TO THIS EVENT, THE OUTBOARD PUMP WAS REPLACED TO PROVIDE AN OPERABLE INSTALLED SPARE PUMP.

[ 97 ] FARLEY 1 DOCKET 50-348 LER 82-012  
 APWS TURBINE PUMP INOPERABLE DUE TO BROKEN OIL BUBBLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 032682 REPORT DATE: 042282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 173019) DURING INSPECTION, THE TURBINE DRIVEN AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PUMP WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN THE OUTBOARD BEARING OIL BUBBLER WAS FOUND BROKEN AND ITS OIL DRAINED. TECH SPEC 3.7.1.2, IN PART, REQUIRES THE TDAFW PUMP TO BE OPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.7.1.2 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. THE OILER IS SUSPECTED TO HAVE BEEN BROKEN WHILE WORKERS WERE HANDLING SCAFFOLDING IN THE AREA. FOLLOWING REPLACEMENT OF THE OILER AND ADDITION OF OIL, THE TDAFW PUMP WAS DECLARED OPERABLE. APPROPRIATE PERSONNEL WILL BE INFORMED OF THE INCIDENT AND INSTRUCTED TO REPORT SUCH AN INCIDENT TO OPERATIONS PERSONNEL AT THE TIME OF THE OCCURRENCE.

[ 98 ] FARLEY 1 DOCKET 50-348 LER 82-014  
 SET POINT DRIFT IN T AVERAGE CHANNEL.  
 EVENT DATE: 032882 REPORT DATE: 042282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 173021) WHILE PERFORMING FNP-1-STP-201. 19B (RCS TE-422B & TE-422D CALIBRATION AND FUNCTIONAL TEST), THE TAVG-LOW-LOW B INSTRUMENTATION LOOP WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AS A RESULT OF AN OUT OF SPEC. INDICATOR READING. TECH SPEC 3.3.2.1, IN PART, REQUIRES THIS INSTRUMENTATION LOOP TO BE OPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.3.2.1 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. THIS EVENT IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO SETPOINT DRIFT. THE POWER SUPPLY CARD WAS REPLACED AND FOLLOWING THE PERFORMANCE OF FNP-1-STP-201.19B, THE TE-422D INSTRUMENTATION CHANNEL WAS DECLARED OPERABLE.

[ 99 ] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-005  
 AC POWER TRAIN INOPERABLE DUE TO DENERGIZED EMERGENCY BUS.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AC ONSITE POWER SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 173096) AT 1000 ON 2/26/82 THE 4160 VOLT "B" TRAIN A.C. ELECTRICAL POWER CIRCUIT WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN EMERGENCY BUS 2G WAS DENERGIZED. TECH SPEC 3.8.1.1, IN PART, REQUIRES THE 4160 VOLT "B" TRAIN ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT TO BE OPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.8.1.1 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. THE 2G BUS WAS DENERGIZED WHEN BREAKER 2-DG15 OPENED. ALL EVENTS CONSIDERED AS POSSIBLE



CAUSES WERE INVESTIGATED. INSTRUMENTATION INDICATORS AND RECORDINGS WERE NOT SUFFICIENT TO PROVE CONCLUSIVELY THE ACTUAL CAUSE. ONE OF THE RELAYS WHICH TRIPS THE BREAKER DOES NOT UTILIZE TARGETS IN THE PRESENT DESIGN. THE ADDITION OF TARGETS TO THIS RELAY WILL BE EVALUATED AS PART OF A DESIGN MODIFICATION TO ALLOW A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS OF THE EVENT SHOULD A SIMILAR INCIDENT OCCUR IN THE FUTURE. FOLLOWING A THOROUGH INSPECTION OF THE BREAKER AND CIRCUITRY, THE 2-DG15 BREAKER WAS CLOSED RESTORING THE "B" TRAIN ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT AT 1509 ON 2/26/82.

[100] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-008  
 STEAM GENERATOR B LEVEL INDICATION CHANNEL INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: FLOW BLOCKAGE IN REFERENCE LEG.

(NSIC 173097) AT 2330 ON 2/26/82 THE INSTRUMENTATION LOOP ASSOCIATED WITH LI-485 (S.G. "B" LEVEL INDICATION) WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN ITS READING WAS OUT OF TOLERANCE WITH THE OTHER CHANNELS. TECH SPEC 3.3.1, IN PART, REQUIRES THIS INSTRUMENTATION LOOP TO BE OPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.3.1 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. THIS EVENT WAS CAUSED BY AN OBSTRUCTION IN THE REFERENCE LEG. THE REFERENCE LEG OBSTRUCTION WAS CLEARED AND THE LEG REFILLED. AT 0215 ON 2/27/82 THE INSTRUMENTATION LOOP ASSOCIATED WITH LI-485 WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[101] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-010  
 STEAM GENERATOR A LEVEL INDICATION CHANNEL INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGNRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: LOSS OF LEVEL IN REFERENCE LEG.

(NSIC 173099) AT 0440 ON 2/26/82 THE INSTRUMENTATION LOOP ASSOCIATED WITH LI-474 (S.G. "A" LEVEL INDICATOR) WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN ITS READING WAS OUT OF TOLERANCE WITH THE OTHER TWO LEVEL INDICATOR READINGS. TECH SPEC SECTION 3.3.2, IN PART, REQUIRES THIS INSTRUMENTATION LOOP TO BE OPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.3.2 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. THIS EVENT WAS CAUSED BY THE LOSS OF THE NECESSARY LEVEL IN THE REFERENCE LEG WHILE THE STEAM GENERATOR WAS NOT IN SERVICE. THE REFERENCE LEG WAS REFILLED AND UPON SATISFACTORY COMPLETION OF FNP-2-STP-213.1 (STEAM GENERATOR 2A LT-474 LOOP CALIBRATION AND FUNCTIONAL TEST) THE INSTRUMENTATION CHANNEL ASSOCIATED WITH LEVEL INDICATOR LT-474 WAS DECLARED OPERABLE AT 2336 ON 2/26/82.

[102] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-009  
 STEAM GENERATOR FLOW CHANNEL INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022882 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGNRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LEAKING EQUALIZING VALVE.

(NSIC 173098) AT 0400 THE INSTRUMENTATION LOOP ASSOCIATED WITH FT-474 (S.G. "A" FLOW TRANSMITTER) WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN ITS READING WAS OUT OF TOLERANCE WITH THE OTHER CHANNELS. TECH SPEC SECTION 3.3.2, IN PART, REQUIRES THIS INSTRUMENTATION LOOP TO BE OPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.3.2 ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS WERE MET. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT WAS A LEAKING EQUALIZING VALVE. THE VALVE STEM WAS REPAIRED AND UPON SATISFACTORY COMPLETION OF FNP-2-STP-213.19A (STEAM GENERATOR 2A FT-474 LOOP CALIBRATION AND FUNCTIONAL TEST) THE INSTRUMENTATION LOOP ASSOCIATED WITH FT-474 WAS DECLARED OPERABLE AT 1540.

[103] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-013  
 3 RADIATION MONITORS INOPERABLE DUE TO POWER LOSS.  
 EVENT DATE: 032582 REPORT DATE: 040682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: GENERATOR TRIP.

(NSIC 172955) RADIATION MONITORS R-11 (PARTICULATE ACTIVITY - RCS LEAKAGE DETECTION), R-12, (GASEOUS ACTIVITY - RCS LEAKAGE DETECTION) AND R-22 (NOBLE GAS ACTIVITY) WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN THEIR SUPPLY POWER WAS INTERRUPTED DUE TO A GENERATOR TRIP. TECH SPEC SECTIONS 3.3.3.1 AND 3.3.3.11, IN PART, REQUIRE THESE RADIATION MONITORS TO BE OPERABLE. THE POWER SUPPLY TO RADIATION MONITORS R-11, R-12, AND R-22 WAS DE-ENERGIZED AS A RESULT OF A GENERATOR TRIP WHICH OCCURRED WHILE THE 2A STARTUP TRANSFORMER WAS OUT OF SERVICE FOR MAINTENANCE. THE STARTUP TRANSFORMER WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE AND R-11, R-12 AND R-22 WERE DECLARED OPERABLE.

[104] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-015  
 STACK EFFLUENT MONITOR READING INACCURATE.  
 EVENT DATE: 032582 REPORT DATE: 042282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCS & EFF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS  
 CAUSE: COMMUNICATION LINK TO COMPUTER FAILED.

(NSIC 173025) DURING SURVEILLANCE, RADIATION MONITOR R29B (PLANT VENT STACK EFFLUENT MONITOR) INSTRUMENTATION CHANNEL WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN DISPLAYS ON ALL READOUT CONSOLES WERE DETERMINED TO BE INACCURATE. TECH SPEC 3.3.3.1, IN PART, REQUIRES R29B INSTRUMENTATION CHANNEL TO BE OPERABLE. THIS EVENT IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO DIRTY CONTACTS AND A FAULTY COMMUNICATION LINK BETWEEN THE COMPUTER AND THE DETECTOR. THE CONTACTS WERE CLEANED AND FOLLOWING REPAIR OF THE COMMUNICATION LINK, THE RADIATION MONITOR R29B INSTRUMENTATION CHANNEL WAS DECLARED OPERABLE.

[105] FARLEY 2 DOCKET 50-364 LER 82-014  
 CHLORINE DETECTOR INOPERABLE 3 TIMES DUE TO TAPE DRIVE FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 032682 REPORT DATE: 042282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONT ROOM HABITBLTY SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: SHEARED PIN IN DRIVE MECHANISM.

(NSIC 173023) ON 3/26/82, 3/28/82, AND 4/08/82, THE B TRAIN CHLORINE DETECTOR WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO THE DETECTOR TAPE NOT ADVANCING. TECH SPEC 3.3.3.6, IN PART, REQUIRES THE CHLORINE DETECTOR TO BE OPERABLE. THESE EVENTS WERE ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE MOVEMENT INDICATOR BINDING THE DETECTOR TAPE AND A SHEARED PIN IN THE TAPE DRIVE MECHANISM. FOLLOWING ADJUSTMENTS TO THE MOVEMENT INDICATOR AND THE TAKE UP REEL, THE TAPE ADVANCED PROPERLY AND THE B TRAIN CHLORINE DETECTOR WAS DECLARED OPERABLE ON 3/26/82 AND 3/28/82. FOLLOWING RECURRENCE OF THIS EVENT ON 4/08/82, FURTHER INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT A PIN IN THE TAPE DRIVE MECHANISM HAD SHEARED. THE PIN WAS REPLACED.

[106] FITZPATRICK DOCKET 50-333 LER 82-006  
 SUPPRESSION POOL LEVEL BELOW TECH SPEC LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 030682 REPORT DATE: 033082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172830) DURING NORMAL STARTUP OPERATIONS, PRESSURE SUPPRESSION POOL WATER LEVEL WAS FOUND 0.4 INCHES BELOW THE LIMIT OF TECH SPEC 3.7.A.1. TECH SPEC TABLE 3.2-6 REQUIRES EITHER NARROW RANGE TORUS WATER LEVEL OR WIDE RANGE TORUS WATER LEVEL TO BE OPERABLE. BOTH OF THESE INSTRUMENT SUBSYSTEMS WERE FULLY OPERABLE. BY DESIGN, AN ADDITIONAL NARROW RANGE TORUS WATER LEVEL INSTRUMENT IS ALSO

PROVIDED. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT TORUS WATER LEVEL WAS BEING MONITORED USING INDICATIONS DERIVED FROM THIS THIRD INSTRUMENT SUBSYSTEM WHICH INDICATED THAT TORUS WATER LEVEL WAS WITHIN TECH SPEC LIMITS. PERSONNEL ERROR WAS THE CAUSE. SUPPRESSION POOL WATER LEVEL WAS CORRECTED IMMEDIATELY. TECH SPEC CHANGES TO ELIMINATE THE POSSIBLE ERROR ARE BEING CONSIDERED TO PREVENT RECURRENCE.

[107] FITZPATRICK DOCKET 50-333 LER 82-012  
TWO SNUBBERS ON FUEL POOL COOLING TO RHR RETURN LINE FOUND FAILED.  
EVENT DATE: 031682 REPORT DATE: 041582 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
SYSTEM: RESIDUAL HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 173065) DURING NORMAL OPERATION, PERSONNEL NOTED TWO (2) DAMAGED SNUBBERS ON THE FUEL POOL COOLING TO RHR RETURN LINE. BOTH SNUBBERS ARE REQUIRED TO BE OPERABLE BY TECH SPEC 3.6.I.1 AND WERE REPLACED WITH OPERABLE SPARES WITHIN THE 72 HOURS ALLOWED BY TECH SPEC 3.6.I.2. CAUSE OF THE DAMAGE TO THE SNUBBERS HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED. INSPECTION OF THE PIPE AND ASSOCIATED HANGERS AND OTHER PIPE SUPPORTS DID NOT REVEAL EVIDENCE OF DAMAGE. INVESTIGATION INTO THE CAUSE AND PREVENTING RECURRENCE CONTINUES.

[108] FITZPATRICK DOCKET 50-333 LER 82-016  
RCIC MADE INOPERABLE DURING REPAIR OF SYSTEM LOGIC CIRCUITS.  
EVENT DATE: 032982 REPORT DATE: 042082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
SYSTEM: REAC CORE ISOL COOL SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
CAUSE: FLOODING OF VALVE PIT.

(NSIC 173131) DURING NORMAL OPERATION, THE REACTOR CORE ISOLATION COOLING (RCIC) SYSTEM WAS INTENTIONALLY MADE INOPERABLE TO ALLOW TROUBLESHOOTING AND REPAIR OF A DC GROUND ON THE SYSTEM LOGIC CIRCUITS WHILE THE SYSTEM WAS REQUIRED TO BE OPERABLE BY TECH SPEC 4.5.E.1. HIGH PRESSURE COOLANT INJECTION WAS TESTED AND WAS OPERABLE AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 4.5.E.2. GROUNDING OF THE LOGIC SYSTEM WAS DUE TO FAILED SUMP PUMP WHICH ALLOWED FLOODING OF A VALVE PIT. CLEANING AND DRYING OF A VALVE POSITION SWITCH CLEARED THE GROUND. THE SUMP PUMP WAS REPLACED TO PREVENT RECURRENCE.

[109] FT. CALHOUN 1 DOCKET 50-285 LER 82-001  
FIRE WATCH FOR BREACHED FIRE BARRIER NOT ESTABLISHED.  
EVENT DATE: 011182 REPORT DATE: 020982 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: OTHER COMPONENTS  
CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172939) WHILE PERFORMING ST-PP-0 (F.1), TWO FIRE BARRIER PENETRATIONS WERE FOUND TO BE NON-FUNCTIONAL. THE SHIFT SUPERVISOR WAS IMMEDIATELY NOTIFIED. CONTRARY TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF TECH SPEC 2.19(7), A FIRE WATCH WAS NOT POSTED WITHIN ONE HOUR. NOR WAS AN HOURLY FIRE WATCH PATROL ESTABLISHED. PERSONNEL PERFORMING THE FIRE BARRIER INSPECTION BROUGHT THIS MATTER TO THE ATTENTION OF THE SHIFT SUPERVISOR. DUE TO THE PRESSURE OF OTHER OPERATIONAL MATTERS AT THE TIME, INSPECTION PERSONNEL WERE ADVISED TO CONTACT ANOTHER PLANT MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATIVE. THIS CONTACT WAS MADE; HOWEVER, LACK OF PROPER COMMUNICATION ON THIS OCCASION DID NOT RESULT IN PROPER CORRECTIVE ACTION UNTIL THE FOLLOWING DAY, WHEN THE MATTER WAS AGAIN DISCUSSED WITH THE MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATIVE. REINSTRUCTION WAS PROVIDED TO BOTH SUPERVISORY AND INSPECTION PERSONNEL INVOLVED IN THIS EVENT.



[110] FT. CALHOUN 1 DOCKET 50-285 LER 82-002  
 CONTAINMENT RADIATION HIGH SIGNAL RELAY FAILS TO ACTUATE.  
 EVENT DATE: 011482 REPORT DATE: 021282 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: RELAYS  
 CAUSE: RELAY BURNT OUT.

(NSIC 172940) LOCKOUT RELAY 86B1/CRHS (CONTAINMENT RADIATION HIGH SIGNAL) FAILED TO ACTUATE ON DEMAND BY THE PLANT RADIATION MONITORING SYSTEM. THIS RESULTED IN THE FAILURE OF ONE OF THE ENGINEERED SAFETY FEATURE CHANNELS TO OPERATE. THE COIL OF THE 86B1/CRHS LOCKOUT RELAY WAS NOTICED TO HAVE BURNT AND THEREBY OPEN-CIRCUITED. THE COIL WAS IMMEDIATELY REPLACED PER MAINTENANCE ORDER #13650. IN ADDITION, THE RELAY COIL LATCHING MECHANISM WAS CLEANED, LUBRICATED AND CHECKED FOR PROPER ALIGNMENT.

[111] FT. CALHOUN 1 DOCKET 50-285 LER 82-004  
 RADIOACTIVITY RELEASED WHEN STACK GAS MONITOR FAILS TO ALARM.  
 EVENT DATE: 020382 REPORT DATE: 020582 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: FAULTY ELECTRONIC ALARM MODULE.

(NSIC 173142) A SMALL QUANTITY OF RADIOACTIVE GAS/PARTICULATE WAS RELEASED TO THE AUXILIARY BUILDING. THIS OCCURRED WHILE ATTEMPTING TO DRAW A SAMPLE OF GAS FROM THE PRESSURIZER STEAM SPACE. DURING THE INCIDENT THE STACK GAS MONITOR, RM-062, FAILED TO ALARM AT THE APPROPRIATE SETPOINT. RM-061, THE STACK PARTICULATE MONITOR DID ACTUATE AT THE DESIRED SETPOINT AND INITIATED A VIAS (VENTILATION ISOLATION ACTUATION SIGNAL). THE RELEASE OF RADIOACTIVITY TO THE ATMOSPHERE WAS OF SHORT DURATION AND WAS WITHIN TECH SPEC LIMITS. RADIATION MONITOR, RM-062, (STACK GAS MONITOR), DID NOT ALARM AND/OR INITIATE A VIAS (VENTILATION ISOLATION ACTUATION SIGNAL) AT THE DESIRED SETPOINT DUE TO A FAULTY ELECTRONIC ALARM MODULE. THE MODULE WAS RECALIBRATED PER MAINTENANCE ORDER #13865 AND RM-062 WAS RETURNED TO OPERABILITY FOLLOWING SEVERAL FUNCTIONAL RM-062 ALARM CHECKS.

[112] FT. CALHOUN 1 DOCKET 50-285 LER 82-003  
 CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 020382 REPORT DATE: 030382 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: SOLENOID VALVE PLUNGER STUCK.

(NSIC 173174) THE CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE ASSOCIATED WITH THE GAS VENT HEADER, (HCV-507A), FAILED TO CLOSE UPON DEMAND. EMERGENCY PROCEDURE, EP-25, LOSS OF CONTAINMENT INTEGRITY, WAS IMMEDIATELY ISSUED AND FOLLOWED. EMERGENCY M.O. #13830 WAS WRITTEN TO CORRECT THE VALVE PROBLEM. IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE SOLENOID VALVE PLUNGER HAD STUCK IN THE ENERGIZED POSITION. THE SOLENOID PLUNGER WAS FREED AND THE VALVE WAS CYCLED SEVERAL TIMES TO VERIFY OPERABILITY PRIOR TO RETURNING TO AN OPERABLE STATUS.

[113] FT. ST. VRAIN DOCKET 50-267 LER 82-005  
 STEAM GENERATOR RUPTURE DISK LEAK SENSOP ISOLATED.  
 EVENT DATE: 021582 REPORT DATE: 031782 NSSS: GA TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172989) THE LOOP 2 STEAM GENERATOR PENETRATION RUPTURE DISK NO. 1 LEAK ALARM PRESSURE SWITCH WAS FOUND ISOLATED WHICH COULD HAVE ALLOWED PRESSURE BETWEEN THE RUPTURE DISK AND ITS ASSOCIATED RELIEF VALVE TO EXCEED THE 5 PSIG LIMIT SPECIFIED IN LCO 4.2.7(D). THIS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC AC 7.5.2(B)3. THE REASON FOR THE PRESSURE SWITCH ISOLATION VALVE BEING CLOSED IS NOT KNOWN. VALVE WAS RE-OPENED, SAFETY SYSTEM PIPING VENTED, AND ALARM CLEARED.

[114] FT. ST. VRAIN DOCKET 50-267 LER 82-006  
 DEWPOINT MOISTURE LIMIT EXCEEDED.  
 EVENT DATE: 021882 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: GA TYPE: HTGR  
 SYSTEM: COOLANT RECIRC SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE WORK.

(NSIC 172998) THE DEWPOINT MOISTURE LIMIT OF FIGURE 4.2.11-1 WAS EXCEEDED ON FOUR OCCASIONS. THIS IS REPORTABLE AS A DEGRADED MODE OF LCO 4.2.11 PER TECH SPEC AC 7.5.2(B)2. SIMILAR REPORTS: 76-06, 77-02, 77-13, 78-16, 78-39, 79-02, 79-31, 79-43, 80-11, 80-19, 80-33, 80-36, 80-09, 80-20, AND 81-45. DURING A MAINTENANCE/MODIFICATION OUTAGE, THE PRIMARY COOLANT BECAME CONTAMINATED WITH MOISTURE. THE REACTOR WAS SHUTDOWN AND THE COOLANT PURIFICATION TRAINS ARE BEING UTILIZED TO REDUCE THE IMPURITY LEVELS.

[115] FT. ST. VRAIN DOCKET 50-267 LER 82-008  
 9 HYDRAULIC SHOCK SUPPRESSORS INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022882 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: GA TYPE: HTGR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SUPPLY SYS & CONT COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
 CAUSE: 5 MECHANICAL ADJUSTMENTS, 4 BLOCK VALVE REPAIR.

(NSIC 172993) DURING TESTING OF THE HYDRAULIC SHOCK SUPPRESSORS (SNUBBERS), A TOTAL OF NINE CLASS I SNUBBERS WERE FOUND TO BE INOPERABLE. THE REACTOR HAS OPERATED AT OTHER THAN SHUTDOWN OR REFUELING MODE SINCE THE PREVIOUS SNUBBER SURVEILLANCE WAS PERFORMED. SINCE THE DATE OF INOPERABILITY CANNOT BE ACCURATELY DETERMINED, OPERATION IN A DEGRADED MODE OF LCO 4.3.10(D) AND TECH SPEC AC 7.5.2(B)2 MUST BE ASSUMED. RELATED RO'S: 81-026, 81-038, 81-051, 81-056, 81-059, 81-064, 81-074, AND 82-001. OF THE NINE CLASS I SNUBBERS THAT WERE CLASSIFIED AS INOPERABLE, FIVE REQUIRED MECHANICAL ADJUSTMENTS, FOUR REQUIRED VALVE BLOCK, CYLINDER/RESERVOIR REPAIR. THE SNUBBERS WERE REPAIRED AS REQUIRED, FILLED, PURGED AND TESTED, RE-INSTALLED IN THE SYSTEM, AND CLASSIFIED AS OPERABLE. SURVEILLANCE HAS BEEN ADJUSTED TO 31 DAYS +/- 25% AS PER TECH SPEC.

[116] FT. ST. VRAIN DOCKET 50-267 LER 82-009  
 UNSAMPLED GASEOUS RELEASE OCCURS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030682 REPORT DATE: 040582 NSSS: GA TYPE: HTGR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172849) WITH THE REACTOR SHUTDOWN AND DURING VALVE LINEUP FOR AN AUTHORIZED GAS WASTE RELEASE, A VALVE WAS INADVERTENTLY LEFT OPEN, ALLOWING SOME OF THE SAMPLED GAS TO BE RELEASED THROUGH A VACUUM TANK. SINCE THERE WAS POTENTIALLY A SMALL AMOUNT OF UNSAMPLED GAS RELEASED FROM THE VACUUM TANK, THIS REPRESENTS A DEGRADED MODE OF FORT ST. VRAIN TECH SPECS LCO 4.8.1(A), AND IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPECS AC 7.5.2(B)3. SIMILAR OCCURRENCES ARE: RO'S 78-22, 79-33, AND 80-63. A VALVE WAS INADVERTENTLY LEFT OPEN WHILE PREPARING FOR AN AUTHORIZED GAS WASTE RELEASE. UNSAMPLED RELEASE WAS TERMINATED AND VALVE LINEUP WAS CORRECTED. PROCEDURE IS BEING REVISED TO REQUIRE A CHECK OF VALVE LINEUP BY AN INDEPENDENT OBSERVER. A BURST RUPTURE DISK WAS REPLACED.

[117] GINNA DOCKET 50-244 LER 81-021  
 CONTAINMENT RADIATION MONITORS INOPERABLE DURING CHECK VALVE MAINTENANCE.  
 EVENT DATE: 122281 REPORT DATE: 012182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADICACT MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: DIRT ON CHECK VALVE SEAT.

(NSIC 172803) A PERIODIC TEST IDENTIFIED THE CONTAINMENT GAS RADIATION MONITOR RETURN LINE CHECK VALVE WAS NOT SEALING TIGHT. THE LINE WAS ISOLATED FOR MAINTENANCE RENDERING THE GAS RADIATION MONITORS INOPERABLE. DIRT POSSIBLY FROM

THE VEINS OF THE MONITOR PUMP DEPOSITED ON THE SEAT OF THE ROCKWELL 1 INCH 1500 PSI VALVE USED IN A LOW PRESSURE APPLICATION. AIR WAS BLOWN THROUGH THE NON-MAINTAINABLE VALVE TO REMOVE THE DIRT. THE VALVE WAS FOUND ACCEPTABLE DURING A FOLLOW-UP PERIODIC TEST.

[118] GINNA DOCKET 50-244 LER 82-001  
CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE NOT TESTED FOLLOWING REPAIR.  
EVENT DATE: 010782 REPORT DATE: 020682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
CAUSE: MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL DID NOT TEST VALVE.

(NSIC 172965) A LEAK WAS IDENTIFIED ON THE CONTAINMENT PRIMARY ISOLATION VALVE FOR THE 3/8 INCH PRESSURIZER LIQUID SAMPLE. THE VALVE WAS ISOLATED AND REPAIRED. THE SYSTEM WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE WITHOUT PERFORMING THE NECESSARY LEAK TEST. THIS IS REPORTABLE UNDER 6.9.2.B.3. A GENERIC PROCEDURE FOR THIS TYPE OF VALVE WAS USED FOR MAINTENANCE WHICH REQUIRED LEAK RATE TESTING IF POSSIBLE. THE TEST PROCEDURE THAT EXISTS REQUIRES THAT THE PLANT BE AT COLD SHUTDOWN, THEREFORE THE MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL IDENTIFIED THAT IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE AND REINSTATED THE SYSTEM. UPON DISCOVERY, THE TEST PROCEDURE WAS TEMPORARILY CHANGED TO ALLOW PERFORMANCE AT POWER.

[119] GINNA DOCKET 50-244 LER 82-002  
REACTOR COOLANT DRAIN TANK PUMP LINE LEAKS.  
EVENT DATE: 011382 REPORT DATE: 021282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
CAUSE: DEFECTIVE WELD.

(NSIC 172968) AN OPERATOR ON ROUTINE TOUR NOTICED A SMALL LEAK FROM A WELD IN THE SUCTION FOR THE REACTOR COOLANT DRAIN TANK PUMP. THE LINE IS A COMMON SUCTION FOR THE RECIRCULATION PHASE OF ECCS. THE LEAK WAS TWO SMALL PINHOLES IN A 3 INCH LONG COLD LAP OF THE ORIGINAL WELD. THIS IS REPORTABLE UNDER 6.9.2.B.4. A 3 INCH LONG COLD LAP IN THE INITIAL WELD HAD TWO PINHOLE LEAKS ADJACENT TO IT. THE DEFECTIVE AREA IN THE WELD ON THE 6 INCH SCHEDULE 1 STAINLESS STEEL PIPE TO AN ELBOW WAS GROUND OUT AND REPAIRED.

[120] GINNA DOCKET 50-244 LER 82-004  
8 FIRE DETECTION ZONES NOT WATCH POSTED.  
EVENT DATE: 012582 REPORT DATE: 020882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
CAUSE: PERSONNEL EVACUATED DUE TO SG TUBE RUPTURE.

(NSIC 172971) DUE TO THE EVENTS DESCRIBED IN LER 82-003, FIRE WATCHES POSTED AS A RESULT OF 8 INOPERABLE FIRE DETECTION ZONES WERE EVACUATED FROM SITE. THEREFORE THESE EIGHT ZONES WERE INOPERABLE WITHOUT FIREWATCHES WHICH IS A VIOLATION OF A LCO DEFINED IN TECH SPEC 3.14.1.1A AND REPORTABLE BASED ON TECH SPEC 6.9.2.A.(2). THE FIRE WATCHES WERE EVACUATED AT 1044 HOURS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROCEDURE SC-1.5. FOLLOWING THE EVENT, FIRE WATCHES WERE RETURNED TO THE 8 INOPERABLE FIRE DETECTION ZONES AT 1600 HOURS.

[121] GINNA DOCKET 50-244 LER 82-003  
REACTOR SHUTDOWN DUE TO STEAM GENERATOR TUBE RUPTURE.  
EVENT DATE: 012582 REPORT DATE: 020882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: COOLANT RECIRC SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: HEAT EXCHANGERS  
CAUSE: NOT YET DETERMINED.

(NSIC 175043) THE GINNA B STEAM GENERATOR EXPERIENCED A TUBE FAILURE. THE RESULTING PLANT TRANSIENT INCLUDED A SIGNIFICANT PRIMARY SYSTEM DEPRESSURIZATION,

ACTUATION OF THE SAFETY INJECTION SYSTEM AND MINOR RELEASES OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL FROM THE PLANT. REACTOR WAS BROUGHT TO COLD SHUTDOWN. INSPECTION OF THE RUPTURED TUBE REVEALED AN AXIAL BURST RUPTURE OF TUBE LOCATED AT THE PERIPHERY OF THE B STEAM GENERATOR HOT LEG ROW 42 COLUMN 55, THREE TO EIGHT INCHES ABOVE THE SECONDARY SIDE OF THE TUBE SHEET. IT IS THEORIZED THAT THE AXIAL BURST OF THE TUBE WAS CAUSED BY SOME TYPE OF MECHANICAL LOADING MECHANISM ON THE TUBE BETWEEN THE FIRST SUPPORT PLATE AND THE TUBE SHEET. FLOW INDUCED VIBRATION MAY HAVE BEEN A CONTRIBUTING FACTOR. FURTHER ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION ARE ONGOING TO DETERMINE THE EXACT FAILURE MECHANISM. THE BURST TUBE PLUS THREE TUBES AROUND IT WILL BE PLUGGED AS A PREVENTIVE MEASURE.

[122] GINNA DOCKET 50-244 LER 82-010  
 FIRE WATCHES EVACUATED DUE TO LOCAL RADIATION EMERGENCY.  
 EVENT DATE: 032382 REPORT DATE: 040682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL SAFETY REQUIREMENTS.

(NSIC 172898) AT 1348 HOURS DUE TO A LOCAL RADIATION EMERGENCY DECLARED FOR THE INTERMEDIATE BUILDING, NORTH, THE FIRE WATCH POSTED, AS A RESULT OF S-15 ISOLATION VALVE BEING CLOSED, WAS EVACUATED FROM THE AREA. THEREFORE THIS FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM WAS INOPERABLE WITHOUT A FIRE WATCH WHICH IS A VIOLATION OF A LCO DEFINED IN TECH SPEC 3.14.3.1 AND REPORTABLE BASED ON TECH SPEC 6.9.2.2A(2). THE FIRE WATCHES WERE EVACUATED AT 1359 HOURS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROCEDURE SC-1.5. FOLLOWING THE EVENT, FIRE WATCHES WERE RETURNED TO THE INOPERABLE FIRE SUPPRESSION AREAS AT 1525 HOURS.

[123] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-012  
 HPCI AUXILIARY OIL PUMP FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021182 REPORT DATE: 030482 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 172958) THE HPCI AUXILIARY OIL PUMP (AOP) FAILED TO PERFORM AS EXPECTED WHILE PERFORMING HNP-1-3318, HPCI "HYDRAULIC OIL PIPING MOISTURE PROTECTION". HPCI WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE PER TECH SPEC 3.5.3.2. RCIC, ADS, CS, & LPCI WERE OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THE AOP CYCLING WAS NOT POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED SINCE THE CONDITION COULD NOT BE REPRODUCED. COMPONENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE LOGIC WERE INSPECTED AND NO PROBLEMS WERE FOUND. THE COMPONENTS SUSPECTED TO BE AT FAULT WERE REPLACED. THE HPCI AOP WAS OPERATED SUCCESSFULLY AND THE SYSTEM WAS PROVEN OPERABLE.

[124] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-011  
 RCIC DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO SMOKE.  
 EVENT DATE: 021282 REPORT DATE: 030482 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC CORE ISOL COOL SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
 CAUSE: OIL LEAK DUE TO VIBRATION.

(NSIC 172960) FOLLOWING A UNIT 1 SCRAM THE RCIC SYSTEM WAS MANUALLY STARTED TO MAINTAIN RX VESSEL LEVEL. FOLLOWING RCIC INITIATION IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT SMOKE WAS COMING FROM THE RCIC DIAGONAL. THE SYSTEM WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE TO INVESTIGATE THE SOURCE OF THE SMOKE. PER TECH SPEC SECTION 3.5.E.2 HPCI WAS OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THE SMOKE WAS DUE TO AN OIL LEAK FROM THE 3/8" THREADED PIPE LEADING TO THE TURBINE GOVERNOR AND BEARING LEAKING OIL ON THE HOT TURBINE CASING. THE LEAK WAS A RESULT OF THE PIPE VIBRATING LOOSE. THE PIPE WAS TIGHTENED. THE SYSTEM WAS CHECKED FOR LEAKS AND PROVEN OPERABLE WHEN THE UNIT STARTED UP.

[125] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-013  
 CORE POWER DISTRIBUTION NOT ADJUSTED IN REQUIRED TIME.  
 EVENT DATE: 021382 REPORT DATE: 030282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172963) AT 9:25 CST DURING STARTUP, THE APRMS HAD NOT BEEN ADJUSTED PER TECH SPEC 3.1.B WITHIN THE 2 HR. TIME LIMIT. CORRECTIVE ACTION TO REDUCE THE CMFLPD/PRTP RATIO HAD BEEN STARTED WITHIN 15 MINUTES BUT THE ACTIONS HAD BEEN INEFFECTIVE. A POWER REDUCTION TO 25% WAS NOT REQUIRED AS SUBSEQUENT ACTIONS DID HAVE THE PROBLEM CORRECTED BY 11:45 CST. THE INITIAL CORRECTIVE ACTIONS PROVED TO BE INEFFECTIVE DUE TO THE SPATIAL REDISTRIBUTION OF XENON FROM BURNOUT COUPLED WITH AN INEFFECTIVE ROD PATTERN ADJUSTMENT. A REPORT IS BEING PREPARED TO FAMILIARIZE THE SITE ENGINEERS WITH THE EVENT. TO PRECLUDE SCENARIOS OF THIS SORT IN THE FUTURE A TECH SPEC REVISION GIVING A MORE REASONABLE TIME LIMIT IS BEING PREPARED.

[126] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-014  
 SET POINT DRIFT OF REACTOR PRESSURE SWITCH.  
 EVENT DATE: 021382 REPORT DATE: 030282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 173015) WHILE PERFORMING HNP-1-3102, REACTOR PRESSURE SHUTDOWN COOLING MODE FUNCTIONAL TEST AND CALIBRATION, REACTOR PRESSURE SWITCH, 1B31-N018A, ACTUATED AT 164.5 PSIG INCREASING. TECH SPECS SECTION 4.2-1, ITEM 2, REQUIRES ACTUATION AT / 157.3 PSIG. SWITCH 1B31-N018B IN THE REDUNDANT CHANNEL WAS OPERABLE AND WITHIN TOLERANCE. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO SETPOINT DRIFT. THE SWITCH WAS RECALIBRATED PER HNP-1-5279, BARKSDALE PRESSURE SWITCH CALIBRATION, AND FUNCTIONALLY TESTED SUCCESSFULLY PER HNP-1-3102, REACTOR HIGH PRESSURE (SHUTDOWN COOLING MODE) FUNCTIONAL TEST AND CALIBRATION.

[127] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-016  
 SAMPLE PUMP FOR FISSION PRODUCT MONITORS FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021382 REPORT DATE: 030282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCSS & EFF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: BLOWN FUSE.

(NSIC 173016) WHILE PERFORMING ROUTINE SURVEILLANCE, IT WAS FOUND THAT SAMPLE PUMP FOR FISSION PRODUCT MONITORS WAS INOPERABLE AND HENCE THE MONITORS WERE ALSO INOPERABLE. TECH SPEC SECTION 3.6.G.2 REQUIRES THAT THREE OUT OF FOUR SYSTEMS IN TABLE 3-10 SHALL BE OPERABLE DURING REACTOR OPERATION. THE REASON THAT THE MONITORS WERE INOPERABLE WAS DUE TO A BLOWN FUSE. THE FUSE FOR THE POWER SUPPLY TO THE PUMP MOTOR WAS REPLACED AND THE SYSTEM WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE WITH SATISFACTORY RESULTS.

[128] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-018  
 DRYWELL AND TORUS TEMPERATURE RECORDER FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021982 REPORT DATE: 031682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: REED SWITCH FAILURE.

(NSIC 172831) DRYWELL AND TORUS TEMPERATURE RECORDER, WAS FOUND TO BE OPERATING ERRATICALLY. TECH SPECS TABLE 3.2-11, ITEM 5, 6 AND 7 REQUIRES 2 OPERABLE CHANNELS. REDUNDANT RECORDER, 1T47-R611, WAS OPERABLE. PLANT OPERATION WAS PLACED IN A 30 DAY LCO AS A RESULT OF THIS EVENT. THE CAUSE OF THE EVENT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO COMPONENT FAILURE. THE FAILURE WAS DUE TO MALFUNCTIONING REED SWITCHES. THE SWITCHES WERE REPAIRED AND THE RECORDER WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE.



[129] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-000S  
 SMOKE DETECTION MODIFICATIONS DELAYED.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 022682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: ENGINEERING WORKLOAD.

(NSIC 172871) ON NOVEMBER 21, 1980, A SPECIAL REPORT WAS SENT TO THE NRC WHICH STATED THAT AN ANALYSIS WAS BEING PERFORMED TO DETERMINE WHICH DETECTORS COULD MORE FULLY COMPLY WITH THE INTENT OF NFPA 72, AND THAT THE WORK WAS "EXPECTED" TO BE COMPLETE BY MARCH 1, 1982. AS A RESULT OF UNFORESEEN REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS SUCH AS APPENDIX R, 79-01B, AND TMI, AND THE CORRESPONDING MANPOWER DEMANDS PLACED ON THE A.E.'S, THE COMPLETE DESIGN PACKAGES HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED. THE AVAILABLE PARTIAL PACKAGES REVEAL A LARGER SCOPE OF WORK THAN ORIGINALLY ANTICIPATED, AND CONSEQUENTLY, MODIFICATION BY THE EXPECTED DATE IS NOT POSSIBLE. THE LICENSEE NOW INTENDS FOR THE MODIFICATIONS TO SAFETY RELATED AREA DETECTION SYSTEMS TO COINCIDE WITH THE SCHEDULE FOR APPENDIX R SMOKE DETECTION ADDITIONS.

[130] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-020  
 RCIC TURBINE PUMP DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO OIL LEAK.  
 EVENT DATE: 031882 REPORT DATE: 040882 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC CORE ISOL COOL SYS & CONT COMPONENT: TURBINES  
 CAUSE: CLOGGED DRAIN ORIFICE.

(NSIC 173020) WITH THE REACTOR MODE SWITCH IN THE RUN POSITION AND THE REACTOR AT A STEADY STATE OF POWER, WHILE PERFORMING RCIC PUMP OPERABILITY, AN OIL LEAK WAS FOUND ON THE RCIC TURBINE OUTBOARD BEARING HOUSING. THE RCIC WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND A LIMITING CONDITION OF OPERATION WAS ESTABLISHED PER TECH SPECS 3.5.E.2 AND 4.5.E.2. AN INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT A DRAIN ORIFICE INSIDE THE BEARING HOUSING WAS CLOGGED CAUSING THE OIL LEVEL INSIDE TO RISE ABOVE THE NORMAL LEVEL. THE ORIFICE WAS CLEARED AND THE RCIC WAS TESTED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[131] HATCH 1 DOCKET 50-321 LER 82-021  
 DRYWELL/TORUS MULTIPOINT RECORDER INOPERABLE ON FOUR OCCASIONS.  
 EVENT DATE: 032282 REPORT DATE: 042082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: LOOSE COUPLING.

(NSIC 173135) DRYWELL/TORUS MULTIPOINT RECORDER 1T47-4612, WAS FOUND INOPERABLE. TECH SPECS TABLE 3.2-11 REQUIRES TWO OPERABLE CHANNELS. THIS RECORDER FAILED AGAIN ON MARCH 25, 1982, MARCH 29, 1982 AND APRIL 5, 1982. REDUNDANT RECORDER 1T47-R611 WAS IN ALL CASES OPERABLE. PLANT OPERATION WAS PLACED IN A 30 DAY LCO AS A RESULT OF THIS EVENT. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT WAS COMPONENT FAILURE. THE FAILURE WAS DUE TO A LOOSE BALANCING UNIT COUPLING. THE INITIAL REPAIR AND SUBSEQUENT REPAIRS PROVED UNRELIABLE SO A DESIGN CHANGE WAS INITIATED TO REPLACE THE 1T47-R612 WITH THE SAME MODEL AS THE 1T47-R611. THE RECORDER WAS INSTALLED AND CALIBRATED AND THE LCO TERMINATED.

[132] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-009 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON TORUS LEVEL INDICATIONS DISAGREE.  
 EVENT DATE: 012382 REPORT DATE: 022382 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 173084) OPERATORS REPORTED THE A&B TORUS LEVEL INDICATORS WERE DIFFERENT. BOTH LOOP ALARM SETPOINTS WERE FOUND AT 145.7". TECH SPECS SECTION 3.6.2.1 REQUIRES ALARM AT / 146". THE "A" TRANSMITTER WAS FOUND WITH AN ERROR OF 0.4". THE "B" TRANSMITTER WAS FOUND WITH A 0.6" ERROR. THE CAUSE OF THE EVENT

WAS INSTRUMENT DRIFT. THE INSTRUMENTS WERE RECALIBRATED, REFERENCE LEGS BACKFILLED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[133] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-012  
 RCIC TURBINE TRIP AND THROTTLE VALVE FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 012682 REPORT DATE: 022382 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC CORE ISOL COOL SYS & CONT COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: OXIDIZED CONTACTS ON TRIP COIL.

(NSIC 173069) WITH UNIT 2 IN HOT STANDBY THE RCIC STEAM LINE DP FT&C (HNP-2-3410) WAS BEING PERFORMED. IT WAS FOUND THAT UPON RECEIVING A HI DP SIGNAL THE RCIC TURBINE TRIP & THROTTLE VALVE WOULD NOT ELECTRICALLY TRIP CLOSED. PER TECH SPEC 3.3.2-1 RCIC WAS DECLARED INOP. HPCI WAS OPERABLE DURING THE RCIC LCO PERIOD. THE RCIC TURBINE TRIP & THROTTLE VALVE WOULD NOT TRIP CLOSED DUE TO OXIDIZED CONTACTS ON THE TRIP COIL ASSEMBLY, THEREBY INSULATING THE TRIP SIGNAL TO THE TRIP COIL. THE CONTACTS WERE CLEANED & RCIC WAS PROVEN OPERABLE. THE TRIP MECHANISM IS CHECKED 5 TIMES PER MONTH AND NO CHANGE IN DESIGN IS PLANNED.

[134] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-014  
 DRYWELL AIRLOCK FAILS LEAK RATE TEST.  
 EVENT DATE: 012882 REPORT DATE: 022382 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: PENETRATIONS, PRIMARY CONTAIN  
 CAUSE: DAMAGED SHAFT AND SEAL ON OUTER DOOR.

(NSIC 173064) A LOCAL LEAK RATE TEST WAS DONE ON THE DRYWELL PERSONNEL AIRLOCK INNERSPACE (AS PER HNP-2-3952, PRIMARY CONTAINMENT PERIODIC TYPE B AND TYPE C LEAKAGE TESTS) AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 4.6.1.3.B. A REVIEW OF THE TEST RESULTS DETERMINED THAT THE LEAKAGE RATE WAS IN EXCESS OF THE .05 LA LIMIT DICTATED BY TECH SPEC 3.5.1.3.B. AN INVESTIGATION DETERMINED THAT THE CAUSE OF THE INNERSPACE LEAKING WAS DUE TO A DAMAGED SHAFT AND SEAL ASSEMBLY ON THE OUTER AIRLOCK DOOR (THE SHAFT IS USED TO OPERATE INNER DOOR). CORRECTIVE ACTION CONSISTED OF REMOVING THE DAMAGED ASSEMBLY AND TEMPORARILY REPLACING IT WITH A BLIND FLANGE. THE INNERSPACE WAS THEN SUCCESSFULLY RETESTED.

[135] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-017  
 DRYWELL TEMPERATURE RECORDER FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021182 REPORT DATE: 022382 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INPUT SELECTOR BOARD FAILURE.

(NSIC 173063) OPERATORS REPORTED DRYWELL TEMPERATURE RECORDER, 2T47-R627, WAS INOPERABLE. THE REDUNDANT CHANNEL WAS OPERABLE. TECH SPECS SECTION 3.3.6.4-1 REQUIRES 2 MONITORS OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THE EVENT WAS FAILURE OF THE RECORDER INPUT SELECTOR BOARD. THE BOARD WAS REPLACED AND THE RECORDER RECALIBRATED. THE RECORDER WAS PUT BACK IN SERVICE.

[136] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-013  
 CONTAINMENT GASEOUS MONITORING SYSTEM INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 021482 REPORT DATE: 030482 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCSS & EPF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: WEAROUT OF SAMPLE PUMP.

(NSIC 173066) WHILE PERFORMING ROUTINE SURVEILLANCE, THE SAMPLE PUMP FOR PRIMARY CONTAINMENT GASEOUS MONITORING SYSTEM WAS INOPERABLE. THIS IS A FAILURE TO MEET TECH SPEC 3.4.3.1.C. REQUIREMENT OF OPERABILITY OF THIS SYSTEM DURING REACTOR OPERATIONS. THE REASON THAT THE MONITOR WAS INOPERABLE WAS ATTRIBUTED TO BEARING FAILURE ON METAL BELLOWS DRIVE SHAFT FROM NORMAL WEAR DURING CONTINUOUS OPERATION

FOR ABOUT 6 YEARS. THE ENTIRE PUMP WAS REPLACED AND THE UNIT WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE IN THREE DAYS WITH SATISFACTORY RESULTS.

[137] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-000S  
 BATTERY MAINTENANCE CAUSED SCRAM AND HPCI ACTUATION.  
 EVENT DATE: 021782 REPORT DATE: 040682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: DC ONSITE POWER SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: BATTERIES & CHARGERS  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE ERROR.

(NSIC 172876) AN ELECTRICIAN WAS PERFORMING WEEKLY PILOT CELL SURVEILLANCE AND FOUND THE "A" 125/250 VOLTS D.C. STATION SERVICE BATTERIES WITH LOW SPECIFIC GRAVITY. THE ELECTRICIAN NOTIFIED THE SHIFT FOREMAN AND BEGAN CHARGING THE BATTERIES PER PROCEDURE. WHEN THE BATTERIES WERE PLACED ON CHARGE, THE VOLTAGE WENT FROM 130 TO 142 VOLTS D.C. THIS CAUSED THE TOPAZ INVERTER THAT SUPPLIES POWER TO THE "B" REACTOR LEVEL INSTRUMENT TO TRIP ON HIGH VOLTAGE. THE "B" LEVEL INSTRUMENT WENT TO ZERO CAUSING THE LEVEL CONTROLS TO INCREASE REACTOR FEEDPUMP FLOW WHICH RAISED WATER LEVEL. THE MAIN AND RFP TURBINES TRIPPED ON HIGH WATER LEVEL AND THE REACTOR SCRAMMED ON TVS FAST CLOSURE. HPCI WAS MANUALLY STARTED AND INJECTED TO MAINTAIN WATER LEVEL. LEVEL DROPPED TO A MINIMUM OF MINUS 25 INCHES DURING THE TRANSIENT. AS OF THE DATE OF THIS REPORT THERE HAVE BEEN TWENTY-THREE (23) INCIDENTS WITH HPCI INJECTIONS INTO THE REACTOR VESSEL.

[138] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-020  
 ACCUMULATOR FOR STANLBY LIQUID CONTROL SYSTEM TWICE DEPRESSURIZED.  
 EVENT DATE: 021882 REPORT DATE: 031182 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER ENGNRD SAFETY FEATR SYS COMPONENT: ACCUMULATORS  
 CAUSE: VALVE STEAM LEAK AND RUPTURED BLADDER.

(NSIC 173057) WHILE PERFORMING THE STANDBY LIQUID CONTROL (SBLC) PUMP OPERABILITY AND RELIEF VALVE TEST PROCEDURE, HNP-2-3702, AND HNP-2-6310 MONTHLY SURVEILLANCE, THE ACCUMULATOR IN 2C41-A003B WAS FOUND DEPRESSURIZED. THE REDUNDANT LOOP "A" WAS OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THESE EVENTS WAS A LEAKING VALVE STEM AND A RUPTURED BLADDER. THE VALVE STEM AND BLADDER WERE REPLACED AND THE SYSTEM WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[139] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-022  
 VARIOUS ISOLATION VALVES FAIL LEAKAGE TESTS.  
 EVENT DATE: 022282 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 173056) DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF LOCAL LEAK RATE TESTS WHILE SHUTDOWN FOR A REFUELING/TORUS MODIFICATION OUTAGE, VARIOUS CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVES HAVE NOT HAD ACCEPTABLE RESULTS DURING THEIR INITIAL TESTS. THIS IS A REPETITIVE EVENT (SEE RO REPORT NUMBER 50-366/1980-021). THE CAUSE FOR THE UNACCEPTABLE LEAKAGE RATES FOR THESE VALVES IS UNDER INVESTIGATION. MAINTENANCE IS NOT COMPLETE AT THIS TIME; CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE WILL BE PERFORMED SUCH THAT THE ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA OF TECH SPECS AND 10CFR50 APP. J ARE MET PRIOR TO STARTUP. AN UPDATED REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER UNIT STARTUP.

[140] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-021  
 LIQUID RADWASTE TANK PARTIALLY DISCHARGED WITHOUT SAMPLING.  
 EVENT DATE: 022782 REPORT DATE: 031682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: LIQ RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: RADIATION PROTECTION TECHNICIAN ERROR.

(NSIC 172888) WHILE UNIT 2 WAS SHUT DOWN FOR A REFUELING OUTAGE, LIQUID RADWASTE

TANK (CHEMICAL WASTES SAMPLE TANK A) WAS DISCHARGED PARTIALLY PRIOR TO ANALYSIS WHICH IS CONTRARY TO E.T.S. SECTION 2.1.2.B. APPROXIMATELY 3968 GALLONS CONTAINING 110 MICROCURIES WERE RELEASED TO THE ALTAMAHA RIVER. NO 10 CFR 20 CONCENTRATION LIMITS WERE EXCEEDED. A LABORATORY TECHNICIAN HAD ERRONEOUSLY USED AN ISOTOPIC ANALYSIS ON ANOTHER TANK WHICH WAS STORED ON THE MCA WHEN HE ISSUED THE DISCHARGE PERMIT FOR CWSTA. ALL TECHNICIANS HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO BE EXTREMELY CAREFUL IN ISSUING PERMITS AND TO ERASE ALL SPECTRA FROM MCA ONCE A PERMIT IS ISSUED.

[141] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-010  
 PROCEDURE FOR TEMPORARY PROCEDURE CHANGES DECLARED INADEQUATE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030482 REPORT DATE: 031882 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS INADEQUATE.

(NSIC 172889) WITH UNIT 2 IN A REFUELING OUTAGE, IT WAS REALIZED THAT THE EXISTING METHOD OF HANDLING TEMPORARY PROCEDURE CHANGES WAS DEFICIENT. THE DEFICIENCY ALLOWED A PROCEDURE TO BE PERFORMED WITHOUT INCORPORATING CHANGES MADE PREVIOUSLY UNDER A TEMPORARY CHANGE, BUT PRIOR TO PERMANENT PROCEDURE REVISION ISSUANCE. THIS WAS DETERMINED REPORTABLE UNDER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.8.F AS A PROMPT NOTIFICATION EVENT. THE CAUSE WAS DUE TO ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS NOT ADDRESSING A METHOD OF ASSURING THAT UNTIL PERMANENT PROCEDURE REVISIONS ARE APPROVED, TEMPORARY CHANGES ARE MADE TO THE PROCEDURE. HNP-9 "PROCEDURE WRITING AND CONTROL" WAS REVISED TO HAVE TEMPORARY CHANGES PLACED IN PROCEDURE MANUALS AS A REFERENCE UNTIL THE NORMAL PROCEDURE REVISION IS APPROVED.

[142] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-018  
 MAIN STEAM PIPE HANGER PULLS AWAY FROM CEILING.  
 EVENT DATE: 030882 REPORT DATE: 041282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SYSTEMS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
 CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 172953) EVIDENCE WAS DISCOVERED OF THE MAIN STEAM PIPE HANGER 2N11-MS-H13 EMBED PLATE PULLING FROM THE CEILING. THIS HANGER IS DOWNSTREAM OF THE MSIV AND OPERABILITY WAS NOT AFFECTED. THE CAUSE OF THE HANGER FAILURE IS BEING INVESTIGATED BY THE A/E. THE A/E IS SUPPLYING A PACKAGE WHICH REDESIGNS THE PIPE SUPPORT. THIS NEW DESIGN WILL BE IMPLEMENTED PRIOR TO STARTUP FROM THE CURRENT REFUELING OUTAGE. AN UPDATE REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED WHEN THE INVESTIGATION IS COMPLETE.

[143] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-023  
 MAIN STEAM SAFETY RELIEF VALVE MISSING PILOT SENSING TUBE.  
 EVENT DATE: 031282 REPORT DATE: 040882 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SYSTEMS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: WELD FAILURES.

(NSIC 173055) WITH UNIT 2 IN REFUELING MODE, BENCH TESTING OF THE MAIN STEAM SAFETY RELIEF VALVES WAS IN PROGRESS PER HNP-2-6020. WYLE PERSONNEL NOTED THAT THE PILOT SENSING TUBE WAS MISSING FROM VALVE S/N 312. ALL OF THE OTHER TEN RELIEF VALVES WERE AVAILABLE AND OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT WAS FAILURE OF THE WELDS THAT HOLD THE SENSING TUBE IN PLACE. THE TUBE WILL BE REPLACED BY THE VENDOR PRIOR TO REINSTALLATION OF THE VALVE. THE AFFECTED WELDS ON ALL OTHER UNIT 2 VALVES WILL BE INSPECTED PRIOR TO UNIT STARTUP. THE AFFECTED WELDS ON ALL UNIT 1 VALVES WILL BE INSPECTED DURING THE NEXT REFUELING OUTAGE.

[144] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-025  
 REFUELING FLOOR ISOLATION DAMPER FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 032282 REPORT DATE: 040882 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: AIR COND,HEAT,COOL,VENT SYSTEM COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: LIMIT SWITCH FAILURE.

(NSIC 173054) WHILE THE PLANT WAS IN A REFUELING OUTAGE AND PERFORMING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT ISOLATION DAMPER OPERABILITY, HNP-2-3189, THE FUELING FLOOR VENT EXHAUST FAN ISOLATION DAMPER, 2T41-F023B, FAILED TO CLOSE WITHIN 4.2 SECS. AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPECS 3.9.5.2. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO A DEFECTIVE CLOSE INDICATING LIMIT SWITCH. THE SWITCH WAS REPLACED AND RETESTED SATISFACTORILY, THEN RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[145] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-027  
 REACTOR BUILDING RADIATION MONITOR TEST AND CALIBRATION NOT PERFORMED.  
 EVENT DATE: 032582 REPORT DATE: 041682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 173052) WHILE THE PLANT WAS IN REFUELING, HNP-2-3553, REACTOR BUILDING EXHAUST VENT RADIATION MONITOR FUNCTIONAL TEST AND CALIBRATION, EXCEEDED THE SURVEILLANCE INTERVAL BY 2 DAYS. TECH SPECS SECTION 4.3.2-1 REQUIRES FUNCTIONAL TEST MONTHLY. THIS IS A REPETITIVE EVENT AS LAST REPORTED ON REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE REPORT NO. 50-366/1981-050. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO PERSONNEL ERROR. PERSONNEL FAILED TO SCHEDULE WORK REQUIRED. UPON DISCOVERY OF THE ERROR, THE MISSED SURVEILLANCE WAS IMMEDIATELY PERFORMED. THE RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL HAVE BEEN COUNSELED AS TO THE IMPORTANCE OF SCHEDULING ALL REQUIRED SURVEILLANCE.

[146] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-026  
 TEMPORARY PROCEDURAL CHANGES NOT PROPERLY REVIEWED.  
 EVENT DATE: 032682 REPORT DATE: 042282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 173130) WITH THE REACTOR IN REFUELING, PERSONNEL FOUND THE TEMPORARY CHANGES MADE TO PROCEDURE HNP-2-3191, CHANNEL LOGIC TIME RESPONSE TESTING, WERE NOT REVIEWED BY THE PLANT REVIEW BOARD WITHIN THE REQUIRED 14 DAYS (TECH SPECS 6.8.3). THIS IS A REPETITIVE EVENT AS LAST REPORTED ON REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE REPORT NO. 50-321/1981-057. THE CAUSE OF THE VENT WAS ATTRIBUTED TO PERSONNEL ERROR. THE PERSONNEL MAKING THE OVERSIGHT WERE REMINDED OF THE IMPORTANCE OF MEETING TECH SPECS REQUIREMENTS. THE PROCEDURE CHANGES WERE EXPEDITED TO THE PRB FOR REVIEW.

[147] HATCH 2 DOCKET 50-366 LER 82-028  
 STANDBY GAS TREATMENT SYSTEM FAILS TO COMPLY WITH TECH SPECS.  
 EVENT DATE: 040282 REPORT DATE: 041382 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT AIR PURI & CLEANUP SYS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURAL DEFICIENCY.

(NSIC 173053) THE STANDBY GAS TREATMENT (SBGT) FILTER TRAIN 2T46-D001B WAS FOUND NOT TO BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH TECH SPEC 4.6.6.1.1. THE FILTER TRAIN WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ALL REFUELING OPERATIONS WERE STOPPED. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT HAS BEEN ATTRIBUTED TO AN ERROR IN THE TESTING PROCEDURE FOR SBGT, WHICH CALLS FOR AN ADSORPTION EFFICIENCY OF / 90% FOR METHYL IODIDE. TECH SPEC 4.6.6.1.1 REFERENCES REG. GUIDE 1.52, REV. 1 WHICH SPECIFIES AN ADSORPTION CRITERIA OF / 99%. THE CHARCOAL WAS REPLACED AND TESTED. THE PROCEDURE WAS REVISED.



[148] HUMBOLDT BAY DOCKET 50-133 LER 82-003  
 FIRE PUMP MOTOR FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 031982 REPORT DATE: 041682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: MOTORS  
 CAUSE: DETERIORATION DUE TO AGE.

(NSIC 173062) WITH THE NUCLEAR UNIT SHUTDOWN, A GROUND WAS DETECTED AT FIRE PUMP #3 MOTOR. THE MOTOR BREAKER WAS OPENED AND TAGGED. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE UNDER TECH SPEC IX.1.2.B.(2). TECH SPECS ALLOW OPERATION WITH ONLY THE TWO REMAINING FIRE PUMPS. MOTOR IS G.E. MODEL 5K4364A11A1A. THE FIRE PUMP STATOR WAS GROUNDED. THE CAUSE WAS AGE AND DETERIORATION. STATOR IS TO BE REWOUND LOCALLY, TESTED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. A PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE FOR THIS MOTOR IS TO BE ESTABLISHED.

[149] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 81-033  
 CONTAINMENT AIR LOCK TEST NOT PERFORMED WHEN REQUIRED.  
 EVENT DATE: 121781 REPORT DATE: 011882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: PENETRATIONS, PRIMARY CONTAIN  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172802) CONTAINMENT AIR LOCK TYPE 'B' TEST, PT-SA 10, WAS PERFORMED SEVEN DAYS LATE. THERE WERE NO ADVERSE CONSEQUENCES SINCE BOTH AIR LOCKS TESTED SATISFACTORILY AT THAT TIME. CON EDISON HAS REVISED IT'S FOLLOWUP SYSTEM TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL ASSURANCE THAT ALL SURVEILLANCE TESTS REQUIRED BY THE TECH SPECS WILL BE COMPLETED WITHIN THE PRESCRIBED SURVEILLANCE INTERVAL. THE FOLLOWUP SYSTEM NOW INCLUDES WRITTEN NOTIFICATION TO STATION MANAGEMENT PRIOR TO THE END OF THE SURVEILLANCE INTERVAL.

[150] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 82-001  
 DRIFT IN STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL CHANNEL.  
 EVENT DATE: 010682 REPORT DATE: 020582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: BLOCKAGE IN IMPULSE LINES.

(NSIC 172927) IT WAS OBSERVED THAT NO. 23 STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL CHANNEL 437B WAS DRIFTING IN THE HIGH LEVEL DIRECTION. THE AFFECTED CHANNEL WAS PLACED IN THE TRIP CONDITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC 3.5 THUS FULLY MEETING THE INSTRUMENT'S REQUIRED SAFETY FUNCTION. A BLOCKAGE IN THE IMPULSE LINES TO THE FOXBORO LEVEL TRANSMITTER 437B WAS BLOWN OUT. THE INSTRUMENT WAS RETURNED TO NORMAL SERVICE AND RESPONDED PROPERLY.

[151] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 82-002  
 WCPPS AIR CONSUMPTION EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 011082 REPORT DATE: 020982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER ENGRD SAFETY FEATR SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LEAKY VALVE.

(NSIC 172928) WELD CHANNEL AND PENETRATION PRESSURIZATION SYSTEM (WCPPS) AIR CONSUMPTION WAS IN EXCESS OF THE TECH SPEC (TECH SPEC 3.3.D.2.B) LIMIT OF 0.2% OF CONTAINMENT VOLUME PER DAY. THE EXCESS AIR LEAKAGE WAS IN THE WELD CHANNEL ZONE THAT SUPPLIES THE CONTAINMENT PRESSURE RELIEF VALVES (1 OF 4 SEPARATE ZONES). EXCESSIVE SEAT LEAKAGE WAS FOUND FOR 10" FISCHER BUTTERFLY VALVE NO. 1192. THIS PARTICULAR VALVE IS THE OUTERMOST OF THREE SERIES ISOLATION VALVES IN THE CONTAINMENT PRESSURE RELIEF LINE. THE VALVE WAS REMOVED AND ITS SEAT REPLACED. AFTER A SATISFACTORY BENCH TEST, THE VALVE WAS REINSTALLED.

[152] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 82-013  
 SERVICE WATER PUMP VIBRATION EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 022182 REPORT DATE: 032382 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: STATION SERV WATER SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: GLAND SEAL VIBRATION.

(NSIC 173018) DURING TESTING NO. 23 SERVICE WATER PUMP INDICATED A VIBRATION OF 4.6 MILS. SINCE THIS EXCEEDED THE SECTION XI REQUIRED ACTION RANGE THE PUMP WAS REMOVED FROM SERVICE AND THE ESSENTIAL SERVICE WATER HEADER WAS REALIGNED AS PER TECH SPEC 3.3.F.2. PREVIOUS SIMILAR EVENT: RO 77-2-3B. THE CAUSE OF THE HIGH VIBRATION APPEARED TO BE LOCATED IN THE PUMP GLAND SEAL AREA. THE PACKING AND LANTERN RING WERE REMOVED; COMPONENTS INSPECTED, THE PUMP REPACKED AND RETESTED. VIBRATION FOLLOWING REPAIR WAS ACCEPTABLE (0.9 MILS). PUMP MANUFACTURED BY LAYNE BOWLER PUMP CO. S/N D14861F, VERTILINE CLOSE COUPLED PUMP, MODEL 300 SW 16F3.

[153] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 82-008  
 WELD CHANNEL AND CONTAINMENT PENETRATION PRESSURIZATION SYSTEM ISOLATED.  
 EVENT DATE: 022482 REPORT DATE: 032682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172835) DURING A ROUTINE INSPECTION, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT THREE LINES IN RACK 15 (A PORTION OF ZONE 2) OF THE WELD CHANNEL & CONTAINMENT PENETRATION PRESSURIZATION SYSTEM WERE ISOLATED (T.S.3.3.D.2.A). RACK 15 SUPPLIES THE STEAM AND FEEDWATER LINE PENETRATIONS. THE DESIGN BASIS OF THE SYSTEM IS TO PREVENT CONTAINMENT OUT-LEAKAGE BY MAINTAINING A HIGHER EXTERNAL PRESSURE ON THE LINER WELDS AND PENETRATIONS. THE AFFECTED LINES WERE PROMPTLY RETURNED TO NORMAL SERVICE AND A COMPLETE CHECK OF THE SYSTEM WAS MADE TO ASSURE PROPER LINE UPS.

[154] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 82-009  
 BIT NITROGEN PRESSURE INSUFFICIENT.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LOW END OF TECH SPEC PRESSURE RANGE INSUFFICIENT.

(NSIC 172974) BASED ON A REVIEW OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE BORON INJECTION TANK (BIT) NITROGEN PRESSURE AND THE VOLUME OF BORIC ACID SOLUTION, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT A REDUCTION OF NITROGEN PRESSURE REQUIRED CORRECTIVE MEASURES TO PREVENT OPERATION IN A MANNER LESS CONSERVATIVE THAN ASSUMED IN THE SAFETY ANALYSIS IN THE FSAR. THE APPRECIATION OF THE PRESSURE/VOLUME RELATIONSHIP COUPLED WITH THE MALFUNCTION OF THE NITROGEN REGULATOR VALVES PERMITTED OPERATION OF THE BORON INJECTION TANKS AT A PRESSURE LOWER THAN SHOULD HAVE BEEN MAINTAINED.

[155] INDIAN POINT 2 DOCKET 50-247 LER 82-010  
 ACCIDENT ANALYSIS UNCOVERS DEFICIENT PROCEDURES.  
 EVENT DATE: 031182 REPORT DATE: 031182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: DEFICIENT ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS.

(NSIC 172984) THE STEAMLINE BREAK ACCIDENT ANALYSES ARE PRESENTED IN SECTION 14.2.5 OF THE FSAR. CASES ANALYZED ASSUME THAT THE UNIT IS INITIALLY AT HOT SHUTDOWN CONDITIONS SINCE THESE CONDITIONS RESULT IN THE MOST CONSERVATIVE ASSESSMENT OF EFFECTS ON THE REACTOR CORE AND COOLANT SYSTEMS. AS PART OF THE ANALYSES, CERTAIN MINIMUM ENGINEERED SAFEGUARDS EQUIPMENT IS ASSUMED TO OPERATE TO MITIGATE AND TERMINATE THE TRANSIENT. PRESENT PROCEDURES REQUIRE THE NECESSARY SAFEGUARDS EQUIPMENT TO BE OPERABLE PRIOR TO BRINGING THE REACTOR CRITICAL BUT DO NOT ESTABLISH SPECIFIC OPERABILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS EQUIPMENT WHEN THE RCS TEMPERATURE EXCEEDS 350 F AND THE REACTOR IS NOT CRITICAL.

THUS, TO PROVIDE CLEAR DIRECTION FOR THE PLANT OPERATORS, THE LICENSEE WILL REVISE OPERATING PROCEDURES TO EXPLICITLY REQUIRE THE OPERABILITY OF SAFEGUARDS EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO MITIGATE A STEAMLINE BREAK TRANSIENT PRIOR TO HEATING THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM ABOVE 350 F FROM THE COLD SHUTDOWN CONDITION.

[156] INDIAN POINT 3 DOCKET 50-286 LER 82-002  
 STEAM GENERATOR LEAKAGE DUE TO SHELL SIDE DEFECT.  
 EVENT DATE: 032782 REPORT DATE: 040982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SUPPLY SYS & CONT COMPONENT: HEAT EXCHANGERS  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 172895) WHILE AT COLD SHUTDOWN DURING A REFUELING OUTAGE, A SMALL LEAK ON THE SHELL SIDE OF STEAM GENERATOR NO. 32 WAS OBSERVED. AN OVAL-SHAPED HOLE WAS DISCOVERED IN THE UPPER GIRTH WELD OF THE GENERATOR. THE HOLE MEASURES APPROXIMATELY 5/8 INCH BY 1/8 INCH. AS THE STEAM GENERATOR SHELL IS CONSIDERED TO BE AN EXTENSION OF THE PRIMARY CONTAINMENT BOUNDARY, THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE UNDER TECH SPEC 6.9.2.7.C. AS THE LEAK WAS ON THE SECONDARY SIDE OF THE GENERATOR, SECONDARY WATER LEVEL WAS LOWERED TO A POINT BELOW THAT OF THE HOLE, THEREBY TERMINATING THE LEAKAGE. FURTHER ANALYSIS OF THIS EVENT AND REPAIR OF THE STEAM GENERATOR SHELL WILL BE PERFORMED DURING THE PRESENT REFUELING OUTAGE. NO SIMILAR EVENTS HAVE BEEN REPORTED TO DATE.

[157] KEWAUNEE DOCKET 50-305 LER 82-000S  
 FAILURE OF CONTROL ROOM RADIATION MONITOR REQUIRES TEMPORARY REPLACEMENT.  
 EVENT DATE: NA REPORT DATE: 041582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AREA MONITORING SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: MONITOR FAILURE.

(NSIC 172976) UPON INDICATION OF CHANNEL R-1 CONTROL ROOM AREA MONITOR FAILURE, THE OPERATIONS STAFF PLACED A PORTABLE RADIATION MONITOR IN SERVICE IN THE CONTROL ROOM. A CHECK OF THIS MONITOR WAS PERFORMED DAILY. MONTHLY TESTING WAS NOT PERFORMED AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPECS (TABLE 4.1-1 ITEM 19) SINCE NO ALARMS WERE AVAILABLE ON THE PORTABLE INSTRUMENT TO TEST. REPLACEMENT PARTS FOR R-1 WERE ORDERED AND DELIVERY IS EXPECTED WITHIN SIX TO NINE MONTHS. DUE TO THE LONG DELIVERY TIME, AN OFF-THE-SHELF AREA MONITOR (DOSIMETER CORPORATION AM-2) WITH VISIBLE AND AUDIBLE ALARMS WAS PURCHASED, CALIBRATED, AND PLACED IN THE CONTROL ROOM. THIS MONITOR WILL BE CHECKED DAILY AND TESTED MONTHLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPECS TABLE 4.1-1 UNTIL R-1 IS REPAIRED AND PLACED IN SERVICE.

[158] KEWAUNEE DOCKET 50-305 LER 82-004  
 RHR PUMP SUCTION VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030882 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: RESIDUAL HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 173094) DURING RHR PUMP AND VALVE TESTING, VALVE SI 300B (RWST TO RHR PUMP 1B SUCTION) FAILED TO CLOSE. THIS VALVE MAY BE INOPERABLE FOR UP TO 24 HOURS PER TECH SPEC 3.3.A.2.D; THIS IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.2.B.(2) AS OPERATION PERMITTED BY AN LCO. THE REDUNDANT TRAIN WAS DEMONSTRATED OPERABLE. VALVE STICKING IN THIS SYSTEM HAS NOT BEEN A RECURRENT PROBLEM. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT IS UNKNOWN, SINCE MANUAL OPERATION OF THE VALVE WAS SUCCESSFUL, AND MULTIPLE CYCLING FROM THE CONTROL ROOM REVEALED NO FURTHER DIFFICULTIES. NO FURTHER CORRECTIVE ACTION IS SCHEDULED.



WAS FILED. HOSE WAS RECLAMPED TO FITTING AND TESTED SATISFACTORILY, RESULTING IN 3 OPERABLE SUCTION HOSES. FURTHER INSPECTION TO BE CONDUCTED.

[163] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 81-021  
 STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL CHANNEL FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 092381 REPORT DATE: 092981 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: NOT STATED.

(NSIC 172917) LT-1213A WAS DE-ENERGIZED WHILE REPAIRING A LOCKING DEVICE ON CONNECTOR FOR L1A-1213A, UPON RE-ENERGIZING LT-1213A THE TRANSMITTER FAILED HIGH. THIS RESULTED IN A LOSS OF CHANNEL A LOW STEAM GENERATOR WATER LEVEL TRIP PROTECTION. INVESTIGATION BY THE I&C DEPARTMENT DETERMINED THAT THE TRANSMITTER WOULD HAVE TO BE REPLACED. THE UNIT WAS REPLACED AND CALIBRATION PERFORMED SATISFACTORY.

[164] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 81-022  
 HPSI VALVE STEM TOLERANCE BUILDUP EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 092581 REPORT DATE: 093081 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: WEAR.

(NSIC 172923) QUARTERLY SURVEILLANCE MEASUREMENT OF HPSI VALVE STEM STOPS WAS IN PROGRESS WHEN ON HPSI VALVE WAS FOUND TO HAVE ADVERSE TOLERANCE BUILDUP. TOLERANCE BUILDUP WAS DUE TO PERIODIC DISASSEMBLY, INSPECTION, REASSEMBLY PLUS NORMAL WEAR SUBSEQUENT TO OPERATION. THE HPSI VALVE WAS READJUSTED TO WITHIN TOLERANCE VIA PROCEDURE AND RETESTED SATISFACTORY.

[165] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-007  
 DIESEL GENERATOR AIR START MOTORS FAIL TO DISENGAGE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030382 REPORT DATE: 031782 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG GENERATOR SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: SOLENOID VALVE FAILURE.

(NSIC 172973) DURING NORMAL OPERATION, WHILE PERFORMING MONTHLY SURVEILLANCE OF 'A' TRAIN DIESEL GENERATOR, BOTH AIR MOTOR DRIVE PINIONS FAILED TO DISENGAGE THE FLYWHEEL RING GEAR AFTER START. THE DIESEL WAS IMMEDIATELY SHUTDOWN USING THE FUEL RACK LEVER. THIS PLACED THE PLANT IN A DEGRADED MODE PERMITTED BY AN LCO. THE CAUSE OF THE MALFUNCTION WAS A DEFECTIVE START SOLENOID VALVE THAT OPENS ON A START SIGNAL TO SUPPLY AIR TO THE AIR MOTORS. THE SOLENOID VALVE FAILED TO CLOSE WHEN THE START SIGNAL TERMINATED. THE SOLENOID VALVE WAS REPLACED IN KIND AND RETESTED SATISFACTORILY.

[166] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-008  
 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW INDICATION FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: POWER SUPPLY FAILURE.

(NSIC 172982) WHILE PERFORMING MONTHLY CHECKS ON AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW CHANNELS THE I & C DEPARTMENT NOTED THAT FIT-1201C AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW INDICATION HAD FAILED. INVESTIGATION BY THE I & C DEPARTMENT DETERMINED THAT THE POWER SUPPLY HAD FAILED. THE POWER SUPPLY WAS REPLACED IN KIND AND RETESTED SATISFACTORILY.



[167] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-009  
 CONTROL ROOM VENTILATION MOV FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030882 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: MOTORS  
 CAUSE: DIRT AND OIL IN MOTOR.

(NSIC 172981) DURING CIS SURVEILLANCE TESTING A CONTROL ROOM VENTILATION MOV FAILED TO CLOSE. THE UPSTREAM CIS VALVE DID CLOSE PROPERLY. INVESTIGATION BY THE MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT DETERMINED THAT THE MOTOR HAD FAILED DUE TO ACCUMULATION OF OIL AND DIRT IN THE MOTOR HOUSING. THE MOTOR WAS REPLACED IN KIND AND TESTED SATISFACTORILY.

[168] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-010  
 STACK MONITORS INOPERABLE WHEN FILTERS TAGGED OUT.  
 EVENT DATE: 030982 REPORT DATE: 032382 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: FILTERS  
 CAUSE: LICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172978) IT WAS FOUND THAT THE PRIMARY VENT STACK CONTINUOUS HALOGEN AND PARTICULATE SAMPLE FILTERS WERE TAGGED OUT FOR THE PERIOD BETWEEN THIRD SHIFT ON 3/9/82 AND 1500 HOURS ON 3/12/82. CONSEQUENTLY, FOR THE ABOVE PERIOD, GROSS BETA-GAMMA GROSS ALPHA, INDIVIDUAL GAMMA EMITTERS, AND SR-89 AND SI-90 RESULTS ARE NOT AVAILABLE. PRIMARY VENT STACK APD WAS OPERATIONAL DURING THIS PERIOD. THE SAMPLE SYSTEM WAS INADVERTENTLY TAGGED OUT WITHOUT NOTIFYING THE CHEMISTRY SECTION. AS SOON AS THIS CONDITION WAS DISCOVERED, THE TAGS WERE CLEARED AND THE SYSTEM WAS PLACED INTO OPERATION. INSTRUCTION ON THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS SYTEM WILL BE INCORPORATED INTO FUTURE OPERATOR TRAINING/RETRAINING.

[169] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-005  
 SIX STEAM GENERATOR MANWAY STUDS BROKEN.  
 EVENT DATE: 031082 REPORT DATE: 031482 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SUPPLY SYS & CONT COMPONENT: HEAT EXCHANGERS  
 CAUSE: STRESS CORROSION FAILURES.

(NSIC 172913) WITH THE PLANT IN THE COLD SHUTDOWN CONDITION, WHILE REMOVING #2 S/G PRIMARY MANWAYS, SIX (6) TC MANWAY STUDS WERE BROKEN AND AFTER NDE TESTING FOUR (4) TC MANWAY STUDS WERE DETERMINED TO HAVE LINEAR INDICATIONS. PRELIMINARY LABORATORY ANALYSIS INDICATES POSSIBLE STRESS CORROSION FAILURE. ADDITIONAL LABORATORY ANALYSIS IS BEING PERFORMED TO DETERMINE ACTUAL MODE OF FAILURE. PRIOR TO RESTART ALL MANWAY STUDS FROM REMAINING S/G'S HAVE TO BE MAGNETIC PARTICLE AND ULTRASONICALLY TESTED TO VERIFY THAT THE STUD FAILURES ARE LIMITED TO THE #2 S/G TC MANWAY.

[170] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-013  
 DIVERSION OF WATER TO RWST CAUSES LOW PRESSURIZER LEVEL.  
 EVENT DATE: 032482 REPORT DATE: 040182 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: RESIDUAL HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172866) WITH THE PLANT IN COLD SHUTDOWN CONDITION WHILE MAKING PREPARATIONS FOR PLANT HEATUP PRESSURIZER LIQUID WAS DIVERTED TO THE RWST, LOWERING THE LEVEL TO APPROXIMATELY 800 GALLONS BELOW LOW LEVEL INDICATION. LOSS OF PRESSURIZER LEVEL WAS DUE TO MALPOSITIONING OF AN RHR ISOLATION VALVE AND AN RHR RECIRCULATION VALVE. THE ISOLATION VALVE SHOULD HAVE BEEN CLOSED PRIOR TO OPENING THE RECIRCULATION VALVE. PRESSURIZER LEVEL WAS NORMALIZED USING CHARGING PUMPS TAKING SUCTION FROM RWST. OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT WILL ISSUE A MEMO TO ALL OPERATORS RE-EMPHASIZING THE IMPORTANCE OF ADHERENCE TO PLANT PROCEDURES.

[171] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-015  
 CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE LEAK HALTS STARTUP.  
 EVENT DATE: 032582 REPORT DATE: 041482 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT AIR PURI & CLEANUP SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: DIRTY RUBBER SEAL.

(NSIC 173085) DURING PLANT HEATUP, WHILE PERFORMING CIS VALVE LEAK RATE TEST, VP-A-5 CONTAINMENT PURGE EXHAUST VALVE WAS FOUND TO BE LEAKING. THE RCS WAS COOLED DOWN TO THE COLD SHUTDOWN CONDITION. THE UPSTREAM CIS VALVE'S LEAK RATE WAS SATISFACTORY. INVESTIGATION BY THE MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT REVEALED THAT THE RUBBER SEAL OF THE 42-INCH VP-A-5 WAS DIRTY. THE RUBBER SEAL WAS CLEANED AND LUBRICATED. THE VALVE WAS RETESTED SATISFACTORILY.

[172] MAINE YANKEE DOCKET 50-309 LER 82-014  
 SHIFT TECHNICAL ADVISOR NOT STATIONED DURING STARTUP.  
 EVENT DATE: 032682 REPORT DATE: 041382 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 173087) DURING THE START OF PLANT HEAT-UP, THE STA WAS NOT STATIONED FROM 0100 HRS. - 0800 HRS., WHEN HE WAS REQUIRED TO BE, A PERIOD OF SEVEN HOURS. THIS RESULTED FROM A MISCONCEPTION ON THE PART OF THE ASSIGNED STA AND SHIFT OPERATING PERSONNEL. THIS IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 5.2.G. ALL STAS HAVE BEEN SENT A MEMO STATING THE TECH SPEC STA DUTY REQUIREMENTS.

[173] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 81-001 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON FAILURE OF 400 FIRE DETECTION TEMPERATURE SENSORS.  
 EVENT DATE: 012981 REPORT DATE: 031682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: MANUFACTURING ERROR.

(NSIC 172855) VARIOUS PORTIONS OF THE FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM WERE INOPERABLE FOR PERIODS EXCEEDING ONE HOUR FROM 1/29/81 THROUGH 2/12/81. THIS CONSTITUTES A DEGRADED MODE OF OPERATION PER T.S.3.3.3.7 WHICH IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO T.S.6.9.1.13(B). FIRE WATCHES AND FIRE PATROLS WERE ESTABLISHED AS REQUIRED WHILE THE INSTRUMENTS WERE INOPERABLE. SEVERAL FIRE DETECTORS WERE TAKEN OUT OF SERVICE DUE TO CONSTRUCTION IN THE AREA. SEVERAL FIRE DETECTION INSTRUMENTS WERE DISCOVERED TO BE INOPERABLE. FIRE WATCHES AND FIRE PATROLS WERE ESTABLISHED AS REQUIRED. THE DEFECTIVE FIXED TEMPERATURE FIRE DETECTORS (DOUGLAS RANDAL CO., KIDDIE E 135C 135F) WERE REPLACED WITH S 135C DETECTORS, AND THE DEFECTIVE DETECTORS EITHER RETURNED TO THE MANUFACTURER FOR REPLACEMENT, OR DISCARDED.

[174] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 81-188 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON ESF ACTUATION SWITCH FAILURES.  
 EVENT DATE: 121681 REPORT DATE: 031582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGNRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: CORROSION OF SWITCH CONTACTS.

(NSIC 172901) DURING PERFORMANCE OF THE ENGINEERED SAFETY FEATURES (ESF) ACTUATION PERIODIC TEST, VARIOUS INITIATE AND RESET SWITCHES ON 'A' AND 'B' TRAINS FAILED TO ACTUATE THEIR DESIGNED DEVICES, AND WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE. THIS IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.12(E). NO INCIDENTS HAVE OCCURRED SINCE FUEL LOADING WHICH REQUIRED MANUAL ACTUATION OF THE ESF LOADS. IF THE SWITCHES HAD BEEN NEEDED, ALL OF THE REQUIRED DEVICES COULD HAVE BEEN ACTUATED BY REPEATEDLY CYCLING THE DEFECTIVE SWITCHES. EXAMINATION AND ANALYSIS BY CUTLER HAMMER FOUND THAT A SILVER SULFIDE COATING WAS BUILDING UP ON THE SWITCHES' SILVER PLATED SWITCH CONTACTS, AND THE LOW VOLTAGES INVOLVED WERE UNABLE TO ESTABLISH A CURRENT PATH THROUGH THE COATING. ALL APPROPRIATE ESF MANUAL

SWITCHES WILL BE REPLACED WITH NEW SWITCH BLOCKS HAVING GOLD PLATED SWITCH CONTACTS.

[175] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 81-194  
 FIRE PUMP FAILS TO START.  
 EVENT DATE: 123081 REPORT DATE: 012982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: OVERCURRENT TRIP FOR UNKNOWN REASON.

(NSIC 172811) DURING THE FIRE PUMP OPERABILITY TEST, FIRE PUMP 'C' WOULD NOT START, AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. SINCE FIRE PUMP 'A' HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN DECLARED INOPERABLE, THIS VIOLATED TECH SPEC 3.7.10.1 WHICH IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.13(B). WHEN THE FIRE PUMP 'C' RECEIVED THE SIGNAL TO START, IT TRIPPED ON OVERCURRENT. FIRE PUMP 'A' WAS SUCCESSFULLY TESTED AND DECLARED OPERABLE ON 12/31/81, THUS SATISFYING THE ACTION STATEMENT OF TECH SPEC 3.7.10.1. ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO START FIRE PUMP 'A' AGAIN RESULTED IN IT TRIPPING ON OVERCURRENT. AS OF YET NOTHING HAS BEEN FOUND WRONG WITH THE PUMP AND MOTOR, AND INVESTIGATION IS CONTINUING. AN UPDATED REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED BY 2/26/82.

[176] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 81-194 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON FIRE PUMP FAILURE TO START.  
 EVENT DATE: 123081 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: BREAKER CONTACTS BURNED OUT.

(NSIC 172992) DURING PERFORMANCE OF THE PERIODIC FIRE PUMP OPERABILITY TEST, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT FIRE PUMP C WOULD NOT START, AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. SINCE FIRE PUMP A HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN DECLARED INOPERABLE, THIS VIOLATED TECH SPEC 3.7.10.1 WHICH IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.13(B). WHEN FIRE PUMP C RECEIVED THE SIGNAL TO START, IT TRIPPED ON OVERCURRENT DUE TO BURNED CONTACTS (GTE SYLVANIA 600V, TYPE TM) IN THE STARTING CONTACTOR. THESE CONTACTS FAILED DUE TO THE NUMBER OF TIMES THEY HAD BEEN CYCLED (WEEKLY, DUE TO INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS). FIRE PUMP A WAS SUCCESSFULLY TESTED AND DECLARED OPERABLE ON 12/31/81. THE CONTACTS WERE REPLACED AND PUMP C FUNCTIONALLY VERIFIED. A PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE PROGRAM IS BEING DEVELOPED.

[177] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 82-015  
 CHARGING PUMPS INOPERABLE DUE TO DAMPENER FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 021282 REPORT DATE: 032482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CHEM, VOL CONT & LIQ POISN SYS COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: DAMPENER HYDROGEN CONTROL SYSTEM FAILED.

(NSIC 172979) DURING AN ATTEMPT TO FILL AND VENT THE RECIPROCATING CHARGING PUMP (PD) SUCTION PIPING IN PREPARATION FOR RETURNING THE PUMP TO SERVICE, BOTH CENTRIFUGAL CHARGING PUMPS (CCP) WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE WHEN HYDROGEN FROM THE PD PUMP SUCTION DAMPENERS ENTERED THE SUCTION OF THE CCP'S CAUSING CAVITATION. THIS VIOLATES TECH SPEC 3.1.2.4, 3.1.2.2, AND 3.5.2 WHICH IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.12(E). THIS INCIDENT RESULTED FROM THE FAILURE OF THE HYDROGEN CONTROL SYSTEM ON THE PD PUMP SUCTION DAMPENER (THE REFERENCE POT AND LEG WERE FOUND EMPTY, CAUSE UNKNOWN). IMMEDIATE CORRECTIVE ACTION WAS TO SECURE THE CCP'S, ISOLATE THE PD PUMP SUCTION VENT THE CCP'S AND SUCTION PIPING, AND RETURN THE CCP'S TO SERVICE. USE OF THE PD SYSTEM WILL BE DISCONTINUED UNTIL CORRECTIVE ACTION TO PREVENT RECURRENCE CAN BE DETERMINED AND TAKEN.

[178] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 82-019  
 THREE RCS PRESSURE ISOLATION VALVE LEAK RATES EXCEED LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 022882 REPORT DATE: 033082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: CHECK VALVES FAILED TO SEAT.

(NSIC 172972) PERFORMANCE OF THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM PRESSURE ISOLATION VALVE LEAK RATE TEST DETERMINED THAT 3 VALVES FAILED THE TEST. THESE VALVES WERE SUBSEQUENTLY DECLARED INOPERABLE PER T.S.3.4.7.2(F) WHICH IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.13(B). THE THREE SWING CHECK VALVES (ONE 2" KEROTEST AND TWO 10" WALWORTH) FAILED TO SEAT PROPERLY. THE VALVES WERE DISASSEMBLED AND REPAIRED PRIOR TO UNIT STARTUP. THE VALVES PASSED THEIR LEAK TEST.

[179] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 82-020  
 FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM CPU MEMORY LOST.  
 EVENT DATE: 030482 REPORT DATE: 040182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: NONLICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 173014) AN OPERATOR (IN TRAINING) ATTEMPTING TO ADDRESS THE STATUS OF A FIRE ZONE THROUGH THE HONEYWELL FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM OPERATOR TERMINAL (OPT) MISTAKENLY DUMPED THE CENTRAL PROCESSING UNIT (CPU) MEMORY, RESULTING IN THE FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM BEING DECLARED INOPERABLE SINCE THE SYSTEM WOULD NOT PROVIDE CONTROL ROOM ALARMS. THIS VIOLATES TECH SPEC 3.3.3.7 WHICH IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.13(B). ACCESS TO THE CPU MEMORY IS LIMITED TO SYSTEM MAINTENANCE PURPOSES. THE OPERATOR DID NOT UNDERSTAND THE LIMITS OF HIS RESPONSIBILITIES CONCERNING THE FIRE DETECTION SYSTEM, AND INADEQUATE WARNING (A NOTE IN THE KEY LOG) EXISTED CONCERNING USE OF THE CPU MEMORY ACCESS ENABLE KEY. THE CPU MEMORY WAS RESTORED AND PROCESSOR OPERATION VERIFIED. APPROPRIATE TRAINING WILL BE GIVEN, AND A WARNING WILL BE POSTED ON THE OPT PANEL CONCERNING ACCESS TO THE CPU MEMORY.

[180] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 82-021  
 COLD LEG INJECTION ACCUMULATOR VALVES NOT TESTED.  
 EVENT DATE: 030982 REPORT DATE: 042782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURAL DEFICIENCY.

(NSIC 173017) A REVIEW OF THE TECH SPEC LIST DISCOVERED THAT THE COLD LEG INJECTION ACCUMULATOR ISOLATION VALVES WERE NOT BEING PERIODICALLY TESTED FOR THE CORRECT RESPONSE TO THE P-11 INTERLOCK SIGNAL. THIS VIOLATES TECH SPEC 4.5.1.1.1(D.1) WHICH IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.13(C). THE FAILURE TO PERFORM THE P-11 INTERLOCK TEST RESULTED FROM A PROCEDURAL DEFICIENCY. THE PROCEDURE "COLD LEG ACCUMULATOR P-11 OVERLAP TEST" WAS GENERATED FOR THE TESTING OF THE P-11 SETPOINT SIGNAL TO THE COLD LEG INJECTION ACCUMULATOR ISOLATION VALVES. THE TEST WAS PERFORMED DURING COLD SHUTDOWN ON MARCH 12 WITH EACH SLAVE RELAY FOR THE RESPECTIVE COLD LEG ACCUMULATOR ISOLATION VALVE RESPONDING AS REQUIRED.

[181] MCGUIRE 1 DOCKET 50-369 LER 82-022  
 TIME TEST FOR PRESSURIZER PORV OMITTED.  
 EVENT DATE: 031082 REPORT DATE: 040882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: COOLANT RECIRC SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURE DEFICIENCY.

(NSIC 173050) A PROCEDURE REVIEW DISCOVERED THAT THE PRESSURIZER #1 POWER OPERATED RELIEF VALVE HAD NOT BEEN TIMED AS REQUIRED BY SECTION XI, SUBSECTION IWV OF THE ASME CODE. THIS VIOLATES TECH SPEC 3.4.10.3 WHICH IS REPORTABLE PER

TECH SPEC 6.9.1.13(C). THE VALVE WAS SUCCESSFULLY MOVEMENT TESTED ON 12/8/81, AND MOVEMENT AND TIME TESTED ON 3/10/81, INDICATING THAT THE VALVE (AND REDUNDANT VALVE) WOULD HAVE PROVIDED THE REQUIRED SAFETY MARGIN HAD OVERPRESSURIZATION OCCURRED. THE PERIODIC TESTING PROCEDURE REQUIRED MOVEMENT TESTING FOR THE DUAL PRESSURE PORV, AND MOVEMENT AND TIME RESPONSE FOR A REDUNDANT DUAL PRESSURE PORV AND A HIGH PRESSURE PORV. A PROCEDURE CHANGE ON 9/15/80 INCORPORATED A TIME TEST FOR THE REDUNDANT PORV AND THE HIGH PRESSURE PORV, BUT SHOULD HAVE INCORPORATED THE DUAL PRESSURE PORV INSTEAD OF THE HIGH PRESSURE PORV. THE PROCEDURE WAS CHANGED AND THE VALVE SUCCESSFULLY TESTED.

[182] MILLSTONE 1 DOCKET 50-245 LER 81-042  
ISOLATION VALVE IN SHUTDOWN COOLING LINE INOPERABLE.  
EVENT DATE: 121581 REPORT DATE: 011582 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
SYSTEM: RESIDUAL HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
CAUSE: MECHANICAL BINDING OF VALVE.

(NSIC 172804) VALVE 1-SD-1 WAS CYCLED IN AN ATTEMPT TO SEAT THE VALVE TO PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE PAST THE VALVE. WHILE CYCLING 1-SD-1 THE VALVE STUCK IN A PARTIALLY OPEN POSITION. TECH SPEC TABLE 3.7.1 REQUIRES ISOLATION VALVE 1-SD-1 TO BE OPERABLE DURING REACTOR POWER. PRESENTLY THE CAUSE CAN NOT BE DETERMINED DUE TO PLANT CONDITIONS WHICH WILL NOT ALLOW AN INSPECTION TO BE MADE. WITH THE SUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO CLOSE 1-SD-1 ON DECEMBER 21, 1981, THE VALVE IS SUSPECTED TO HAVE STUCK DUE TO MECHANICAL BINDING. AT THE NEXT SCHEDULED COLD SHUTDOWN THAT PERMITS DRYWELL ENTRY, 1-SD-1 WILL BE INSPECTED AND REWORKED.

[183] MILLSTONE 1 DOCKET 50-245 LER 82-001  
SET POINT DRIFT IN MAIN STEAM LINE HIGH FLOW SWITCHES.  
EVENT DATE: 011582 REPORT DATE: 021082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172925) WHILE PERFORMING STEAM LINE HIGH FLOW FUNCTIONAL TEST, SWITCHES 261-2B AND 261-2D FAILED TO TRIP AT THEIR DESIRED SETPOINT. TECH SPEC TABLE 3.2.1, REQUIRES THE MAIN STEAM LINE HIGH FLOW SETTING TO BE LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO 120 PERCENT OF RATED STEAM FLOW. FAILURE OF THE SWITCHES IN QUESTION TO TRIP AT THEIR DESIRED SETPOINTS IS ATTRIBUTABLE TO SETPOINT DRIFT. THE SWITCHES WERE RECALIBRATED TO WITHIN THEIR ACCEPTABLE SETPOINT RANGE AND SATISFACTORILY TESTED.

[184] MILLSTONE 1 DOCKET 50-245 LER 82-002  
CONTAINMENT COOLING SUBSYSTEM INOPERABLE DUE TO SW PUMP FAILURE.  
EVENT DATE: 011582 REPORT DATE: 021382 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
SYSTEM: CNTNMNT HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PUMPS  
CAUSE: MARINE FOULING AT PUMP SUCTION.

(NSIC 172926) THE 'B' EMERGENCY SERVICE WATER PUMP WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AFTER FAILURE TO MEET THE MINIMUM PUMP DISCHARGE PRESSURE AS REQUIRED BY INSERVICE TESTING. TECH SPEC 3.5.B.1 REQUIRES THAT BOTH CONTAINMENT COOLING SUBSYSTEMS SHALL BE OPERABLE WHENEVER IRRADIATED FUEL IS IN THE REACTOR VESSEL. THE APPARENT CAUSE WAS MARINE FOULING AT THE PUMP SUCTION WITH POSSIBLE SLIPPAGE OF THE SECOND STAGE IMPELLER TO THE PUMP SHAFT. PUMP SURFACES WERE PAINTED WITH MARINE ANTI-FOULING PAINT ALONG WITH REPLACEMENT OF THE SECOND STAGE IMPELLER. PUMP WAS TESTED SATISFACTORILY AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[185] MILLSTONE 1 DOCKET 50-245 LER 82-006  
MSIV CLOSING TIME EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
EVENT DATE: 021282 REPORT DATE: 031582 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM ISOL SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS





[189] MILLSTONE 2 DOCKET 50-336 LER 81-040 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON INOPERABLE PORV DUE TO BLOCK VALVE FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 120681 REPORT DATE: 033082 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: COOLANT RECIRC SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: TORQUE SWITCH FAILURE.

(NSIC 172903) DURING THE COOLDOWN FOLLOWING A REACTOR SHUTDOWN, VALVE 2-RC-403, BLOCKING VALVE FOR PORV 2-RC-402, COULD NOT BE OPENED. 2-RC-403 HAD BEEN SHUT ON SEPTEMBER 28, 1981 (SEE LER 81-33). 2-RC-402 WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE, AND THE PLANT WAS OPERATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.A FOR 95 HOURS. THE VALVE OPERATOR MOTOR WAS FOUND TO HAVE FAILED ELECTRICALLY. THE PROBABLE CAUSE WAS A FAILURE OF THE TORQUE SWITCH ASSEMBLY, RESULTING IN EXCESSIVE CURRENT BEING APPLIED TO THE MOTOR. THE MOTOR TORQUE SWITCH AND GEARED LIMIT SWITCH ASSEMBLIES WERE REPLACED AND FUNCTIONALLY TESTED. THE VALVE OPERATOR IS A LIMITORQUE TYPE SMB 000.

[190] NINE MILE POINT 1 DOCKET 50-220 LER 82-002  
 ANALYSIS SHOWS CONTAINMENT VENTING NOT POSSIBLE AFTER LOCA.  
 EVENT DATE: 012982 REPORT DATE: 021282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURAL DEFICIENCY.

(NSIC 172961) UPON REVIEW BY THE NRC RESIDENT INSPECTOR, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE OPERATING PROCEDURE DESCRIBING THE STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO VENT THE PRIMARY CONTAINMENT FOLLOWING THE DBA LOCA REQUIRED PERSONNEL TO ENTER THE REACTOR BUILDING. SINCE THE REACTOR BUILDING MAY NOT BE ACCESSIBLE AT THAT TIME, THE CONTAINMENT MAY NOT BE ABLE TO BE VENTED USING THIS PROCEDURE. A DETAILED REVIEW OF THE SYSTEM WITH RESPECT TO 10 CFR 50.44 WAS JUST RECENTLY COMPLETED WITH THE FOLLOWING FINDINGS: 1. A REDUNDANT N(SUB 2) SUPPLY EXISTED. 2. A REDUNDANT H(SUB 2)-O(SUB 2) MONITORING SYSTEM EXISTED. 3. A PROCEDURE CHANGE WAS MADE TO ALLOW VENTING WITHOUT REACTOR BUILDING ENTRY. 4. ANOTHER PROCEDURAL CHANGE WAS MADE TO ESTABLISH A REDUNDANT PURGE PATH. AS STATED IN THE JANUARY 29, 1982, LETTER TO MR. DOMINICK B. VASSALLO, CHIEF, OPERATING REACTORS BRANCH #2, U.S. NRC, A SYSTEM MODIFICATION WILL BE INSTALLED DURING THE SPRING 1983 REFUELING OUTAGE. THIS MODIFICATION WILL BE DESIGNED IN COMPLIANCE WITH 10 CFR 50.44.

[191] NINE MILE POINT 1 DOCKET 50-220 LER 82-008  
 AUTO-ISOLATION OF EMERGENCY CONDENSER SYSTEM NOT POSSIBLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 031782 REPORT DATE: 033082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER ENGRD SAFETY FEATR SYS COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 172832) IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT A POTENTIAL PATH FOR REACTOR STEAM FROM EMERGENCY CONDENSER STEAM LINE VENTS TO ATMOSPHERE COULD RESULT IF EMERGENCY CONDENSER TUBE LEAKS OCCUR AND OPERATOR ACTION IS NOT TAKEN TO CLOSE THE REMOTE MANUAL EMERGENCY STEAM LINE VENT BLOCKING VALVE, OR THIS SINGLE (PER SYSTEM) VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE OR GROSSLY LEAKS. THIS IS IN VIOLATION OF THE SITE TECH SPECS REQUIREMENT WHICH CONCERNS DISCOVERY DURING PLANT LIFE OF CONDITIONS NOT CONSIDERED IN THE SAR. AS A RESULT OF A MODIFICATION MADE IN 1981, COMPLETE AUTO-ISOLATION OF THE AFFECTED EMERGENCY CONDENSER SYSTEM CANNOT BE ACCOMPLISHED. THIS IS DUE TO THE FACT THAT VENT BLOCKING VALVE #BV-05-01 FOR #11 SYSTEM AND VENT BLOCKING VALVE #BV-05-04 FOR #12 SYSTEM ARE NO LONGER IN THE "AUTO ISOLATION" SCHEME.

[192] NORTH ANNA 1 DOCKET 50-338 LER 82-012  
 EMERGENCY CONDENSATE STORAGE TANK BELOW REQUIRED VOLUME.  
 EVENT DATE: 022382 REPORT DATE: 031682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDENSATE STORAGE FACILITIES COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE

CAUSE: USE OF TANK TO FEED STEAM GENERATORS.

(NSIC 172910) AT 0605 AND AGAIN AT 0740 WHILE IN MODE 3 OPERATION, THE CONTENTS OF THE EMERGENCY CONDENSATE STORAGE TANK (ECST) DROPPED BELOW THE MINIMUM REQUIRED VOLUME (110,000 GAL) AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 3.7.1.3. THE LEVEL WAS RESTORED WITHIN 4 HOURS AS REQUIRED BY THE ACTION STATEMENT. THESE EVENTS WERE CAUSED BY ADDING WATER FROM THE EMERGENCY CONDENSATE STORAGE TANK TO THE STEAM GENERATORS VIA THE AUXILIARY FEEDWATER SYSTEM. THIS WAS NECESSARY SINCE THE CONDENSATE SYSTEM HAD TO BE REMOVED FROM SERVICE DUE TO LEAKAGE IN THE GLAND SEAL SYSTEM. THE LEVEL WAS RESTORED WITHIN 4 HOURS BY ADDING WATER FROM THE 300,000 GAL TANK.

[193] NORTH ANNA 1 DOCKET 50-338 LER 82-014  
 PATH FROM BORIC ACID TANKS TO REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM BLOCKED.  
 EVENT DATE: 032182 REPORT DATE: 041282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTIVITY CONTROL SYSTEMS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE ACTIVITY.

(NSIC 173078) THE FLOW PATH FROM BORIC ACID TANKS TO THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM WAS REMOVED FROM SERVICE TO REPAIR A VALVE DIAPHRAGM LEAK. THE FLOW PATH FROM RWST TO THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM WAS OPERABLE; THIS EVENT IS WITHIN THE ACTION STATEMENT BUT CONTRARY TO THE LCO FOR TECH SPEC 3.1.2.2 AND REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.B. THE FLOW PATH FROM THE BORIC ACID STORAGE TANKS TO THE UNIT NO. 1 CHARGING PUMPS WAS ISOLATED TO REPLACE THE DIAPHRAGM ON A LEAKING VALVE. THE DIAPHRAGM WAS REPLACED AND THE FLOW PATH WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE WITHIN THE ACTION STATEMENT REQUIREMENTS OF TECH SPEC 3.1.2.2.

[194] NORTH ANNA 1 DOCKET 50-338 LER 82-015  
 UNIDENTIFIED RCS LEAKAGE EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 032582 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: COOLANT RECIRC SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: VALVE PACKING LEAK.

(NSIC 173081) REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM UNIDENTIFIED LEAKAGE WAS DETERMINED TO BE 2.01 GPM WHICH IS GREATER THAN THE 1 GPM ALLOWED BY TECH SPEC 3.4.6.2. THE UNIDENTIFIED LEAKAGE WAS REDUCED BELOW 1 GPM WITHIN 4 HOURS. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.4.6.2 AND REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.B. THE HIGH UNIDENTIFIED LEAKAGE WAS CAUSED BY A PACKING LEAK ON 1-RC-129, A CHANNEL III PRESSURIZER PRESSURE AND LEVEL INSTRUMENT ISOLATION VALVE. 1-RC-129 AND 1-RC-130 WERE CLOSED REDUCING THE UNIDENTIFIED LEAKAGE BELOW 1 GPM AND PT-1457 AND LT-1461 WERE PLACED IN TRIP AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 3.3.1.1 AND 3.3.2.1. VALVE 1-RC-129 WAS REPACKED, AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[195] NORTH ANNA 1 DOCKET 50-338 LER 82-008  
 SIX UNQUALIFIED RELAY LATCHING MECHANISMS IDENTIFIED.  
 EVENT DATE: 032982 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: RELAYS  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 173100) IT WAS DETERMINED BY WESTINGHOUSE THAT 6 SOLID STATE PROTECTION OUTPUT SLAVE RELAYS DID NOT HAVE QUALIFIED LATCHING MECHANISMS. THE UNQUALIFIED LATCHING MECHANISMS FAILURE WOULD NOT PREVENT THE RELAYS FROM PERFORMING THEIR INTENDED SAFETY FUNCTION. WESTINGHOUSE SUPPLIED THE NON QUALIFIED LATCHING MECHANISMS AS REPLACEMENTS FOR THE ORIGINAL LATCHING MECHANISMS. ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS WILL BE USED TO MITIGATE THE CONSEQUENCES OF LATCH FAILURE. THE 6 RELAY LATCHES IN QUESTION ONLY AFFECT 10 VALVES.

[196] NORTH ANNA 1 DOCKET 50-338 LER 82-013  
 IODINE IN REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 040182 REPORT DATE: 042082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CORE COMPONENT: FUEL ELEMENTS  
 CAUSE: KNOWN FUEL ELEMENT DEFECTS.

(NSIC 173076) THE POST REACTOR TRIP SPECIFIC ACTIVITY SAMPLES OF THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM INDICATED A DOSE EQUIVALENT I-131 LEVEL GREATER THAN THE LIMIT SPECIFIED BY TECH SPEC 3.4.8. THE HIGH IODINE LEVEL EXISTED FOR ONLY A SHORT TIME AND THE SPECIFIC ACTIVITY RETURNED TO WITHIN THE LIMIT OF TECH SPEC 3.4.8. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.D AND THE SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS OF TECH SPEC 6.9.2. THIS EVENT WAS CAUSED BY A KNOWN FUEL ELEMENT DEFECT IN THE REACTOR CORE. POST TRIP CONDITIONS IN THE CORE ENHANCED THE RELEASE OF FISSION FRAGMENTS TO THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM WHICH CAUSED THE IODINE SPIKE. THE ACCELERATED SAMPLING FREQUENCY OF TECH SPEC 3.4.8 WAS IMPLEMENTED UNTIL THE RCS SPECIFIC ACTIVITY RETURNED TO LESS THAN THE LIMIT OF TECH SPEC 3.4.8.A.

[197] NORTH ANNA 2 DOCKET 50-339 LER 80-037 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON HIGH BORON CONCENTRATION IN TWO ACCUMULATORS.  
 EVENT DATE: 080780 REPORT DATE: 012682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: INLEAKAGE FROM SPENT FUEL PIT.

(NSIC 172805) SAMPLE ANALYSIS INDICATED A HIGH BORON CONCENTRATION IN BOTH 'A' AND 'C' SI ACCUMULATORS. BOTH SAMPLES CONTAINED 2154 BORON WHICH EXCEEDED THE 2100 PPM LIMIT. WITHIN 7 HOURS, THE UNIT WAS PLACED IN A MODE WHERE THE ACCUMULATORS WERE NOT REQUIRED. THE HIGH BORON CONCENTRATION IN THE ACCUMULATORS WAS DUE TO INLEAKAGE INTO THE MAKE-UP SUPPLY HEADER FROM THE SPENT FUEL PIT. THE ACCUMULATOR BORON CONCENTRATION WAS RESTORED BY PARTIALLY DRAINING THE ACCUMULATOR AND REFILLING WITH BORATED WATER FROM THE RWST.

[198] NORTH ANNA 2 DOCKET 50-339 LER 82-009  
 PRESSURIZER PORV'S DECLARED INOPERABLE ON 3 OCCASIONS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030882 REPORT DATE: 033182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LOW NITROGEN SYSTEM PRESSURE.

(NSIC 173082) DURING THE PERIOD FROM MARCH 8 TO 10, 1982, WHILE COOLING DOWN FOR A REFUELING OUTAGE, THE PRESSURIZER PORV'S WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE 3 TIMES DUE TO LOW NITROGEN PRESSURE IN THE GAS SUPPLY TANKS. THE ACTIONS OF TECH SPEC 3.4.9.3 WERE IMPLEMENTED. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.B. THESE EVENTS WERE CAUSED BY EXCESSIVE NITROGEN SYSTEM DEMAND DURING COOLDOWN OPERATION, EXCESSIVE SYSTEM LEAKAGE, AND AN INADEQUATE MAKE-UP SUPPLY. IN EACH EVENT, THE GAS SUPPLY TANKS WERE REFILLED WITHIN THE TIME FRAME OF THE ACTION STATEMENT.

[199] NORTH ANNA 2 DOCKET 50-339 LER 82-012  
 ROD CONTROL ROOM FIRE DOORS FAIL.  
 EVENT DATE: 031382 REPORT DATE: 033182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: OTHER COMPONENTS  
 CAUSE: MISALIGNMENT OF DOOR AND LATCH.

(NSIC 173080) ON MARCH 13, 1982 WITH UNIT 2 IN COLD SHUTDOWN, FIRE DOOR M80-2 BETWEEN THE ROD CONTROL ROOM AND THE OUTSIDE WOULD NOT CLOSE. ON MARCH 26, 1982, WITH UNIT 2 IN MODE 6, FIRE DOOR A80-2 BETWEEN THE RED CONTROL ROOM AND THE AUXILIARY BUILDING WOULD NOT LATCH PROPERLY. A FIRE WATCH WAS POSTED IN EACH EVENT AS REQUIRED BY THE ACTION STATEMENT. THIS IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.7.15

AND REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9B. DOOR M80-2 WAS NOT PROPERLY ALIGNED IN ITS FRAME DUE TO EXCESSIVE USE. THE DOOR WAS ADJUSTED AND VERIFIED TO BE OPERABLE. DOOR A80-2 WOULD NOT LATCH COMPLETELY. THE STRIKER PLATE WAS FILED, THE LATCH VERIFIED TO OPERATE AND THE DOOR RESTORED TO AN OPERABLE STATUS.

[200] NORTH ANNA 2 DOCKET 50-339 LER 82-016  
EMERGENCY DIESEL MAIN BEARING DAMAGED.  
EVENT DATE: 032382 REPORT DATE: 041482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: EMERG GENERATOR SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: ENGINES, INTERNAL COMBUSTION  
CAUSE: LUBE OIL LINE DISCONNECTED.

(NSIC 173090) WHILE PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE WAS BEING PERFORMED ON EMERGENCY DIESEL 2-EE-EG-1J, LOWER MAIN BEARING NO. 14 WAS FOUND TO BE SCORED. THE SCORED BEARING HAD NOT AFFECTED PREVIOUS OPERATION OF THE DIESEL. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.D. THE BEARING WAS DAMAGED BECAUSE IT DID NOT RECEIVE PROPER LUBRICATION UPON STARTING PRIOR TO REACHING OPERATING SPEED. A LUBRICATION OIL LINE WHICH PROVIDES OIL TO THE BEARING WAS DISCONNECTED. THE BEARING WAS REPLACED, THE OIL LINE WAS CONNECTED AND PROPER OPERATION WILL BE VERIFIED PRIOR TO PLACING THE DIESEL IN SERVICE.

[201] NORTH ANNA 2 DOCKET 50-339 LER 82-015  
PRESSURIZER SAFETY VALVE OPENS LOW.  
EVENT DATE: 032382 REPORT DATE: 041482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: COOLANT RECIRC SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: VALVES  
CAUSE: SPRING COMPRESSION OUT OF ADJUSTMENT.

(NSIC 173091) WHILE PERFORMING THE PRESSURIZER CODE SAFETY VALVE SETPOINT VERIFICATION SURVEILLANCE TEST, THE SETPOINT OF CODE SAFETY VALVE SV-2551-B WAS FOUND TO BE 2400 PSIG. THIS IS OUTSIDE THE TOLERANCE BAND SPECIFIED BY TECH SPEC 3.4.31 OF 2485 PSIG  $\pm$  1%. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.1.9.B. THE LIFT SETTING WAS OUT OF TOLERANCE BECAUSE THE SPRING COMPRESSION WAS OUT OF ADJUSTMENT. SPRING COMPRESSION WAS ADJUSTED USING APPROVED PROCEDURES IN THE PRESENCE OF THE VENDOR FIELD SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE. THE SET PRESSURE WAS VERIFIED WITHIN THE REQUIRED TOLERANCE ON THREE CONSECUTIVE LIFTS AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[202] NORTH ANNA 2 DOCKET 50-339 LER 82-014  
SIX UNQUALIFIED RELAY LATCHING MECHANISMS IDENTIFIED.  
EVENT DATE: 032982 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: ENGRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: RELAYS  
CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 173070) IT WAS DETERMINED BY WESTINGHOUSE THAT 6 SOLID STATE PROTECTION OUTPUT SLAVE RELAYS DID NOT HAVE QUALIFIED LATCHING MECHANISMS. THE UNQUALIFIED LATCHING MECHANISMS FAILURE WOULD NOT PREVENT THE RELAYS FROM PERFORMING THEIR INTENDED SAFETY FUNCTION. WESTINGHOUSE SUPPLIED THE NON QUALIFIED LATCHING MECHANISMS AS REPLACEMENTS FOR THE ORIGINAL LATCHING MECHANISMS. ADMINISTRATIVE CONTROLS WILL BE USED TO MITIGATE THE CONSEQUENCES OF LATCH FAILURE. THE 6 RELAY LATCHES IN QUESTION ONLY AFFECT 10 VALVES.

[203] OCONEE 1 DOCKET 50-269 LER 82-002  
CONTROL RODS MOVED INTO RESTRICTED CORE REGION.  
EVENT DATE: 022282 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: SYS REQD FOR SAFE SHUTDOWN COMPONENT: CONTROL RODS  
CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172885) THE CONTROL OPERATOR MOVED GROUP 8 CONTROL RODS INTO THE TECH SPEC



RESTRICTED REGION TO CLEAR A CORE AXIAL IMBALANCE ALARM. OPERATION WITHIN THE RESTRICTED REGION WAS NOT RECOGNIZED FOR 4 HOURS AND 23 MINUTES, WHICH IS IN EXCESS OF THE TECH SPECS 3.5.2.5 TWO HOUR LIMIT. DUE TO THE CONSERVATISMS IN THE ANALYSIS IT IS CONCLUDED THAT THE UNIT WAS NOT OPERATED OUTSIDE CONDITIONS ANALYZED FOR A LOCA. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THIS INCIDENT WAS OPERATOR ERROR, IN THAT THE CONTROL OPERATORS DID NOT RECOGNIZE OR VERIFY THAT THE GROUP 8 CONTROL RODS EXCEEDED TECH SPECS LIMITS. THE ROD POSITION WAS CORRECTED, THE PROCEDURE WAS CHANGED TO REQUIRE VERIFICATION OF PROPER ROD POSITION, AND COMPUTER ALARMS AND STATALARMS WILL BE MODIFIED TO INCLUDE GROUP 8 POSITION LIMITS.

[204] OCONEE 1 DOCKET 50-269 LER 82-005  
 REACTOR BUILDING SPRAY PUMP FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030282 REPORT DATE: 040182 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PUMPS  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172897) THE 1A REACTOR BUILDING SPRAY PUMP WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO INABILITY TO ACHIEVE THE FLOW RATE REQUIRED BY THE REACTOR BUILDING SPRAY PUMP OPERABILITY TEST. DURING THIS INCIDENT ALL THREE REACTOR BUILDING COOLING UNITS WERE VERIFIED TO BE OPERATING AND THE REDUNDANT REACTOR BUILDING SPRAY PUMP WAS OPERABLE. THE FAILURE OF THE 1A PUMP WAS THE RESULT OF RUNNING THE PUMP FOR APPROXIMATELY THREE HOURS WITH NO SUCTION FLOW. THE PUMP WAS REPLACED, TESTED, AND DECLARED OPERABLE. THE CONTROL ROOM OPERATOR WAS COUNSELED AND MADE AWARE OF THE RESULTS OF HIS ACTION.

[205] OCONEE 1 DOCKET 50-269 LER 82-006  
 STEAM GENERATOR TUBE LEAKS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030682 REPORT DATE: 041682 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SUPPLY SYS & CONT COMPONENT: HEAT EXCHANGERS  
 CAUSE: STEAM GENERATOR TUBE CRACKED.

(NSIC 173176) A STEAM GENERATOR TUBE LEAK OF APPROXIMATELY 0.08 GPM WAS INDICATED BY THE CONDENSATE STEAM AIR EJECTOR OFFGAS RADIATION MONITOR. THIS CONSTITUTES AN ABNORMAL DEGRADATION OF THE REACTOR COOLANT PRESSURE BOUNDARY AND IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.6.2.1.A(3). PERSONNEL AND SYSTEMS ADEQUATELY CONTROLLED THIS EVENT AND THE RELEASES WERE WELL WITHIN REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THE STEAM GENERATOR TUBE LEAK WAS A CRACK ON TUBE 78-2. THIS UNIT WAS SHUT DOWN AND COOLED DOWN. THE LEAKING TUBE WAS STABILIZED FROM THE TOP AND WAS EXPLOSIVELY PLUGGED FROM THE BOTTOM. EDDY CURRENT TESTING IN THE LANE REGION SHOWED NO TUBES UNACCEPTABLY DEGRADED.

[206] OCONEE 2 DOCKET 50-270 LER 82-002  
 THREE BROKEN THERMAL SHIELD BOLTS FOUND.  
 EVENT DATE: 012282 REPORT DATE: 020582 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR VESSEL INTERNALS COMPONENT: VESSELS,PRESSURE  
 CAUSE: STRESS CORROSION CRACKING.

(NSIC 172967) DURING THE VISUAL EXAMINATION OF THE CORE SUPPORT ASSEMBLY, THREE THERMAL SHIELD BOLTS WERE OBSERVED TO HAVE THEIR HEADS BROKEN OFF, AND SHOCK PAD Y-2 ATTACHMENT BOLTS WERE BROKEN. ULTRASONIC INSPECTION SHOWED CRACK INDICATIONS ON 24 OF THE 96 THERMAL SHIELD BOLTS. THE EVALUATION OF A SIMILAR INCIDENT ON OCONEE 1 (RO-269/81-11) IS APPLICABLE TO THIS INCIDENT. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THE THERMAL SHIELD BOLT FAILURES IS INTERGRANULAR STRESS CORROSION CRACKING. THE SHIELD BOLTS WILL BE REPLACED WITH STUD AND NUT FASTENERS. THE SHOCK PAD HAS BEEN REMOVED AND WILL NOT BE REPLACED.

[207] OCONEE 2 DOCKET 50-270 LER 82-004  
 THERMAL SLEEVE DISPLACED AND CRACKS FOUND IN HPCI NOZZLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030282 REPORT DATE: 041382 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 173011) NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING OF THE HPCI NOZZLE AREAS REVEALED THAT 2A2 THERMAL SLEEVE WAS LOOSE AND THAT THERE WERE CRACKS IN THE ID OF THE SAFE END AND PIPING. THE 2B1 THERMAL SLEEVE WAS LOOSE. THE 2B2 THERMAL SLEEVE HAD A 360 DEGREE CRACK IN THE ROLLED AREA. A RUPTURE IN THIS LINE WOULD BE CLASSIFIED AS A SMALL BREAK LOCA, AN ACCIDENT FOR WHICH FSAR ANALYSIS SHOWS THAT THE PLANT COULD BE SAFELY SHUT DOWN. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THE CRACKING IN THE 2A2 SAFE END AND PIPING APPEARS TO BE THERMAL FATIGUE RESULTING FROM A LOOSE THERMAL SLEEVE. THE 2A2 CRACKED PIPING, SAFE END, AND THERMAL SLEEVE WERE REPLACED. THE 2B2 THERMAL SLEEVE WAS REPLACED. THE 2B1 THERMAL SLEEVE WAS HARD ROLL EXPANDED TO RETURN THEIR THERMAL SLEEVE TO ITS INTENDED CONDITION.

[208] OCONEE 3 DOCKET 50-287 LER 82-001  
 BWST LEVEL INDICATION IS ERRATIC.  
 EVENT DATE: 012882 REPORT DATE: 022682 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHR INST SYS REQD FOR SAFETY COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: DIRT AND OIL IN BOOSTER RELAY.

(NSIC 172957) THE CHANNEL B BORATED WATER STORAGE TANK (BWST) LEVEL INDICATION WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO ERRATIC INDICATION. CHANNEL 'A' LEVEL INDICATION WAS OPERABLE THROUGHOUT THE INCIDENT AND BWST LEVEL REMAINED WITHIN TECH SPEC LIMITS. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THIS INCIDENT WAS DIRT AND OIL IN THE LEVEL INDICATOR BOOSTER RELAY AND HIGH THERMOSTAT SETTINGS ON THE SYSTEM HEAT TRACE CAUSING BOILING IN THE IMPULSE LINES. THE BOOSTER RELAY WAS CLEARED, THE THERMOSTAT SETTING REDUCED, AND THE LEVEL INDICATION RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[209] OCONEE 3 DOCKET 50-287 LER 82-002  
 HOT LEG TEMPERATURE CHANNEL ERRATIC.  
 EVENT DATE: 021082 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: LINEAR BRIDGE FAILED IN CIRCUIT.

(NSIC 172985) THE RPS CHANNEL B HOT LEG TEMPERATURE INDICATION WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO READINGS THAT WERE LOWER THAN CHANNELS A, C, AND D. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THIS INCIDENT WAS THE FAILURE OF A LINEAR BRIDGE IN THE INPUT CIRCUITRY FOR THE CHANNEL B INDICATION. CHANNEL B OF THE HOT LEG TEMPERATURE INDICATION WAS PLACED IN TRIP/BYPASS CONDITION. THE LINEAR BRIDGE WAS REPLACED AND THE CHANNEL B INDICATION WAS CALIBRATED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[210] OCONEE 3 DOCKET 50-287 LER 82-004  
 THERMAL SLEEVE DISPLACED AND CRACKS FOUND IN HPI NOZZLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 040982 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERRGR.

(NSIC 173009) NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING OF THE HPI NOZZLE AREAS REVEALED THAT THE 3A2 THERMAL SLEEVE WAS DISPLACED AND THAT THERE WERE CRACKS IN THE ID OF THE PIPING AND SAFE END. THE 3B1 RADIOGRAPHS INDICATED A PARTIAL RADIAL GAP BETWEEN THE THERMAL SLEEVE AND SAFE END. THIS PIPING IS EXPECTED TO LEAK BEFORE BREAKER. A RUPTURE IN THIS LINE WOULD BE CLASSIFIED AS A SMALL BREAK LOCA, AN ACCIDENT FOR WHICH FSAR ANALYSIS SHOWS THAT THE PLANT COULD BE SAFELY SHUT DOWN. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THE CRACKING IN THE 3A2 SAFE END AND PIPING APPEARS TO BE THERMAL FATIGUE RESULTING FROM A LOOSE THERMAL SLEEVE. THE 3A2 CRACKED PIPING,

SAFE END, AND THERMAL SLEEVE WERE REPLACED. THE 3B1 THERMAL SLEEVE WAS HARD ROLL EXPANDED TO RETURN THE THERMAL SLEEVE TO ITS INTENDED CONDITION.

[211] OCONEE 3 DOCKET 50-287 LER 82-005  
 SPENT FUEL ASSEMBLIES MOVED WHEN VENTILATION SYSTEM INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 033082 REPORT DATE: 041382 NSSS: FW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FUEL HANDLING SYSTEMS COMPONENT: BLOWERS  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE ERROR.

(NSIC 173008) DURING THE PERIOD BETWEEN MARCH 23 AND MARCH 29, 1982, TEN FUEL ASSEMBLIES WERE MOVED IN THE SPENT FUEL POOL (SFP). ON MARCH 30, 1982, THE SFP FANS WERE FOUND TO BE INOPERABLE DUE TO CONTROL POWER HAVING BEEN TAGGED OUT FOR MAINTENANCE ON MARCH 23, 1982. THIS CONSTITUTES A VIOLATION OF TECH SPEC 3.8.12.B. THE OFFSITE DOSES FOR THE FUEL HANDLING ACCIDENT WITHOUT SFP FANS ARE WITHIN 10 CFR 100 LIMITS. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF THIS OCCURRENCE IS PERSONNEL ERROR IN THAT THE WHITE TAGS FOR THE SFP FANS WERE NOT PLACED OR REMOVED DURING PERFORMANCES OF A PENETRATION LEAK RATE TEST PROCEDURE. THE TAGS WERE PROPERLY REMOVED AND THE PERSONNEL INVOLVED HAVE BEEN COUNSELED ON PERFORMANCE OF PROCEDURAL STEPS AND THE WHITE TAG PROCEDURE.

[212] OYSTER CREEK DOCKET 50-219 LER 82-013  
 SET POINT DRIFT OF LOW VOLTAGE ALARMS FOR BATTERY SYSTEMS.  
 EVENT DATE: 012882 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: DC ON-SITE POWER SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: RELAYS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172845) SURVEILLANCE TESTING DISCOVERED LOW VOLTAGE ANNUNCIATION INITIATION AND RESET RELAY SET POINTS FOR THE MAIN STATION AND DIESEL GENERATOR (DG) BATTERIES OUT OF THE RANGE SPECIFIED BY TECH SPEC 4.7.B.3.B. DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE MAIN STATION BATTERIES HAVE REDUNDANT CHARGERS AND THE WEEKLY SURVEILLANCES PERFORMED ON THE MAIN STATION AND DG BATTERIES HAD VERIFIED BATTERY OPERABILITY, THE SAFETY SIGNIFICANCE IS MINIMAL. THE CAUSE IS ATTRIBUTED TO THIS BEING THE FIRST SURVEILLANCE TEST PERFORMED ON THESE DEVICES. ALL ALARM RELAYS WERE RESET TO THE VALUE REQUIRED WITHIN TOLERANCES SPECIFIED IN THE TECH SPECS.

[213] PALISADES DOCKET 50-255 LER 82-002  
 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW CONTROL VALVES FAIL.  
 EVENT DATE: 010682 REPORT DATE: 020382 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDENSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: 2 FLOW CONTROLLERS OUT OF ADJUSTMENT.

(NSIC 172937) DURING MONTHLY TESTING OF THE AUX FEED SYSTEM, THE AUX FEEDWATER FLOW CONTROL VALVES DID NOT FUNCTION PROPERLY; ONE VALVE HAD EXCESSIVE OPENING TIME (15 MIN), AND FLOW THROUGH THE OTHER OSCILLATED BETWEEN 120 AND 170 GPM (150 GPM IS NORMAL FLOW). THIS CONDITION RENDERED AUX FEED AUTO INITIATION INOPERABLE AND IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.2.B(2). MANUAL CONTROL WAS OPERABLE. VALVE CONTROLS WERE PLACED IN MANUAL AND VALVES WERE POSITIONED TO DELIVER REQUIRED FLOW. BOTH FLOW CONTROLLERS WERE OUT OF ADJUSTMENT; ADJUSTMENTS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED, AND OPERABILITY RESTORED.

[214] PALISADES DOCKET 50-255 LER 82-003  
 FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM PARTIALLY ISOLATED.  
 EVENT DATE: 011882 REPORT DATE: 021582 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: VALVE FAILED DUE TO FREEZING.

(NSIC 172935) AS A RESULT OF THE FAILURE OF A MANUAL VALVE IN FIRE SUPPRESSION

SYSTEM PIPING, ISOLATION OF A PORTION OF THE SYSTEM WAS REQUIRED. THE ISOLATED PIPING INCLUDED THREE HOSE STATIONS REQUIRED TO BE OPERABLE PER TECH SPEC 3.22.4. BECAUSE THE FAILED VALVE RESULTED IN A LIMITED AMOUNT OF LEAKAGE, RESTORATION OF THE ISOLATED HEADER WOULD HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE IF OPERATION OF THE HOSE STATIONS WERE REQUIRED. REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.2.B2. FREEZING CAUSED FAILURE OF THE VALVE; ISOLATION WAS REQUIRED TO PERMIT REPAIRS. A BLANK FLANGE HAS BEEN INSTALLED ON THE VALVE AS A TEMPORARY REPAIR; THE VALVE WILL BE REPAIRED OR REPLACED. THE NEED FOR FREEZE PROTECTION WILL BE EVALUATED.

[215] PEACH BOTTOM 2 DOCKET 50-277 LER 82-003  
 DIESEL GENERATOR CARDOX TANK LEVEL FALLS BELOW LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 012982 REPORT DATE: 022682 NSSS: GZ TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: STUCK LEVEL INDICATOR FLOAT.

(NSIC 172966) OPERATOR NOTED THAT THE DIESEL GENERATOR CARDOX TANK LEVEL HAD DROPPED SIGNIFICANTLY FROM THE PREVIOUS DAY, TO A LEVEL BELOW THE LIMIT OF TECH SPEC 3.14.6.3.A. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT THE LEVEL INDICATOR FLOAT MECHANISM (CARDOX P/N 124109) WAS STUCK. CAUSE OF STICKING SUSPECTED TO BE ICE. AFTER REPLACING THE DEVICE, SYSTEM WAS BLOWN DOWN TO REMOVE MOISTURE AND THE TANK WAS REFILLED.

[216] PEACH BOTTOM 2 DOCKET 50-277 LER 82-002  
 OXYGEN ANALYZER SOLENOID VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 020482 REPORT DATE: 030282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT COMBUS GAS CONTROL SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: CRUD ON SEATING SURFACE.

(NSIC 172913) A LOCAL LEAK RATE TEST WAS PERFORMED ON THE OXYGEN ANALYZER. SOLENOID VALVE SV-2980 FAILED TO SEAT PROPERLY AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. THE VALVE IS AN ISOLATION VALVE IN THE RETURN LINE TO THE DRYWELL FROM THE ANALYZER. THE APPARENT CAUSE OF FAILURE WAS A BUILD UP OF DIRT ON THE SEATING SURFACE WHICH PREVENTED PROPER VALVE DISC SEATING. THE DYMO TYPE SOLENOID VALVE ATKOMATIC PART NO 15-644 WAS DISASSEMBLED, CLEANED, SATISFACTORILY LEAK TESTED, AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[217] PEACH BOTTOM 2 DOCKET 50-277 LER 82-004  
 SBGT FILTER DAMPER FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 020682 REPORT DATE: 030682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: DEFECTIVE DAMPER CONTROL SWITCH.

(NSIC 172916) DURING TESTING OF THE PRIMARY CONTAINMENT ISOLATION SYSTEM, IT WAS NOTED THAT THE 'A' SBGT FILTER INLET DAMPER FAILED TO AUTOMATICALLY OPEN. INVESTIGATION REVEALED A DEFECTIVE DAMPER CONTROL SWITCH. THE DEFECTIVE CONTACTS WERE DISABLED TO ALLOW AUTOMATIC OPERATION AND THE DAMPER WAS ELECTRICALLY DEMONSTRATED TO BE OPERABLE. THE SWITCH WILL BE REPLACED DURING THE REFUELING OUTAGE.

[218] PEACH BOTTOM 2 DOCKET 50-277 LER 82-006  
 DIESEL FIRE PUMP TRIPS ON OVERSPEED.  
 EVENT DATE: 031382 REPORT DATE: 041282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: DEFECTIVE OVERSPEED CONTROL SWITCH.

(NSIC 172896) DURING SURVEILLANCE TESTING OF THE FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEM, THE DIESEL FIRE PUMP TRIPPED OFF ON OVERSPEED CONDITION. THE REDUNDANT FIRE PUMP WAS

VERIFIED OPERABLE. GOVERNING TECH SPEC IS 3.14.A.2. INVESTIGATION REVEALED A DEFECTIVE OVERSPEED CONTROL SWITCH. THE DEFECTIVE SWITCH WAS REPLACED, SURVEILLANCE TEST CONDUCTED AND PUMP RETURNED TO SERVICE ON 3/16/82.

[219] PEACH BOTTOM 3 DOCKET 50-278 LER 81-019 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON INOPERABLE DRYWELL WIDE RANGE PRESSURE RECORDER.  
 EVENT DATE: 112181 REPORT DATE: 122181 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGNRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: GROUND IN PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD.

(NSIC 172789) THE DRYWELL WIDE RANGE PRESSURE RECORDER PR-3508 DID NOT RECEIVE A SIGNAL AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. THE PRESSURE TRANSMITTERS (PT-3508A & PT-3508B) WERE BLOWING FUSES. A TEMPORARY POWER SUPPLY WAS INSTALLED TO PROVIDE POWER TO THE TRANSMITTER WHILE THE PROBLEM WAS EVALUATED AND CORRECTED. APPLICABLE TECH SPEC IS 3.2.F. PROBLEM WAS TRACED TO AN INTENTIONAL INTERNAL GROUND IN THE PRINTED CIRCUIT ASSEMBLY ON PRESSURE TRANSMITTERS PT-3508A AND PT-3508B. DISCUSSIONS WITH VENDOR RESULTED IN A PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD CHANGE TO THE TRANSMITTERS REMOVING THE INTERNAL GROUND AND PROVIDING A FLOATING DC SYSTEM. THE SYSTEM WAS TESTED AND DECLARED OPERABLE.

[220] PILGRIM 1 DOCKET 50-293 LER 82-001  
 SLIDING FIRE DOOR FOUND INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 010582 REPORT DATE: 020482 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: OTHER COMPONENTS  
 CAUSE: CONSTRUCTION PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172943) A SLIDING FIRE DOOR WAS FOUND TO BE NOT FUNCTIONAL. TECH SPEC SECTION 3.12.F REQUIRES ALL FIRE BARRIERS TO BE FUNCTIONAL AT ALL TIMES. THE TECH SPEC REQUIRED ACTION OF POSTING A FIRE WATCH ON ONE SIDE OF THE BARRIER HAD ALREADY BEEN INSTITUTED DUE TO THE CO(SUB 2) SYSTEM BEING DECLARED INOPERATIVE. (REF. LER 81-058). THIS IS DUE TO THE AREA BEING COMMON TO BOTH THE PROTECTION OF THE CO(SUB 2) SYSTEM AND THE FIRE DOOR (23' ELEVATION SWITCHGEAR ROOM). THE FIRE DOOR CONDITION WAS DETECTED DURING A FIRE INSPECTION TOUR AND CORRECTED IMMEDIATELY. DURING RECENT STATION MODIFICATIONS, A METAL CHANNEL, USED AS PART OF A SECURITY BARRIER, WAS MOVED SLIGHTLY WHICH HINDERED THE DOOR'S MOVEMENT. CURRENT STATION PROCEDURES ARE ADEQUATE TO DETECT PROBLEMS OF THIS NATURE. TO PRECLUDE OCCURRENCES OF THIS TYPE, A MEMO WILL BE ISSUED TO ALL APPROPRIATE STATION AND CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL TO REAPPRISE THEM OF THESE PROCEDURAL RESPONSIBILITIES.

[221] PILGRIM 1 DOCKET 50-293 LER 82-003  
 MANAGEMENT STRUCTURE CHANGED.  
 EVENT DATE: 020182 REPORT DATE: 030282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER SYSTEMS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: ADDITIONAL CORPORATE OVERSIGHT.

(NSIC 173141) BOSTON EDISON'S NUCLEAR CORPORATE ORGANIZATION HAS CHANGED. IN ADDITION TO ELECTION OF A SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT - NUCLEAR, THE POSITIONS OF VICE PRESIDENT - NUCLEAR OPERATIONS AND DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS REVIEW AT PILGRIM STATION HAVE BEEN CREATED. THE NEED TO INCREASE CORPORATE OVERSIGHT OF SAFETY-RELATED ACTIVITIES HAS PROMPTED THIS REORGANIZATION. A TECH SPEC CHANGE WILL BE ISSUED AFTER THE VICE PRESIDENT - OPERATIONS POSITION IS FILLED.

[222] PILGRIM 1 DOCKET 50-293 LER 82-005  
 CRD LINE SUPPORTS INSTALLED INCORRECTLY.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTIVITY CONTROL SYSTEMS COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS





BECAUSE OF DEGRADATION OF THE SEALING SURFACES. IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE VALVE DEGRADATION WAS CAUSED BY CORROSION. THE SERVICE AIR CHECK VALVE'S DISC WAS REPLACED AND VALVE COVER REMACHINED. THE VALVE SEAT AND CLAPPER OF THE CCW CHECK VALVE WERE RELAPPED. BOTH VALVES WERE REASSEMBLED AND SUCCESSFULLY RETESTED.

[226] POINT BEACH 2 DOCKET 50-301 LER 82-001  
 BORIC ACID HEAT TRACING CIRCUIT INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 020382 REPORT DATE: 022382 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CHEM, VOL CONT & LIQ POISN SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: FAILED CIRCUIT CONTROLLER.

(NSIC 172816) A UNIT 2 BORIC ACID HEAT TRACING CIRCUIT, P042, WAS FOUND INOPERABLE. CIRCUIT P-42 IS ONE OF TWO HEAT TRACING CIRCUITS ON THE DISCHARGE LINE OF THE 'B' BORIC ACID TRANSFER PUMP. LOSS OF ONE OF THE TWO HEAT TRACING CIRCUITS IS REPORTABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC 15.6.9.2.B.2. THE LOSS OF BORIC ACID HEAT TRACING CIRCUIT P-42 WAS DUE TO A FAILED THERMON TYPE 4 CIRCUIT CONTROLLER. THE CIRCUIT CONTROLLER WAS REPLACED AND THE CIRCUIT TESTED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE ON 02-04-82.

[227] PRAIRIE ISLAND 1 DOCKET 50-282 LER 82-003  
 STEAM EXCLUSION CONTROL DAMPER FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 020982 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AIR COND,HEAT,COOL,VENT SYSTEM COMPONENT: MECHANICAL FUNCTION UNITS  
 CAUSE: DRIVE GEAR FAILED.

(NSIC 172922) DURING THE ANNUAL VISUAL INSPECTION, ONE STEAM EXCLUSION CONTROL DAMPER WAS FOUND INOPERABLE. TECH SPEC 3.4.A.3 APPLIES. FAILURE OF A DRIVE GEAR IN A PACIFIC AIR PRODUCTS DAMPER MODEL R-35-FS. GEAR WAS REPLACED. RETEST WAS SATISFACTORY.

[228] PRAIRIE ISLAND 2 DOCKET 50-306 LER 82-004  
 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PUMP INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 032482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE WORKER TRIPPED OVERSPEED MECHANISM.

(NSIC 172899) WHILE PERFORMING MAINTENANCE WORK IN THE AREA OF NO. 22 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PUMP, A WORKMAN ACCIDENTALLY BUMPED THE OVERSPEED TRIP MECHANISM, TRIPPING THE VALVE AND MAKING THE PUMP INOPERABLE FOR ABOUT 9 MINUTES. THE EVENT WAS ANNUNCIATED IN THE CONTROL ROOM. RECENT SIMILAR EVENT WAS RO 81-1. TECH SPEC 3.4.A.2.B. APPLIES. THE CAUSE WAS PERSONNEL ERROR. THE VALVE OPERATOR WAS RESET.

[229] QUAD CITIES 1 DOCKET 50-254 LER 82-001  
 ECCS LEVEL SWITCH DAMAGED.  
 EVENT DATE: 011382 REPORT DATE: 021082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172935) DURING PERFORMANCE OF ROUTINE CALIBRATION OF ECCS LEVEL SWITCHES, LIS-1-263-72A WAS DAMAGED AND THUS MADE INOPERABLE. THE INSTRUMENT PERSONNEL WERE NOT AWARE OF THE TECH SPEC TABLE 3.2-1 OPERABILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS SWITCH. THUS, OPERATING PERSONNEL WERE NOT IMMEDIATELY INFORMED OF ITS INOPERABILITY. OPERATING PERSONNEL WERE INFORMED TWO HOURS LATER, BUT REPAIRS HAD BEEN COMPLETED AND LIS-1-263-72A RETURNED TO SERVICE BEFORE ASSOCIATED CHANNEL COULD BE TRIPPED. THE CAUSE WAS THAT INSTRUMENT PERSONNEL WERE NOT FAMILIAR WITH TECH SPEC REQUIREMENTS FOR THESE SWITCHES. THE REPAIR OF LIS-1-263-72A WAS STARTED IMMEDIATELY AND COMPLETED ABOUT TWO AND ONE-HALF HOURS

AFTER IT WAS DAMAGED. TRAINING HAS BEEN GIVEN TO INSTRUMENT DEPARTMENT SUPERVISORS ON TECH SPEC INSTRUMENT OPERABILITY REQUIREMENTS.

[230] QUAD CITIES 1 DOCKET 50-254 LER 82-004  
 DRIFT OF RCIC DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE SWITCHES CAUSES ISOLATION.  
 EVENT DATE: 030782 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC CORE ISOL COOL SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172839) AT 1 A.M., THE HIGH STEAM LINE DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE ALARM WAS RECEIVED AND CORRESPONDINGLY THE RCIC STEAM LINE ISOLATED. ATTEMPTS TO RESET THE ISOLATION WERE UNSUCCESSFUL, AND THEREFORE, THE RCIC SYSTEM WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. AS PER TECH SPECS 3.5.E.2, HPCI WAS IMMEDIATELY PROVEN OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THIS OCCURRENCE WAS INSTRUMENT DRIFT OF THE HIGH STEAM LINE FLOW DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE SWITCH, DPIS-1-1360-1A, WHICH CAUSED THE ERRONEOUS GROUP V ISOLATION. THE SWITCH WAS RECALIBRATED, FUNCTIONALLY TESTED, AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. BECAUSE OF A RECENT INCREASED DRIFTING OF THESE RCIC HIGH FLOW SWITCHES, SWITCHES NOT RECENTLY REPLACED WILL BE REPLACED AND ALL SWITCHES WILL BE CLOSELY MONITORED TO VERIFY STABLE CALIBRATION.

[231] QUAD CITIES 2 DOCKET 50-265 LER 82-002  
 SET POINT DRIFT IN MAIN STEAM LINE PRESSURE SWITCH.  
 EVENT DATE: 012682 REPORT DATE: 021082 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM ISOL SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172964) WHILE PERFORMING SURVEILLANCE QIS 20-1, MAIN STEAM LINE LOW PRESSURE CALIBRATION, PRESSURE SWITCH PS-2-261-30D WAS FOUND TO TRIP AT 794 PSIG. THIS WAS BELOW THE 825 PSIG LIMIT REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC TABLE 3.2-1. THIS OCCURRENCE WAS CAUSED BY INSTRUMENT DRIFT. THE PS-2-261-30D SWITCH WAS RECALIBRATED TO TRIP AT 856 PSIG.

[232] QUAD CITIES 2 DOCKET 50-265 LER 82-004  
 SET POINT DRIFT OF RCIC STEAM LINE HIGH FLOW SWITCHES.  
 EVENT DATE: 022482 REPORT DATE: 033182 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: REAC CORE ISOL COOL SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172836) WHILE PERFORMING THE QUARTERLY RCIC STEAM LINE HIGH FLOW CALIBRATION AND FUNCTIONAL TEST, QIS 18, DPIS 2-1360-1B& FAILED TO OPERATE. THIS SWITCH IS ASSOCIATED WITH THE DPIS 2-1360-1B DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE CELL WHICH ISOLATES THE RCIC STEAM LINE ON HIGH FLOW. THE REDUNDANT DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE CELL DPIS 2-1360-1A WAS FOUND OPERABLE AND WOULD HAVE ISOLATED THE RCIC STEAM LINE ON HIGH FLOW. AT THE TIME OF THE CALIBRATION, UNIT TWO HAD BEEN SHUTDOWN SINCE JANUARY 18, 1982, AND PRIMARY CONTAINMENT WAS NOT IN EFFECT. THE CAUSE OF THIS OCCURRENCE WAS INSTRUMENT DRIFT OF THE DPIS 2-1360-1B& DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE SWITCH. THE SWITCH WAS RECALIBRATED AND TESTED SATISFACTORILY. AS A RESULT OF A RECENT INCREASE IN THE TENDENCY FOR THESE SWITCHES TO DRIFT, ALL UNIT ONE AND UNIT TWO HIGH STEAM FLOW DIFFERENTIAL PRESSURE SWITCHES WILL BE REPLACED LIKE-FOR-LIKE.

[233] RANCHO SECO DOCKET 50-312 LER 81-056  
 RPS CHANNEL INOPERABLE DUE TO TESTING ERROR.  
 EVENT DATE: 121181 REPORT DATE: 122181 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL INCORRECTLY TRIPPED BREAKER.

(NSIC 172867) WHILE PERFORMING INSTRUMENT SURVEILLANCE I-108B WITH CHANNEL C OF THE RPS DECLARED ADMINISTRATIVELY INOPERABLE, THE INSTRUMENT TECHNICIAN INCORRECTLY PERFORMED THE TEST SUCH THAT THE TRIP SYSTEM WAS NOT SET UP TO RETAIN THE MINIMUM DEGREE OF REDUNDANCY AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC SECTIONS 3.5.1.1 AND 3.5.1.2. THE INSTRUMENT TECHNICIAN DID NOT PROPERLY FOLLOW PROCEDURES. ALL INSTRUMENT TECHNICIANS WERE RE-INSTRUCTED ON THE EFFECTS OF TRIPPING AN RPS CHANNEL VERSUS TRIPPING ITS ASSOCIATED BREAKER.

[234] RANCHO SECO DOCKET 50-312 LER 82-008  
 PLANT EFFLUENT PH RECORDED AS TOO HIGH.  
 EVENT DATE: 012182 REPORT DATE: 032282 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER AUX WATER SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT ERROR.

(NSIC 172842) PLANT EFFLUENT PH WAS FOUND TO BE HIGH (8.6 - 8.7) FOR A TIME PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY FIVE MINUTES ON JANUARY 21, 1982. THERE WERE NO TRANSIENTS NOR WAS PLANT OR PUBLIC SAFETY AFFECTED. APPARENT CAUSE WAS INSTRUMENT ERROR. THE PH AND DELTA TC PROBES WERE REPLACED.

[235] ROBINSON 2 DOCKET 50-261 LER 79-034 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON AFW SYSTEM ISOLATION VALVE FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 091879 REPORT DATE: 032682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: WORN GEAR IN VALVE OPERATOR.

(NSIC 172857) WHILE PERFORMING THE MONTHLY PERIODIC TEST OF THE AFW SYSTEM, THE MOTOR OPERATED ISOLATION VALVE IN THE AFW LINE TO "A" S/G, AFW-V2-16A, FAILED TO OPEN. THE VALVE WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AT 1900 HOURS. THIS RESULTED IN OPERATION IN A DEGRADED MODE PERMITTED BY TECH SPEC 3.4.3 AND CONSTITUTES A REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.2.B.2. THROUGHOUT THE EVENT BOTH MAIN FEED PUMPS AND THREE AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PUMPS WERE AVAILABLE. ALSO, V2-16A WAS MANUALLY OPERABLE IF REQUIRED. (LER 79-32) (LER 79-33). THE OPERATOR ON V2-16A FAILED TO OPEN DUE TO THE OPERATOR POWER SUPPLY BREAKER HAVING TRIPPED ON THE PREVIOUS CLOSURE. THE BREAKER WAS RESET, AND THE VALVE DECLARED OPERABLE AT 2032 HOURS AFTER HAVING BEEN STROKED SEVERAL TIMES WITH NO PROBLEMS. THE ROOT CAUSE OF THE FAILURE WAS SUBSEQUENTLY DETERMINED TO BE A WORN GEAR IN THE VALVE OPERATOR. THE VALVE HAS BEEN REPLACED.

[236] ROBINSON 2 DOCKET 50-261 LER 81-033  
 TECH SPEC ERROR IN HEATUP/COOLDOWN RATES REPORTED.  
 EVENT DATE: 122881 REPORT DATE: 011182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR VES. & APPURTENANCES COMPONENT: VESSELS,PRESSURE  
 CAUSE: ADMINISTRATIVE ERROR.

(NSIC 172798) IT WAS DETERMINED THAT AN ERROR IN THE TECH SPEC HEATUP AND COOLDOWN CURVES WHICH HAD NOT BEEN REPORTED TO THE NRC WAS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.9.2.A.9. THIS ERROR WAS MADE IN 1977 AND, DUE TO AN ADMINISTRATIVE ERROR, WAS NOT REPORTED TO THE NRC. THE HEATUP AND COOLDOWN CURVES WERE IN ERROR DUE TO CALCULATIONAL MISTAKES AND WERE NOT REVISED DUE TO AN ADMINISTRATIVE ERROR. THE CORRECTED CURVES AND CALCULATIONS WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE NRC AS A TECH SPEC CHANGE BY JANUARY 31, 1982. THE ADMINISTRATIVE ERROR IS CONSIDERED A UNIQUE AND ISOLATED EVENT.

[237] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 81-116 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON CONTAINMENT AIRLOCK LEAKS.  
 EVENT DATE: 112481 REPORT DATE: 040182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: PENETRATIONS,PRIMARY CONTAIN

CAUSE: WORN SEALS.

(NSIC 172881) ON THREE SEPARATE OCCASIONS, NOVEMBER 24 AND 28, AND DECEMBER 8, 1982, DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF SURVEILLANCE PROCEDURE SP(O) 4.6.1.3, THE 100' ELEVATION CONTAINMENT AIR LOCK EXCEEDED THE LEAKAGE RATE LIMIT OF 0.05 LA AT THE DESIGN PRESSURE OF 47.0 PSIG AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 3.6.1.3.B. AT 1600, 1935, AND 1500 HOURS, RESPECTIVELY, THE AIR LOCK WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.1.3 WAS ENTERED. ON NOVEMBER 24 A SEAL ON THE OUTER DOOR WAS REPLACED. ON NOVEMBER 28 A SEAL ON THE INNER DOOR WAS REMOVED, TURNED AROUND, AND REINSTALLED. ON DECEMBER 8 THE OPERATING HANDWHEEL SETSCREW WAS REINSTALLED. ON ALL THREE OCCASIONS SURVEILLANCE PROCEDURES SP(O) 4.6.1.3 WAS SATISFACTORILY PERFORMED, AND AT 1925, 2220, AND 2000 HOURS, RESPECTIVELY, ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.1.3 WAS TERMINATED. (81-49, 81-57, 81-89.)

[238] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-001 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON 2 POPS VALVE FAILURE.  
 EVENT DATE: 010682 REPORT DATE: 020582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: GENERIC VALVE PROBLEM.

(NSIC 172970) ON JANUARY 5, 1982, PRESSURIZER OVERPRESSURE PROTECTION SYSTEM VALVE 1PR1 WAS ISOLATED, DUE TO LEAKING THROUGH, BUT ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.A WAS ERRONEOUSLY NOT ENTERED. AT 0800 HOURS, JANUARY 6, 1982 THE OVERSIGHT WAS CORRECTED AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.A WAS TERMINATED. ON JANUARY 7, 1982, WHILE DRAINING THE REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM, POPS RELIEF VALVE 1PR2 WOULD NOT OPEN IN MANUAL AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. AT 1310 HOURS ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.A WAS ENTERED. FAILURE OF COPEX-VULCAN D100-160 RELIEF VALVES HAS BEEN PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED AS A GENERIC PROBLEM. AT 1700 HOURS, JANUARY 22, 1982, THE REACTOR VESSEL HEAD WAS REMOVED, AND SINCE THE LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION IS NOT APPLICABLE UNDER THIS CONDITION, ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.A WAS TERMINATED.

[239] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-006  
 3 PARTICULATE DETECTORS INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 011382 REPORT DATE: 021082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCS & EFF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: PUMP FAILURE.

(NSIC 172932) AN OPERATOR DISCOVERED THAT THE AIR PARTICULATE DETECTOR (APD) PUMP HAD FAILED. AN ATTEMPT TO RESTART IT WAS UNSUCCESSFUL. THE APD PUMP WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE, RENDERING RADIATION MONITOR 1R11A, 1R12A, AND 1R12B INOPERABLE, AND ACTION STATEMENTS 3.3.3.1.B ACTION 22 AND 3.9.9. WERE ENTERED. ALL OF THE REQUIRED CONTAINMENT PURGE AND PRESSURE-VACUUM RELIEF PENETRATIONS WERE ISOLATED. THE HIGH SPEED AND LOW SPEED FILTER PAPER DRIVES WERE REPLACED AND THE APD WAS TESTED SATISFACTORILY.

[240] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-005  
 FUEL ASSEMBLY CLADDING RUPTURE FOUND.  
 EVENT DATE: 013182 REPORT DATE: 021082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CORE COMPONENT: FUEL ELEMENTS  
 CAUSE: CLADDING DEGRADATION.

(NSIC 172930) THE WESTINGHOUSE FUEL INSPECTION TEAM, WHILE CONDUCTING THEIR FUEL ASSEMBLY TV VISUAL AND DIMENSIONAL SURVEY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANNED FUEL INSPECTION (PP-PSE-FE4) OF TWO OPTIMIZED ASSEMBLIES AND FOUR ADDITIONAL ASSEMBLIES, DISCOVERED DEGRADATION OF THE FUEL CLADDING ON FUEL ASSEMBLY C-04. THE INSPECTION TEAM REPORTED THAT FUEL PELLETS WERE VISIBLE DURING THE FUEL ELEMENT SCAN. FUEL ASSEMBLY C-04 WAS PLACED IN THE SPENT FUEL PIT. AS A RESULT OF THE C-04 INSPECTION RESULTS, ALL C ASSEMBLIES SCHEDULED TO BE REUSED IN THE



CORE, WERE INSPECTED. NO ADDITIONAL CLADDING RUPTURES WERE DISCOVERED. AN INVESTIGATION IS IN PROGRESS, AND A SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED UPON COMPLETION.

[241] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-007 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON SEISMICALLY UNQUALIFIED CHECK VALVES.  
 EVENT DATE: 021182 REPORT DATE: 022482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDENSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 172959) IN RESPONSE TO THE NRC REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON SEISMIC QUALIFICATION OF THE AUXILIARY FEEDWATER SYSTEM, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE CHECK VALVES 1AF71 AND 1AF72 AND ASSOCIATED PIPING WERE NOT SEISMICALLY PROTECTED. AS PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.8.I THE NRC RESIDENT INSPECTOR WAS NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY, WITH WRITTEN NOTIFICATION SUBMITTED WITHIN 24 HOURS. A PROTECTIVE STEEL STRUCTURE WILL BE PROVIDED OFF THE SEISMIC WALL. THESE NEW STRUCTURES WILL ALSO INCORPORATE SEISMIC GUIDES FOR ADDITIONAL PROTECTION OF THESE VALVES. DCR 1EC-1404 HAS BEEN INITIATED AND ISSUED TO THE STATION TO MAKE THESE IMPROVEMENTS/ENHANCEMENTS. A SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED UPON COMPLETION.

[242] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-011  
 AUDIBLE FIRE PROTECTION ALARM FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021582 REPORT DATE: 030982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: ANNUNCIATOR MODULES  
 CAUSE: LOOSE RELAY.

(NSIC 172880) AT 1100 HOURS, THE CONTROL OPERATOR NOTICED THAT THE FIRE ALARM FOR THE 84' ELEVATION, CHARGING PUMP AREA HAD ANNUNCIATED ON THE 1RP5 FIRE ZONE PANEL, BUT THE CODED AUDIBLE ALARM DID NOT SOUND. THE FIRE ALARM WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.3.3.6 WAS ENTERED. THE CONTROL CIRCUIT RELAY FROM THE 24 HOUR TIMER IN THE MISCELLANEOUS SIGNAL CABINET WAS STICKING. THE AUDIO/TEST SWITCH ON THE TIMER WAS CYCLED, THE RELAY CLEARED, AND THE CODED AUDIBLE ALARM FUNCTIONED PROPERLY. AT 1420 HOURS, FEBRUARY 15, 1982 ACTION STATEMENT 3.3.3.6 WAS TERMINATED. SUBSEQUENTLY, A RELAY WAS DISCOVERED LOOSE IN ITS SOCKET AND RESEATED.

[243] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-012  
 DIESEL GENERATOR INOPERABLE DUE TO JACKET WATER HEATER LEAK.  
 EVENT DATE: 022382 REPORT DATE: 032482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG GENERATOR SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: HEATERS, ELECTRIC  
 CAUSE: CORROSION OF HEATER SHEATH.

(NSIC 172860) WHILE PERFORMING HIS ROUNDS, AN OPERATOR DISCOVERED THAT NO. 1B DIESEL GENERATOR CUBICLE CONTAINED A SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF CHROMIATED WATER ON THE FLOOR. AN ELECTRICAL CONDUIT CONTAINING LEADS TO THE PRE-LUBRICATION PUMP AND HEATER WAS FILLED WITH WATER. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT THE RIGHT SIDE JACKED WATER HEATER WAS LEAKING AT IT'S CONNECTION TO THE DIESEL. AT 0225 HOURS NO. 1B DIESEL WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE, AND SINCE NO. 1C DIESEL WAS ALREADY TAGGED OUT, ACTION STATEMENTS 3.8.1.2 AND 3.8.2.2 WERE ENTERED. ALL OPERATIONS INVOLVING CORE ALTERATIONS OR POSITIVE REACTIVITY CHANGES WERE SUSPENDED IMMEDIATELY. CONTAINMENT INTEGRITY WAS ESTABLISHED AT 1020 HOURS, FEBRUARY 23. BOTH JACKET WATER HEATERS WERE REPLACED AS PER DCR 1SC-0086. THE PRELUBRICATION PUMP AND MOTOR WERE REPLACED. AT 0125 HOURS, FEBRUARY 24, 1982 ACTION STATEMENTS 3.8.1.2 AND 3.8.2.2 WERE TERMINATED.

[244] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-013  
 REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM ISOLATED FROM PRESSURIZER RELIEF VALVES.  
 EVENT DATE: 030182 REPORT DATE: 032982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172861) THE CONTROL ROOM OPERATOR CLOSED PRESSURIZER RELIEF VALVE 1PR1, WITH VALVE 1PR2 STILL IN THE CLOSED POSITION. OPERATION PROCEEDED WITH BOTH VALVES CLOSED UNTIL 1203 HOURS WHEN THE OPERATOR NOTICED THAT NO REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM (RCS) VENT PATH EXISTED. ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.B WAS ENTERED RETROACTIVE TO 0856 HOURS, WHEN VALVE 1PR1 WAS CLOSED. THE CAUSE OF THE LOSS OF RCS VENT PATH WAS THE OPERATOR INADVERTENTLY CLOSED VALVE 1PR1 WITHOUT OPENING VALVE 1PR2. AT 1203 HOURS, VALVE 1PR1 WAS OPENED AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.9.3.B WAS TERMINATED. THE OPERATOR INVOLVED WAS COUNSELED BY THE SENIOR SHIFT SUPERVISOR.

[245] SALEM 1 DOCKET 50-272 LER 82-015  
 LOSS OF VITAL BUS DISABLES ALL OPERABLE COMPONENT COOLING AND SERVICE WATER.  
 EVENT DATE: 031682 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AC ONSITE POWER SYS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: RELAYS  
 CAUSE: VITAL BUS RELAY SHORTED.

(NSIC 173048) NO. 1A VITAL BUS TRIPPED RESULTING IN A LOSS OF COMPONENT COOLING WATER (CCW) AND SERVICE WATER (SW) FLOWS; THE REDUNDANT CCW AND SW PUMPS WERE TAGGED OUT FOR MAINTENANCE. ALL CHARGING PUMPS, BORON INJECTION FLOW PATHS, RESIDUAL HEAT REMOVAL (RHR) LOOPS AND DIESEL GENERATORS WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO NO CCW OR SW FLOW. AT 1055 HOURS ACTION STATEMENTS 3.1.2.1, 3.1.2.3, 3.4.1.4, 3.8.1.2 AND 3.8.2.2 WERE ENTERED. A WIRE TO THE TD5 UNDERVOLTAGE RELAY HAD SHORTED TO THE FEEDER CUBICLE DOOR, CAUSING THE 1A VITAL BUS INFED BREAKER TO TRIP WITHOUT AUTOMATIC TRANSFER. CCW AND SW FLOWS WERE RESTORED. ALL CHARGING PUMPS, A BORON INJECTION FLOW PATH, BOTH RHR LOOPS AND ALL DIESELS WERE DECLARED OPERABLE; ONE RHR LOOP WAS PLACED IN OPERATION. BY 1140 HOURS, ACTION STATEMENTS 3.1.2.1, 3.1.2.3, 3.4.1.4, 3.8.1.2 AND 3.8.2.2 HAD BEEN TERMINATED.

[246] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 81-091 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON FAILURE TO CONDUCT TURBINE OVERSPEED SURVEILLANCE.  
 EVENT DATE: 081781 REPORT DATE: 012282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: TURBINE-GENERATORS & CONTROLS COMPONENT: TURBINES  
 CAUSE: OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 172796) AT APPROXIMATELY 1200 HOURS, AUGUST 13, 1981, THE UNIT ATTAINED 85% RATED THERMAL POWER. THE TURBINE OVERSPEED PROTECTION SURVEILLANCE SP(O) 4.3.4.2 WAS REQUIRED TO BE PERFORMED WITHIN 24 HOURS OF ATTAINING 85% POWER. THE SURVEILLANCE WAS INADVERTENTLY OVERLOOKED, BUT WAS PERFORMED AS SOON AS THE OMISSION WAS REALIZED. AS SOON AS THE OMISSION WAS REALIZED, SP(O) 4.3.4.1 WAS PERFORMED. AT 2030 HOURS, AUGUST 17, 1981, IT WAS SATISFACTORILY COMPLETED AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.3.4.B WAS TERMINATED. ALL PERSONNEL IN OPERATIONS SUPERVISION WERE COUNSELED, AND MADE AWARE OF THE 24 HOUR REQUIREMENT.

[247] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-012  
 STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL CHANNEL DRIFTS.  
 EVENT DATE: 020982 REPORT DATE: 030982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: GROUNDED CABLE.

(NSIC 172988) NO. 21 STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL CHANNEL 2 DISPLAYED ERRATIC BEHAVIOR, RAPIDLY DRIFTING HIGH TO 65%, CAUSING FEED FLOW TO DROP, DROPPING ACTUAL LEVEL TO 30%. THE OPERATOR IMMEDIATELY SWITCHED THE FEED REGULATOR VALVE TO MANUAL

CONTROL AND REGAINED PROPER STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL. CHANNEL 2 DRIFTED BACK TO NORMAL. AT 2310 HOURS THE DECISION WAS MADE THAT THE FAILURE WAS IN THE TRANSMITTER, SO THE CHANNEL WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.3.1 ACTION 7 WAS ENTERED. THE SHIELD AROUND THE SIGNAL CABLE TO THE LEVEL TRANSMITTER WAS DOUBLE GROUNDED. THE CHANNEL BISTABLE WAS PLACED IN THE TRIPPED CONDITION WITHIN ONE HOUR. THE DOUBLE GROUNDED SHIELD WAS LIFTED FROM ITS TERMINAL. THE CHANNEL WAS TESTED SATISFACTORILY AND DECLARED OPERABLE.

[248] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-007 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON SEISMICALLY UNQUALIFIED CHECK VALVES.  
 EVENT DATE: 021182 REPORT DATE: 030882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDENSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 172994) IN RESPONSE TO THE NRC REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON SEISMIC QUALIFICATION OF THE AUXILIARY FEEDWATER SYSTEM, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE CHECK VALVES 1AF71 AND 1AF72 AND ASSOCIATED PIPING WERE NOT SEISMICALLY ANALYZED AND PROTECTED. AS PER TECH SPEC 6.9.1.8.1 THE NRC RESIDENT INSPECTOR WAS NOTIFIED IMMEDIATELY, WITH WRITTEN NOTIFICATION SUBMITTED WITHIN 24 HOURS. A PROTECTIVE STEEL STRUCTURE WILL BE PROVIDED OFF THE SEISMIC WALL. THESE NEW STRUCTURES WILL ALSO INCORPORATE SEISMIC GUIDES FOR ADDITIONAL PROTECTION OF THESE VALVES. DCR 1EC-1404 HAS BEEN INITIATED AND ISSUED TO THE STATION TO MAKE THESE IMPROVEMENTS/ENHANCEMENTS. A SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT WILL BE SUBMITTED UPON COMPLETION.

[249] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-015  
 REACTOR COOLANT LEAK RATE SURVEILLANCE NOT PERFORMED AS REQUIRED.  
 EVENT DATE: 022182 REPORT DATE: 032382 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: SYSTEM CODE NOT APPLICABLE COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: NON STEADY STATE CONDITIONS.

(NSIC 172851) THE REACTOR COOLANT LEAK RATE SURVEILLANCE 4.4.7.2.D, WHICH WAS DUE AT 0415 HOURS, FEBRUARY 20, 1982, HAD NOT BEEN PERFORMED BECAUSE THE PLANT HAD NOT BEEN IN A STEADY STATE CONDITION. A REACTOR TRIP HAD OCCURRED AT 1623 HOURS, FEBRUARY 19. CRITICALITY WAS ATTAINED AT 2030 HOURS, FEBRUARY 19. DUE TO CHANGING XENON CONCENTRATIONS, THE SURVEILLANCE COULD NOT BE PERFORMED AT ITS 72 HOUR REQUIREMENT, OR BY THE ALLOWED 25% EXTENSION AT 2215 HOURS, FEBRUARY 20, THEREFORE, ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.7.2 WAS ENTERED. OPERATING CONDITIONS STABILIZED, AND THE LEAK RATE SURVEILLANCE WAS STARTED IMMEDIATELY. IT WAS COMPLETED AT 0326 HOURS, FEBRUARY 21, 1982 AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.4.7.2. WAS TERMINATED. THE MEASURED LEAK RATE WAS SATISFACTORY. A LICENSE CHANGE REQUEST WILL BE SUBMITTED TO STIPULATE STEADY STATE OPERATING CONDITIONS AS IN THE UNIT NO. 1 LICENSE REQUIREMENT.

[250] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-016  
 AXIAL POWER DISTRIBUTION OUT OF RANGE FOLLOWING POWER REDUCTION.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 032682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTIVITY CONTROL SYSTEMS COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: CIRCULATING WATER SCREENS CLOGGED.

(NSIC 172848) ON THREE OCCASIONS THE AXIAL POWER DISTRIBUTION (DELTA I) DRIFTED OUT OF THE  $\pm 5\%$  TARGET BAND DUE TO A POWER REDUCTION CAUSED BY CLOGGED SCREENS TRIPPING THE CIRCULATOR. AT 0454 HOURS, FEBRUARY 26, AND 0243 AND 1516 HOURS, FEBRUARY 27, 1982. THE CIRCULATOR TRIPPED, REQUIRING A POWER REDUCTION TO MINIMIZE CONDENSER VACUUM LOSS. AT 0457, 0308 AND 1518 HOURS, RESPECTIVELY, DELTA I WENT OUT OF THE TARGET BAND, AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.2.1.A WAS ENTERED. THE DELTA I WAS RESTORED TO WITHIN THE  $\pm 5\%$  TARGET BAND AT 0509, 0313, AND 1533 HOURS, RESPECTIVELY, AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.2.1.A WAS TERMINATED. THE TIME

DURATIONS OUT OF THE TARGET BAND WERE 12 MINUTES, 5 MINUTES, AND 15 MINUTES, WITH A TOTAL TIME OUT OF THE BAND ON FEBRUARY 26, 12 MINUTES, AND FEBRUARY 27, 20 MINUTES. ON FEBRUARY 27 BOTH CIRCULATORS WERE RETURNED TO SERVICE, AND POWER WAS STABILIZED AT 70%.

[251] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-017  
TWO CONTAINMENT FAN COIL UNITS FAIL.  
EVENT DATE: 022882 REPORT DATE: 032982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: CNTNMNT HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
CAUSE: VALVE FAILED CLOSED AND TRANSMITTER CLOGGED.

(NSIC 172844) THE CONTROL ROOM OPERATOR DISCOVERED ZERO SERVICE WATER FLOW INDICATION UPON STARTING NO. 22 CONTAINMENT FAN COIL UNIT (CFCU). ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.2.3.A WAS ENTERED AT 0612 HOURS. ON MARCH 1, 1982 DURING PERFORMANCE OF SURVEILLANCE 4.0.5V-SW, THE OPERATOR NOTICED SERVICE WATER FLOW TO NO. 23 CFCU WAS LESS THAN THE 2500 GPM REQUIRED IN LOW SPEED. WITH TWO CFCU GROUPS INOPERABLE, ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.2.3.B WAS ENTERED AT 0540 HOURS. THE CAUSE OF ZERO SERVICE WATER FLOW TO NO. 22 CFCU WAS VALVE 22SW223 WAS STUCK CLOSED. THE CAUSE OF LOW SERVICE WATER FLOW TO NO. 23 CFCU WAS THE TRANSMITTER WAS PLUGGED WITH SILT. NO. 23 CFCU TRANSMITTER WAS BLOWN DOWN; ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.2.3.B WAS TERMINATED AT 1910 HOURS, MARCH 1, 1982. VALVE 22SW223 WAS EXERCISED AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.2.3.A WAS TERMINATED AT 0130 HOURS, MARCH 5, 1982.

[252] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-021  
CONTAINMENT AIR LOCK LEAKAGE EXCEEDS LIMIT.  
EVENT DATE: 032082 REPORT DATE: 040782 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: PENETRATIONS, PRIMARY CONTAIN  
CAUSE: LOOSE HANDWELL CHAIN.

(NSIC 173083) WHILE PERFORMING SURVEILLANCE PROCEDURE SP(O)4.6.1.3 ON THE 100' ELEVATION CONTAINMENT AIR LOCK, IT WAS DETERMINED THAT THE LEAKAGE RATE EXCEEDED THE LIMIT OF 0.05 LA AT THE DESIGN PRESSURE OF 47.0 PSIG, AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC 3.6.1.3.B. THE AIR LOCK WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE, AND AT 1810 HOURS ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.1.3.A WAS ENTERED. THE CAUSE OF THE CONTAINMENT AIR LOCK LEAKAGE WAS A LOOSE CHAIN ON THE INNER DOOR HANDWHEEL MECHANISM. THE HANDWHEEL CHAIN WAS PROPERLY ADJUSTED AND SURVEILLANCE PROCEDURE SP(O) 4.6.1.3 SATISFACTORILY PERFORMED. AT 2115 HOURS, MARCH 20, 1982 THE AIR LOCK WAS DECLARED OPERABLE, AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.6.1.3.A WAS TERMINATED. (81-12, 81-112, 81-122.)

[253] SALEM 2 DOCKET 50-311 LER 82-024  
2 BAST'S AND 1 BIT INOPERABLE DUE TO LOW BORON CONCENTRATION.  
EVENT DATE: 032882 REPORT DATE: 042182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
SYSTEM: CHEM, VOL CONT & LIQ POISN SYS COMPONENT: ACCUMULATORS  
CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 173003) SAMPLE RESULTS FROM NOS. 21 AND 22 BORIC ACID STORAGE TANKS (BAST'S) AND THE BORON INJECTION TANK (BIT) INDICATED THE BORIC ACID CONCENTRATIONS WERE BELOW THE SPECIFICATION LIMIT OF 20,000 PPM BORON. NOS. 21 AND 22 BAST'S WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.1.2.6.A WAS ENTERED. THE BIT WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.5.4.1 WAS ENTERED. NO APPARENT REASON FOR THE DECREASE IN BORIC ACID CONCENTRATION COULD BE DETERMINED. BORIC ACID WAS ADDED AND RECIRCULATED. SAMPLE RESULTS SHOWED THE BIT BORIC ACID CONCENTRATION WAS WITHIN SPECIFICATION, AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.5.4.1 WAS TERMINATED. SAMPLE RESULTS INDICATED THAT THE BAST BORIC ACID CONCENTRATIONS WERE WITHIN SPECIFICATION LIMITS AND ACTION STATEMENT 3.1.2.6.1 WAS TERMINATED.

[254] SAN ONOPRE 1 DOCKET 50-206 LER 82-005  
 CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022282 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 172847) DURING NORMAL POWER OPERATION CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE SV-702C FAILED TO CLOSE ON DEMAND. TECH SPEC SECTION 3.6.2.A REQUIRES THE SUBJECT VALVE TO BE OPERABLE. IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPECS 3.6.2.B(3) THE AFFECTED CONTAINMENT PENETRATION WAS VERIFIED ISOLATED BY CHECKING A CLOSED DOWNSTREAM BLOCK VALVE. INVESTIGATION FAILED TO DETERMINE WHY THE VALVE FAILED. THE VALVE FUNCTIONED PROPERLY ON ALL TESTS CONDUCTED AFTER THE INITIAL FAILURE. THE MANUFACTURER STATED THAT THE MOST LIKELY CAUSE OF FAILURE IS CONTAMINANTS IN THE VALVE SEAL MATERIALS (O-RINGS, SEATS, ETC.). A NEW SOLENOID VALVE WILL BE PROCURED OR THE SEALS WILL BE REPLACED.

[255] SAN ONOPRE 1 DOCKET 50-206 LER 82-008  
 SAFEGUARD LOAD SEQUENCER FAILS DURING SAFETY INJECTION TEST.  
 EVENT DATE: 022782 REPORT DATE: 032982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: SYS REQD FOR SAFE SHUTDOWN COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: PRINTED CIRCUIT FAILURE.

(NSIC 172846) DURING THE EXECUTION OF NORMAL PLANT SHUTDOWN PROCEDURES, A SPECIAL ENGINEERING SAFETY INJECTION TEST WAS PERFORMED. THE SAFEGUARD LOAD SEQUENCER ON UNIT 1 FAILED TO ACTIVATE THE X SUB-CHANNEL SYSTEM RELAYS AND WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AFTER ATTEMPTS TO PLACE IT IN SERVICE FAILED. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.9.2.B. THE FAILED TRAIN IS ONE OF TWO REDUNDANT TRAINS. THE EVENT WAS CAUSED BY A FAILURE OF A POWER TRANSISTOR IN SERIES WITH AN OUTPUT RELAY. THIS PRINTED CIRCUIT CARD WAS REPLACED WITH A SPARE, THE SYSTEM TESTED, AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. THE TRANSISTOR IS A TEXAS INSTRUMENT, MODEL 2N5872.

[256] SAN ONOPRE 1 DOCKET 50-206 LER 82-009  
 ATTACHMENT WELDS FOR FOUR FEEDWATER SYSTEM PIPE SUPPORTS FAIL.  
 EVENT DATE: 040582 REPORT DATE: 041682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 173061) DURING SCHEDULED ISI INSPECTION, VISUAL EXAMINATION REVEALED FAILED ATTACHMENT WELDS ON TWO FEEDWATER SYSTEM PIPE SUPPORTS. AN EXPANDED INSPECTION OF THE SYSTEM DISCOVERED A TOTAL OF FOUR SUPPORT WELD FAILURES. INITIAL SEISMIC ANALYSIS INDICATES SYSTEM STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY WOULD BE MAINTAINED UNDER ORIGINAL STATION DESIGN CRITERIA. A SPECIFIC CAUSE OF FAILURE HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED. A METALLURGICAL AND DESIGN ANALYSIS OF THESE SUPPORTS IS IN PROGRESS TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE OF FAILURE. ALL FAILED SUPPORTS ARE BEING REPLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASME BOILER AND PRESSURE VESSEL CODE SECTION XI.

[257] SAN ONOPRE 2 DOCKET 50-361 LER 82-006  
 BORON CONCENTRATION STRATIFICATION OCCURS IN RWST.  
 EVENT DATE: 031682 REPORT DATE: 041682 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: DESIGN DEFICIENCY.

(NSIC 173086) REFUELING WATER STORAGE TANK, T006, WAS FOUND TO HAVE A STRATIFIED BORON CONCENTRATION WHICH RESULTED IN ACTUAL AVERAGE TANK CONCENTRATION BEING LOWER THAN TANK SAMPLES INDICATED. THE RWST WAS NOT PROVIDED WITH A MEANS TO CIRCULATE ITS CONTENTS FROM TOP TO BOTTOM ALLOWING BORON STRATIFICATION TO



DEVELOP AS IT WAS FILLED. A TEMPORARY LINE WAS INSTALLED TO ALLOW RECIRCULATION. A PERMANENT LINE INSTALLATION IS PLANNED.

[258] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 81-159  
 AFWS PRESSURE CONTROL VALVE FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 122181 REPORT DATE: 011982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDNSATE & FEEDWTR SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: HYDRAULIC PUMP ON VALVE OPERATOR FAILED.

(NSIC 172788) AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PRESSURE CONTROL VALVE 1-PCV-3-132 FAILED TO RESPOND DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF SI-166.1. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT THE HYDRAULIC PUMP OF THE VALVE OPERATOR WAS NOT DELIVERING ANY DISCHARGE PRESSURE TO THE HYDRAULIC CYLINDER. THE HYDRAULIC PUMP WAS REPLACED, THE VALVE WAS RETESTED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[259] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 81-157  
 PRESSURIZER LEVEL TRANSMITTERS FAIL.  
 EVENT DATE: 122281 REPORT DATE: 012082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: GASES IN SENSOR BELLOWS.

(NSIC 172790) ON 12/22/81, THE PRESSURIZER LEVEL TRANSMITTER 1-LT-68-335 WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO FAILURE TO MEET THE CHANNEL CHECK REQUIREMENTS. A SIMILAR EVENT OCCURRED ON 12/28/81 FOR PRESSURIZER TRANSMITTER 1-LT-68-320, AND THE TRANSMITTER WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE. THE UNIT ENTERED ACTION STATEMENT 7 OF LCO 3.3.1.1 UPON EACH EVENT DISCOVERY. IN BOTH EVENTS THE TRANSMITTERS WERE FOUND TO BE READING HIGHER THAN THEIR REDUNDANT CHANNELS, CAUSED BY THE ACCUMULATION OF NON-CONDENSIBLE GASES IN THE CONDENSATE RESERVOIRS AND SENSOR BELLOWS. THESE GASES WERE VENTED. THIS ACTION RETURNED THE LOOP LEVEL INDICATION TO WITHIN TOLERANCE.

[260] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 82-025  
 SET POINT DRIFT OF PRESSURIZER LEVEL CHANNEL.  
 EVENT DATE: 021282 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172859) PRESSURIZER LEVEL CHANNEL 1-LT-68-335 WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO FAILURE TO MEET THE SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS. THE UNIT OPERATED IN MODE 1 PRIOR TO THE PERFORMANCE OF SI-94 ON 02/03/82 WHEN THE UNIT WAS IN MODE 5. THIS EVENT PLACED THE UNIT IN ACTION STATEMENT 7 OF LIMITING CONDITION FOR OPERATION 3.3.1.1. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCE: ONE (SQRO-50-327/81127). DURING THE REVIEW OF SI-94, IT WAS FOUND THAT THE LIMITING SAFETY SYSTEM SETPOINT FOR THE PRESSURIZER LEVEL CHANNEL WAS LESS CONSERVATIVE THAN THE TECH SPECS ALLOWED VALUE. THIS WAS CAUSED BY THE TRANSMITTER BEING OUT OF CALIBRATION DUE TO INSTRUMENT DRIFT. THE BARTON MODEL 764 TRANSMITTER WAS RECALIBRATED. A RECALIBRATION WILL BE MADE IN SIX WEEKS TO EVALUATE THE NEED FOR TRANSMITTER REPLACEMENT.

[261] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 82-024  
 EFFLUENT RADIATION MONITORS FOUND INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 021882 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: LIQ RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: CRUD ACCUMULATION IN FLOW SWITCHES.

(NSIC 172818) THE TURBINE BUILDING SUMP AND CONDENSATE DEMINERALIZER RADIOACTIVE EFFLUENT LINE MONITORS WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO FAILURE TO MEET SURVEILLANCE REQUIREMENTS. THIS EVENT PLACED THE UNIT IN ACTION STATEMENTS 30 AND

32 OF LCO 3.3.3.9. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCES: SQRO-50-327/80053, 80004, 80021, 80167, 80148, 80043, 80030, 80050, AND 80024. DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF SI-476, THE GEMS, INC. FLOW SWITCHES FOR MONITORS 2-RM-90-212 AND 225 WERE FOUND TO BE INOPERABLE DUE TO A BUILDUP OF CRUD AND DEBRIS IN THE SWITCH. THE FLOW SWITCHES WERE CLEANED AND THE MONITORS RETURNED TO SERVICE ON 02/18/82. A STUDY IS BEING MADE TO EVALUATE DIFFERENT DESIGNED FLOW SWITCHES TO PREVENT RECURRENCE OF INOPERABILITY FROM CRUD BUILDUP.

[262] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 82-034  
 CONTAINMENT SPRAY HEAT EXCHANGER OUTLET VALVE FOUND CLOSED.  
 EVENT DATE: 030382 REPORT DATE: 040182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 173110) WHILE VERIFYING ERCW THROTTLE VALVE POSITIONS, ERCW VALVE 1-HCV-67-537B, CONTAINMENT SPRAY HEAT EXCHANGER 1B OUTLET FLOW BALANCING VALVE, WAS DISCOVERED CLOSED AND TAGGED WITH A HOLD ORDER TAG. INVESTIGATION REVEALED THE HOLD ORDER TAG WAS PREVIOUSLY SIGNED OFF AS COMPLETE. THIS EVENT REQUIRED ENTRY INTO LCO 3.6.2.1 AND 3.0.4. THE VALVE WAS CLOSED AND TAGGED ON 1/22/82 FOR CONTAINMENT SPRAY HEAT EXCHANGER 1B EDDY CURRENT TESTING. EDDY CURRENT TESTING WAS COMPLETE ON 1/29/82. THE ASSISTANT SHIFT ENGINEER (ASE) HAD DIRECTED THE SYSTEM TO BE REALIGNED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TEST PROCEDURE. THE ASE LATER SIGNED OFF THE HOLD ORDER WITHOUT PROPERLY VERIFYING THE SYSTEM REALIGNMENT HAD BEEN PERFORMED. THE VALVE WAS OPENED AND TAG REMOVED.

[263] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 82-033  
 2 CONTAINMENT PROCESS RADIATION MONITORS INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030482 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCS & EFF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: VALVES CLOSED DUE TO MAINTENANCE ERROR.

(NSIC 173109) CONTAINMENT PROCESS RADIATION MONITORS 1-RM-90-106 AND 112 WERE DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO THE CLOSING OF THE CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVES. THIS EVENT PLACED THE UNIT IN ACTION STATEMENT 27 OF LCO 3.3.3.1. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCE - ONE (SQRO-50-237/81118). INVESTIGATION REVEALED THAT MONITOR 1-RM-90-106 WAS REMOVED FROM SERVICE BY WORKPLAN 9504 TO REPLACE THE SOLENOID VALVES ON THE CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVES. WITH MONITOR 1-RM-90-112 LINED UP TO LOWER CONTAINMENT, A LOSS OF FLOW PATH TO THE MONITOR OCCURRED DUE TO THE CLOSING OF VALVE 1-PCV-90-107.

[264] SEQUOYAH 1 DOCKET 50-327 LER 82-027  
 CONTAINMENT SPRAY HEAT EXCHANGER INOPERABLE DUE TO LOW ERCW FLOW.  
 EVENT DATE: 030782 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: HEAT EXCHANGERS  
 CAUSE: FRESH WATER CLAMS ON INLET SCREEN.

(NSIC 172863) AT 0200 (C), WHILE PREPARING TO PERFORM SI-566, ERCW FLOW VERIFICATION TEST, CONTAINMENT SPRAY HEAT EXCHANGER 1A WAS DISCOVERED AS HAVING LOW ERCW FLOW. INSPECTION OF THE HEAT EXCHANGER REVEALED A LARGE QUANTITY (APPROXIMATELY 15 GALLONS) OF FRESH WATER CLAMS IN THE ERCW PIPING WHICH HAD BEEN WASHED AGAINST THE HEAT EXCHANGER INLET SCREEN. THE CLAMS WERE REMOVED AND THE HEAT EXCHANGER RETURNED TO SERVICE AT 0225 (C) ON 03/08/82. CONTAINMENT SPRAY HEAT EXCHANGERS 1B, 2A, AND 2B ALL WERE FOUND TO HAVE THEIR NORMAL FLOWS. ADDITIONAL INSPECTIONS FOUND 1B HEAT EXCHANGER SATISFACTORY AND 2B HEAT EXCHANGER TO HAVE APPROXIMATELY 1-1/2 QUARTS OF CLAMS. THE 2A HEAT EXCHANGER WILL BE INSPECTED WHEN CONDITIONS PERMIT.

[265] SEQUOYAH 2 DOCKET 50-328 LER 81-007S  
 SAFETY INJECTION ACTUATION OCCURS.  
 EVENT DATE: 110481 REPORT DATE: 012582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: EMERG CORE COOLING SYS & CONT COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: DEFECTIVE WIRE IN LOGIC BOARD.

(NSIC 172795) WHILE PERFORMING SURVEILLANCE INSTRUCTION (SI) 90.12, A SAFETY INJECTION ACTUATION OCCURRED. PRESSURIZER PRESSURE SWITCH 1-PS-68-340D/B (PROTECTION SET I) WAS PLACED IN THE TRIPPED CONDITION TO PERFORM THE SI ON THE LOW PRESSURIZER PRESSURE BISTABLE. SUBSEQUENT TESTING SHOWED THAT WHEN 1-PS-68-340D/B WAS PLACED IN THE TRIPPED CONDITION, INDICATION WAS RECEIVED THAT PROTECTION SET III PRESSURIZER LOW PRESSURE BISTABLE (1-PS-68-323D/E) WAS ALSO TRIPPED. THIS GAVE A TWO OUT OF FOUR LOGIC OF LOW PRESSURIZER PRESSURE WHICH ACTUATED THE SAFETY INJECTION. TROUBLESHOOTING THE TRAIN B SSPS REVEALED A SHORTED CONNECTOR WIRE BETWEEN PRESSURIZER LOW PRESSURE LOGIC BOARD PINS. THIS IS THE SECOND SUCH EVENT FOR UNIT 2. THE DEFECTIVE WIRE TO THE LOGIC BOARD PINS WAS CLIPPED AND RECONNECTED AND THE SSPS RETURNED TO NORMAL.

[266] SEQUOYAH 2 DOCKET 50-328 LER 82-026  
 CONTAINMENT SUMP LEVEL TRANSMITTER FAILS HIGH.  
 EVENT DATE: 022182 REPORT DATE: 032382 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGNRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: LEAKY SENSOR BELLOWS.

(NSIC 172862) AT 0537, ONE CONTAINMENT SUMP LEVEL TRANSMITTER (2-LT-65-176) WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE DUE TO HIGH READINGS. THIS EVENT PLACED THE UNIT IN ACTION STATEMENT 18 OF LCO 3.3.2.1. PREVIOUS OCCURRENCES: SIX (SQRO-50-327/80091, 81009, 81040, 81116, 81135, 81151). UPON INVESTIGATION, IT WAS FOUND THAT THE BARTON MODEL 351 SENSOR BELLOWS WAS LEAKING. THIS RESULTED IN THE LOSS OF THE SAME LINE WATER LEG WHICH CAUSED THE TRANSMITTER TO READ HIGH. THE SENSOR BELLOWS WAS REPLACED AND THE TRANSMITTER RECALIBRATED. THE LOOP WAS RETURNED TO SERVICE AT 0700 CST ON 02/28/82. A DESIGN CHANGE REQUEST HAS BEEN PREPARED TO REQUEST A STUDY TO EVALUATE DIFFERENT SYSTEMS FOR BETTER RELIABILITY.

[267] ST. LUCIE 1 DOCKET 50-335 LER 82-007  
 SHIELD BUILDING VENTILATION SYSTEM HEATER FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021882 REPORT DATE: 032482 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR CONTAINMENT SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: DEFECTIVE THERMOCOUPLE AMPLIFIER.

(NSIC 172833) THE SHIELD BLDG. VENTILATION SYSTEM HEATER 6B2 WAS FOUND TO BE INOPERABLE. THE 1.5 KW 6B2 HEATER PROVIDES HUMIDITY CONTROL IN THE 'A' SBVS WHILE THE 'B' SBVS IS OPERATING. THE 30 KW 6A1 HEATER WAS AVAILABLE FOR HUMIDITY CONTROL WITH 'A' TRAIN RUNNING. THIS IS SECOND EVENT OF TYPE. SEE LER 80-014. A DEFECTIVE THERMOCOUPLE AMPLIFIER (FENWAL MODEL NO. 543) IN THE 6B2 HEATER CONTROL CIRCUITRY CAUSED THE HEATER TO REMAIN DEENERGIZED. THE AMPLIFIER WAS REPAIRED AND THE HEATER WAS RETESTED.

[268] ST. LUCIE 1 DOCKET 50-335 LER 82-008  
 BLOCK VALVE FOR POWER OPERATED RELIEF VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022682 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: CE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER COOLANT SUBSYS & CONTROL COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: UNDETERMINED.

(NSIC 172879) WHILE PERFORMING SURVEILLANCE TESTING AT 98% POWER, IT WAS FOUND THAT MV1403 (BLOCK VALVE FOR POWER OPERATED RELIEF VALVE) WOULD NOT SHUT. ACTION WAS TAKEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC 3.4.12 AND MV1403 WAS CLOSED MANUALLY WITHIN 57 MINUTES. THIS IS THE SECOND LER OF THIS TYPE (SEE LER 81-018). DUE TO

INACCESSIBILITY OF THE VALVE THE PROBLEM WILL BE INVESTIGATED DURING THE NEXT SHUTDOWN. IF A SIGNIFICANT CAUSE FOR THE FAILURE IS DETERMINED, AN UPDATED LER WILL BE GENERATED. THIS VALVE IS A VELAN-2 1/2" MOTOR-OPERATED VALVE (MODEL P35036-2).

[269] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-004  
 FOUR FIRE HYDRANTS FAIL TO OPEN.  
 EVENT DATE: 011282 REPORT DATE: 020882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: FIRE PROTECTION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: WATER FROZEN IN HYDRANT BODY.

(NSIC 173030) WHILE PERFORMING PT-24.7, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT FIRE HYDRANTS 1-FP-89, 1-FP-63, 1-FP-73, AND 1-FP-98 WOULD NOT OPEN. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.21.B.1.C AND REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). UNUSUALLY LOW SEASONAL TEMPERATURES CAUSED STAGNANT WATER IN THE BODY OF THE HYDRANT TO FREEZE, THUS PREVENTING VALVE OPERATION. THE FREQUENCY OF HYDRANT INSPECTION FOR THESE VALVES WILL BE INCREASED DURING THE COLDER WEATHER. INSPECTION WILL BE IMPLEMENTED DURING THE SPRING MONTHS.

[270] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-005  
 SET POINT DRIFT IN RADIATION MONITOR.  
 EVENT DATE: 011982 REPORT DATE: 020882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: LIQ RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 173031) DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF PT-26.1, IT WAS FOUND THAT THE ALARM SETPOINT FOR RADIATION MONITOR, RM-LW-108, HAD EXCEEDED THE ALLOWABLE LIMITS STATED IN TECH SPEC 3.7, TABLE 3.7-5. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(4). THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT WAS INSTRUMENT DRIFT. THE INSTRUMENT TECHNICIANS WERE PRESENT AT THE TIME THE PT WAS PERFORMED AND WERE IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE TO RECALIBRATE THE MONITOR.

[271] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-006  
 SET POINT DRIFT IN RADIATION MONITOR.  
 EVENT DATE: 011982 REPORT DATE: 020882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: GAS RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 173032) DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF PT 26.1, IT WAS FOUND THAT THE ALARM SETPOINT FOR RAD. MONITOR, RM-GW-102, HAD EXCEEDED THE ALLOWABLE LIMIT STATED IN TECH SPEC 3.7, TABLE 3.7-5. THIS EVENT IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(4). THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT WAS INSTRUMENT DRIFT. THE INSTRUMENT TECHNICIANS WERE PRESENT AT THE TIME THE PT WAS PERFORMED AND WERE IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE TO RECALIBRATE THE MONITOR.

[272] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-011  
 3 UNSAMPLED RELEASES FROM SUBSURFACE DRAINS.  
 EVENT DATE: 012682 REPORT DATE: 022582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: LIQ RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: PIPES, FITTINGS  
 CAUSE: NONLICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 173036) OPERATIONS NOTIFIED HEALTH PHYSICS OF THREE INCIDENTS OF UNSAMPLED RELEASES FROM UNIT NO. 1 AND UNIT NO. 2 SUBSURFACE DRAINS. THIS IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.11.A.4 AND IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B(2). TOTAL RELEASE WAS ESTIMATED TO BE 0.205 PERCENT OF THE LIMIT. THE CAUSE IS DETERMINED TO BE OPERATOR ERROR. HEALTH PHYSICS WAS NOT NOTIFIED PRIOR TO COMMENCING THE RELEASE.





[277] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-019  
 BIT RECIRCULATION LINE HEAT TRACING FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 020282 REPORT DATE: 030182 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER ENGRD SAFETY FEATR SYS COMPONENT: HEATERS, ELECTRIC  
 CAUSE: EXCESSIVE HEAT.

(NSIC 173001) PT-27 REVEALED THAT THE AMP READINGS FOR HEAT TRACING CIRCUITS 24C AND 25A, PANEL 2 AND CIRCUIT 24D, PANELS 1 & 2 (BIT RECIRC. LINE) WERE BELOW THE ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA STIPULATED IN THE PT. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.2.C.5, AND IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B(2). THE LOSS OF HEAT TRACING WAS DUE TO EXCESSIVE HEAT. THE DEFECTIVE HEAT TRACING WAS REPLACED AND TESTED. A DESIGN CHANGE HAS BEEN INITIATED TO CHANGE THE MANNER BY WHICH THESE BORATED LINES ARE HEAT TRACED.

[278] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-020  
 BIT RECIRCULATION FLOW LOST.  
 EVENT DATE: 020582 REPORT DATE: 030582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER ENGRD SAFETY FEATR SYS COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: VALVE FAILED TO OPEN.

(NSIC 173093) A LOSS OF BORIC ACID FLOW TO THE BLENDER WAS OBSERVED. FURTHER INVESTIGATION REVEALED A LOSS OF BIT RECIRC. FLOW ALSO. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.2.C.4 AND TECH SPEC 3.3.A.3 AND IS REPORTABLE AS PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). A CHANGE OF BORIC ACID TRANSFER PUMP LINE UP WAS COMMENCED, BUT NOT COMPLETED DUE TO AN OPERATING MECHANISM FAILURE ON VALVE 1-CH-88 (A/B PUMP SUCTION CROSS-CONNECT). THE VALVE INDICATED OPEN, BUT WAS WITHIN 2 TURNS OF THE CLOSED POSITION, THUS BORIC ACID PUMP 1-CH-P-2B WAS LEFT RUNNING WITH INADEQUATE SUCTION. UPON DISCOVERY OF THE LACK OF FLOW, BORIC ACID FLOW WAS RE-ESTABLISHED AND VALVE 1-CH-88 WAS REPAIRED.

[279] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-027  
 COMPONENT COOLING WATER TRIP VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 020882 REPORT DATE: 031082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: COOL SYS FOR REAC AUX & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 173047) A SPURIOUS SI SIGNAL WAS GENERATED. TRIP VALVE, TV-CC-109B, FAILED TO CLOSE AS DESIGNED. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.8.A.1 AND IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). THE COMPONENT COOLING (CC) SYSTEM IS A CLOSED SYSTEM AND ITS INTEGRITY WAS MAINTAINED DURING THE EVENT; THEREFORE, AN ISOLATION BARRIER EXISTED BETWEEN THE CONTAINMENT AND THE ENVIRONMENT. NO SPECIFIC MECHANICAL OR ELECTRICAL MALFUNCTIONS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED. EFFORTS ARE CONTINUING TO FURTHER INVESTIGATE THIS EVENT BUT NO DEFINITIVE ANSWERS ARE AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME.

[280] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-022  
 PROCESS VENT FLOW TRANSMITTER DAMAGED BY PRESSURE TRANSIENT.  
 EVENT DATE: 020982 REPORT DATE: 031082 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCS & EFF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PRESSURE RELIEF VALVE OPENED.

(NSIC 173042) RELIEF VALVE, RV-GW-103 OPENED CAUSING A PRESSURE TRANSIENT IN THE PROCESS VENT SYSTEM AND DAMAGING THE PROCESS VENT FLOW TRANSMITTER. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.11.B.4 AND IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). A MOMENTARY PRESSURE SPIKE OVERRANGED THE FLOW TRANSMITTER AND RESULTED IN SUBSEQUENT ERRATIC INDICATION. AP 5.1 WAS INITIATED IMMEDIATELY AND THE FAILED FLOW TRANSMITTER, FT-GW-100, WAS REPLACED.

[281] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-000S  
 CONDENSER COOLING WATER OUTLET TEMPERATURE RISE EXCEEDS ALLOWABLE RATE.  
 EVENT DATE: 021282 REPORT DATE: 032682 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CIRCULATING WATER SYS & CON COMPONENT: COMPONENT CODE NOT APPLICABLE  
 CAUSE: VACUUM PRIMING SYSTEM FAILURE.

(NSIC 172794) DURING THE PERIOD OF 1345 TO 1420 HRS., THE AVERAGE RATE OF CHANGE OF THE CONDENSER COOLING WATER OUTLET TEMPERATURE WAS 12 F/HR WHICH EXCEEDS THE 3 F/HR RATE OF CHANGE PERMITTED. THE FAILURE OF THE VACUUM PRIMING SYSTEM AT THE RIVER INTAKE SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCED THE CIRCULATING WATER FLOW INTO THE INTAKE CANAL. THROTTLING OF THE FLOW THROUGH THE CONDENSER WATER BOXES TO PRESERVE CANAL WATER LEVEL RESULTED IN THE TEMPERATURE LIMITS BEING EXCEEDED. THE VACUUM PRIMING SYSTEM HAS BEEN REPAIRED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. A SEARCH WAS CONDUCTED TO DETERMINE IF THE CANAL TEMPERATURE EXCURSION HAD ADVERSELY AFFECTED THE RIVER ENVIRONMENT. NO DETRIMENTAL EVIDENCE WAS FOUND.

[282] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-023  
 3 SNUBBERS INOPERABLE DUE TO LOW OIL LEVEL.  
 EVENT DATE: 021282 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: MAIN STEAM SUPPLY SYS & CONT COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
 CAUSE: SEAL LEAKAGE.

(NSIC 173046) PT-39B.2 AND PT-39B.1 REVEALED THAT SNUBBERS 1-RC-HSS-131, 1-WFPD-HSS-15, AND 1-SHP-HSS-35B WERE INOPERABLE DUE TO LOW OIL RESERVOIR LEVEL. THIS IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.20.A AND IS REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). THE LOW RESERVOIR LEVEL WAS DUE TO SEAL LEAKAGE. THE INOPERABLE SNUBBERS WERE REPAIRED OR REPLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPROPRIATE MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES.

[283] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-026  
 UNSAMPLED CONTAMINATED WATER RELEASED.  
 EVENT DATE: 021882 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: LIQ RADIOACT WSTE MANAGMNT SYS COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: LICENSED OPERATOR ERROR.

(NSIC 173035) WITH A RELEASE OF THE LIQUID WASTE TEST TANK IN PROGRESS, APPROXIMATELY 135 GALLONS OF UNSAMPLED CONTAMINATED WATER WAS DISCHARGED FROM THE CONTAMINATED DRAINS TANK. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.11.A.4 AND REPORTABLE PURSUANT TO TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). UPON TERMINATION OF THE UNPLANNED RELEASE, THE CDT WAS SAMPLED. BASED ON THIS ANALYSIS, THE COMBINED RELEASE OF THE CDT AND THE LWTT WAS LESS THAN 4% OF THE TECH SPEC LIMIT. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT IS FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE APPROVED PROCEDURE. THE CORRECTIVE ACTION WAS TO CLOSE FCV-LW-160 AND TERMINATE THE RELEASE.

[284] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-02F  
 CCW RADIATION ALARM SET POINTS BELOW LIMIT.  
 EVENT DATE: 021982 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCSS & EPF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURES DID NOT ACCOUNT FOR REDUCED BACKGROUND.

(NSIC 173039) DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF PT-26.1, RADIATION MONITORING EQUIPMENT TEST, WITH THE UNIT AT COLD SHUTDOWN, THE RADIATION ALARM SETPOINTS FOR THE COMPONENT COOLING SYSTEM WAS FOUND TO BE GREATER THAN TWICE BACKGROUND AS LISTED IN TECH SPEC 3.7, TABLE 3.7-5. THIS IS REPORTABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B(2). THE IMPROPER SETPOINTS WERE ATTRIBUTED TO REDUCED BACKGROUND DUE TO THE PLANT BEING SHUTDOWN. THE ACTIVITY LEVELS IN THE COMPONENT COOLING SYSTEM WERE VERIFIED TO BE WITHIN ALLOWABLE LIMITS AND THE SETPOINTS FOR MONITORS, RM-CC-105 AND RM-CC-106, WERE RESET.

[285] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-029  
 THREE STEAM LINE FLOW CHANNELS INOPERABLE.  
 EVENT DATE: 022282 REPORT DATE: 030882 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: ENGRD SAFETY FEATR INSTR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: POWER FUSES MISSING.

(NSIC 173006) INSTRUMENT TECHNICIANS REPORTED THAT STEAM-LINE FLOW INSTRUMENTS FOR A MS LINE, CHANNEL 3 AND CHANNEL 4, AND B MS LINE, CHANNEL 3 WERE INOPERABLE. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.7.B, TABLE 3.7-2 AND IS REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.A.(6), INOPERABILITY OF THE MS LINE FLOW INSTRUMENTS WAS DUE TO LACK OF POWER SUPPLY FUSES TO THE TRANSMITTERS. THE FUSES WERE REPLACED FOLLOWING THE DISCOVERY THAT THEY WERE NOT INSTALLED.

[286] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-030  
 SET POINT DRIFT IN CCW RADIATION MONITOR.  
 EVENT DATE: 022282 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: PRCS & EFF RADIOL MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 173040) THE ALARM SETPOINT FOR THE COMPONENT COOLING WATER RADIATION MONITOR (RM-CC-105) WAS FOUND TO BE GREATER THAN TWICE BACKGROUND. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.7 TABLE 3.7-5 AND IS REPORTABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B(2). THE IMPROPER SETPOINT WAS ATTRIBUTED TO INSTRUMENT DRIFT. RM-CC-105 WAS RESET TO THE PROPER SETPOINT AND RETURNED TO SERVICE.

[287] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-031  
 RHR CONTAINMENT ISOLATION VALVE OPENS SPURIOUSLY.  
 EVENT DATE: 022282 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 173041) R.H.R. SAMPLE SYSTEM CONTAINMENT ISOLATION TRIP VALVE, TV-SS-103A, OPENED WITHOUT OPERATOR ACTION AND COULD NOT BE CLOSED FROM THE CONTROL ROOM. THIS IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.8.A.1. AND IS REPORTABLE AS PER TECH SPEC 6.6.2.B.(2). THE ACTUAL CAUSE MAY NOT BE IDENTIFIED UNTIL THE VALVE IS REPAIRED DURING THE NEXT MAINTENANCE OUTAGE OF SUFFICIENT DURATION. THE IMMEDIATE CORRECTIVE ACTIONS WERE TO VERIFY THAT THE REDUNDANT TRIP VALVE (TV-SS-103B) WAS CLOSED AND TO CLOSE THE MANUAL ISOLATION VALVE (1-SS-100). SUBSEQUENTLY, THE VALVE WAS CLOSED FROM THE CONTROL ROOM.

[288] SURRY 1 DOCKET 50-280 LER 82-021  
 BORIC ACID FLOW TO BLENDER LOST.  
 EVENT DATE: 022482 REPORT DATE: 031982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER ENGRD SAFETY FEATR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: DAMAGED INSULATION ON FLOW TRANSMITTER.

(NSIC 173034) A LOSS OF BORIC ACID FLOW TO THE BLENDER WAS OBSERVED WHILE TRYING TO BLEND TO THE VCT. THIS EVENT IS CONTRARY TO TECH SPEC 3.2.C.4 AND IS REPORTABLE AS PER TECH SPEC - 6.6.2.B.(2). INVESTIGATION HAS DETERMINED THIS EVENT TO HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY DAMAGED INSULATION ON FLOW TRANSMITTER 1113. THE BLOCKAGE WAS REMOVED AND NEW INSULATION WAS INSTALLED. TO REDUCE THE PROBABILITY OF BLOCKAGE RECURRENCE, THE HEATING STRIP WAS AUGMENTED WITH ADDITIONAL HEAT TRACING TAPE.







TESTS. ENTRY OF THE SURVEILLANCE INTO THE COMPUTER DATA BASE WAS VERIFIED. TECH SPEC WILL BE REVIEWED TO ENSURE ALL SURVEILLANCES ARE IN DATA BASE.

[297] THREE MILE ISLAND 1 DOCKET 50-289 LER 82-003  
 DEMINERALIZER NEUTRALIZING TANK OVERFLOWS RELEASING ACIDIC EFFLUENT.  
 EVENT DATE: 031882 REPORT DATE: 033182 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CONDENSATE CLEANUP SYS & CONT COMPONENT: DEMINERALIZERS  
 CAUSE: PERSONNEL ERROR.

(NSIC 172817) IN THE LONG TERM SHUTDOWN, WHILE REGENERATING 'B' STRING CATION ANION DEEP BED DEMINERALIZERS THE RINSE CYCLES HAD FILLED THE SECONDARY NEUTRALIZING TANK. A DELAY IN RESTORING DEMINERALIZER TO SERVICE CAUSED CONDUCTIVITY SENSORS TO INITIATE ANOTHER RINSE CYCLE OVERFLOWING 2500 GALLONS OF PH 3 TO 5 FROM THE NEUTRALIZING TANK TO THE STATION RELEASE POINT. DUE TO DILUTION WITH OTHER STATION EFFLUENT, THIS IS NOT A PUBLIC HEALTH OR SAFETY HAZARD. REPORTABLE PER TECH SPEC APPENDIX B 5.6.2. OPERATOR FAILED TO RECOGNIZE THE EFFECT OF PLACING DEMINERALIZER SYSTEM IN OPERATION WITH HIGH SECONDARY NEUTRALIZING TANK LEVEL. REVISING PROCEDURES WILL HELP ENSURE THIS EVENT DOES NOT RECUR. THE OPERATORS HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO BE MORE ATTENTIVE.

[298] THREE MILE ISLAND 2 DOCKET 50-320 LER 81-038  
 WIND DATA INSTRUMENTS ON TOWER FAIL.  
 EVENT DATE: 122881 REPORT DATE: 020582 NSSS: BW TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: OTHER SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: ICE FORMATION ON INSTRUMENTS.

(NSIC 172829) AT 0255 HOURS, THE WIND DIRECTION AND WIND SPEED MONITORING INSTRUMENTS LOCATED ON THE METEOROLOGICAL TOWER BECAME INOPERABLE DUE TO ICE FORMATION ON THE INSTRUMENTS. THIS EVENT IS CONSIDERED REPORTABLE PER SECTION 6.9.1.8(B) AS A VIOLATION OF THE ACTION STATEMENT OF TECH SPEC 3.3.3.4 DUE TO THE INABILITY OF THE MONITORS TO PERFORM THEIR INTENDED FUNCTION. LER'S 81-035/03L-0 AND 81-036/01L-0 REPORTED SIMILAR OCCURRENCES. THE ICING OF THE WIND DIRECTION MONITORING INSTRUMENT IS BELIEVED TO BE DUE TO THE UNIQUE ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS EXISTING AT THE TIME. NO IMMEDIATE ACTION WAS TAKEN TO DEICE THE INSTRUMENTS. THE MONITORS WERE DECLARED OPERABLE AT 1120 HOURS ON DECEMBER 28, 1981 AFTER DEICING NATURALLY. THE INSTRUMENTS WERE HEAT TRACED AS A TEMPORARY MEASURE UNTIL THE RECEIPT AND INSTALLATION OF THE ORDERED INSTRUMENT JACKET HEATERS.

[299] TURKEY POINT 4 DOCKET 50-251 LER 82-003  
 COMPONENT COOLING WATER SYSTEM INADEQUATELY SUPPORTED.  
 EVENT DATE: 033182 REPORT DATE: 041482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: COOL SYS FOR REAC AUX & CONT COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
 CAUSE: DESIGN ERROR.

(NSIC 173175) NOTIFICATION WAS RECEIVED THAT THE INSPECTION/EVALUATION IN PROGRESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH USNRC I & E BULLETIN 79-14 HAD REVEALED A DEFICIENCY INVOLVING SUPPORTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE COMPONENT COOLING WATER SYSTEM. THIS CONDITION WOULD POTENTIALLY EXIST WHEN SAFE SHUTDOWN EARTHQUAKE LOADS ARE SUPERIMPOSED ON ALL OTHER DESIGN BASIS LOADS. EVALUATION REVEALED THAT THE CALCULATED MAXIMUM STRESS EXCEEDED THE ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA (ESTABLISHED FOR THIS REVIEW) ON THE ABOVE SUPPORTS. BASED ON THE LOW PROBABILITY OF A SEISMIC EVENT AND CONTINUED OPERABILITY OF THE SYSTEM, POWER OPERATION CONTINUED WHILE PLANT CHANGE/MODIFICATIONS WERE EXPEDITIOUSLY IMPLEMENTED TO SUPPORT THE PIPING.

[300] VERMONT YANKEE DOCKET 50-271 LER 82-004  
 CONTINUOUS AIR SAMPLE MONITOR FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 021682 REPORT DATE: 031682 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: SWITCH FAILURE.

(NSIC 172884) DURING THE WEEKLY ENVIRONMENTAL AIR SAMPLE COLLECTION PERFORMED ON 2/16/82, IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT A CONTINUOUS SAMPLE WAS NOT OBTAINABLE AT STATION AT1.4 AS REQUIRED BY TECH SPEC TABLE 3.9.1. THE ELAPSED TIME METER INDICATED THAT POWER TO THE UNIT FAILED 12.2 HOURS AFTER SAMPLE INITIATION. PLANT STACK RELEASES DURING THIS PERIOD WERE BELOW DETECTABLE LEVELS. THE SOLDER LUG OF A STANDARD 125V-8A POWER TOGGLE SWITCH WAS PARTED AT A 90 DEGREE BEND, WITH NO EVIDENCE OF ARCING. A NEW SAMPLE WAS STARTED IMMEDIATELY BY INSERTING THE VACUUM PUMP POWER LEAD IN AN UNSWITCHED RECEPTACLE. THE FAULTY SWITCH WAS LATER REPLACED WITH A NEW SWITCH.

[301] VERMONT YANKEE DOCKET 50-271 LER 82-005  
 UNINTERRUPTIBLE POWER SUPPLY TRAIN FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 022382 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: GE TYPE: BWR  
 SYSTEM: ONSITE POWER SYSTEM & CONTROL COMPONENT: OTHER COMPONENTS  
 CAUSE: CAPACITOR SHORT.

(NSIC 172882) CONTROL ROOM PERSONNEL REPORTED UPS B TRIPPED AND LOST POWER TO MCC 89B. THE MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT WAS IMMEDIATELY INFORMED AND TESTING OF THE ALTERNATE SYSTEM WAS COMMENCED IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC, SEC. 3.5.A.4. UPS B WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND ALTERNATE ACTION TAKEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH TECH SPEC, SECTION 3.10.B.4. MAINTENANCE TIE BREAKERS FOR MCC 89B WERE CLOSED. A SIMILAR EVENT WAS REPORTED AS LER 82-2/3L. A TRANSIENT SUPPRESSION CAPACITOR (GE 86F231L, 2900 MF) SHORTED OUT CAUSING UPS B TO TRIP. THE CAPACITOR MALFUNCTIONED DUE TO AGING. ALL 16 CAPACITORS IN THE TRANSIENT SUPPRESSION CIRCUIT WERE REPLACED. ALSO, ALL 16 CAPACITORS IN THE UPS A TRANSIENT SUPPRESSION CIRCUIT WERE REPLACED AS PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE. THE SYSTEM WAS OPERATIONALLY TESTED AND PLACED BACK IN SERVICE. THE CURRENT PM PROGRAM WILL BE REVIEWED AND MODIFIED AS APPROPRIATE IN VIEW OF THE RECENT UPS FAILURES.

[302] YANKEE ROWE DOCKET 50-029 LER 82-001  
 RPS LOW RCS FLOW RELAYS FAIL TO DROP.  
 EVENT DATE: 010782 REPORT DATE: 020582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: BURRS ON RELAY PLUNGER.

(NSIC 172954) WHILE PERFORMING A SURVEILLANCE OF THE LOW MAIN COOLANT FLOW SYSTEM, RELAYS 1 AND 2C IN SYSTEM B FAILED TO DROP OUT WHEN DEENERGIZED. THE RELAYS ARE REQUIRED TO BE OPERABLE PER TECH SPEC TABLE 3.3-1. SIMILAR OCCURRENCES WERE REPORTED AS LER 81-01, 81-29, 81-31, 81-32 AND 81-33. THE CAUSE IS BURRS ON THE RELAY PLUNGER CAUSING EXCESSIVE FRICTION BETWEEN THE PLUNGER AND BUSHINGS. THE RELAYS ARE WESTINGHOUSE TYPE SC-1, 1876-072, REBUILT PER LER 81-29 REV. 1. THE BURRS WERE REMOVED, UPPER BUSHINGS REPLACED, CLEARANCES CHECKED AND IRREGULARITIES CORRECTED. ALL OTHER REBUILT RELAYS WILL BE INSPECTED.

[303] YANKEE ROWE DOCKET 50-029 LER 82-003  
 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW CHANNEL FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 031682 REPORT DATE: 041582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: POWER SUPPLY FAILURE DUE TO HIGH TEMPERATURE.

(NSIC 173058) DURING NORMAL OPERATION IN MODE 1, THE NO. 2 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW CHANNEL FAILED. TECH SPEC 3.3.3.5 REQUIRES THE AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW

INSTRUMENTATION TO BE OPERABLE IN MODES 1-3. THIS IS THE FIRST EVENT OF THIS NATURE. THE REMAINING FLOW INSTRUMENTATION, NORMAL FLOW AND STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL INSTRUMENTATION REMAINED OPERATIONAL. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT IS DUE TO A FAILED POWER SUPPLY, MODEL NO. 241A12 MANUFACTURED BY POWER PAC INC., LOCATED IN THE CONTROLTRON SERIES 241 FLOW DISPLAY COMPUTER. THE POWER SUPPLY FAILED FROM HIGH ENVIRONMENTAL TEMPERATURES CAUSED BY EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION IN A NEMA 4 ENCLOSURE. THE INSTRUMENTATION WILL BE REPLACED WHEN EQUIPMENT IS AVAILABLE.

[304] YANKEE ROWE DOCKET 50-029 LER 82-002  
 MAIN COOLANT LOOP FLOW INDICATION ERRATIC.  
 EVENT DATE: 031682 REPORT DATE: 041582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: AMPLIFIER FAILURE.

(NSIC 173059) DURING NORMAL OPERATION, A CONTROL ROOM OPERATOR NOTED NO. 4 MAIN COOLANT LOOP FLOW INDICATION RESPONDING ERRATICALLY. AN INVESTIGATION REVEALED AN INCORRECTABLE FAULTY AMPLIFIER OUTPUT CONDITION. THE CHANNEL WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND PLACED IN A TRIPPED CONDITION PER TECH SPEC 3.3.1 WITHIN ONE HOUR. AN AMPLIFIER FAILURE ALSO OCCURRED IN THIS CHANNEL IN NOV. OF 1960. THE ROOT CAUSE OF THIS OCCURRENCE IS THE FAILURE OF THE AMPLIFIER UNIT. THE AMPLIFIER UNIT IS A NO. 927D658 GR. 1 MANUFACTURED BY WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORP. THE MAIN COOLANT FLOW CHANNEL WAS PLACED IN THE TRIPPED CONDITION RESULTING IN A 1 OF 3 VS 2 OF 4 COINCIDENCE TRIP LOGIC. THE AMPLIFIER WILL BE REPLACED IN KIND DURING THE NEXT OUTAGE.

[305] YANKEE ROWE DOCKET 50-029 LER 82-004  
 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW CHANNEL FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 032082 REPORT DATE: 041982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: SAFETY RELATED DISPLAY INSTR COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: POWER SUPPLY FAILURE DUE TO TEMPERATURE.

(NSIC 173022) DURING NORMAL OPERATION IN MODE 1 THE NO. 3 AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW CHANNEL FAILED. TECH SPEC 3.3.3.5 REQUIRES THE AUXILIARY FEEDWATER FLOW INSTRUMENTATION TO BE OPERABLE IN MODES 1-3. A SIMILAR OCCURRENCE WAS REPORTED AS LER 82-03. THE REMAINING FLOW INSTRUMENTATION, NORMAL FLOW AND STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL INSTRUMENTATION REMAINED OPERATIONAL. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT IS DUE TO A FAILED POWER SUPPLY, MODEL NO. 241A12 MANUFACTURED BY POWER PAC INC., LOCATED IN THE CONTROLTRON SERIES 241 FLOW DISPLAY COMPUTER. THE POWER SUPPLY FAILED FROM HIGH ENVIRONMENTAL TEMPERATURES CAUSED BY EQUIPMENT INSTALLED IN A NEMA 4 ENCLOSURE. THE INSTRUMENTATION WILL BE REPLACED WHEN EQUIPMENT IS AVAILABLE.

[306] YANKEE ROWE DOCKET 50-029 LER 82-005  
 PRIMARY VENT STACK GAS MONITOR FAILS ERRATICALLY.  
 EVENT DATE: 032582 REPORT DATE: 042382 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: AIRBORNE RADIOACT MONITOR SYS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 173051) DURING NORMAL OPERATION IN MODE 1 THE PRIMARY VENT STACK NOBLE GAS MONITOR INDICATION BECAME ERRATIC. THE RADIATION PROTECTION TECHNICIAN TURNED OFF THE CHANNEL HIGH VOLTAGE WHILE ATTEMPTING TO FIND THE PROBLEM. TECH SPEC TABLE 3.3-4 REQUIRES THE CHANNEL TO BE OPERATIONAL AT ALL TIMES. THERE WERE NO RELEASES WHILE THE CHANNEL WAS OUT OF SERVICE AND THE OTHER CHANNELS REMAINED OPERATIONAL. THE CAUSE OF THIS EVENT WAS INSTRUMENT MALFUNCTION. THE MONITOR IS A NUCLEAR MEASURING CORPORATION MODEL RI-RM-115, THE RATE METER IS A MODEL NO. CRM-71. WHEN I&C PERSONNEL REENERGIZED THE CHANNEL, READINGS WERE NORMAL. THE CAUSE OF THE ERRATIC BEHAVIOR IS UNKNOWN. NO FURTHER ACTION IS DEEMED NECESSARY.

[307] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-003 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON FAILURE OF RHR PUMP SUCTION VALVE TO OPEN.  
 EVENT DATE: 011982 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: RESIDUAL HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVE OPERATORS  
 CAUSE: UNKNOWN.

(NSIC 172869) DURING PERIODIC TESTING, RESIDUAL HEAT REMOVAL PUMP 1B SUCTION VALVE 1MOV-RH8700 B FAILED TO OPEN ELECTRICALLY AFTER BEING CLOSED, PLACING THE RHR SYSTEM IN A DEGRADED MODE PER TECH SPECS 3.8.3. THIS IS A NORMALLY OPEN VALVE AND WAS CLOSED ONLY FOR THIS TEST. THE 1A RHR PUMP SYSTEM WAS OPERABLE. PREVIOUS LER: 50-295/78-42. LOCALLY AT THE VALVE BREAKER, THE OPENING CONTACTOR WAS MANUALLY PRESSED AND THE VALVE OPENED OK. DURING SUBSEQUENT INSPECTION, THE BREAKER CONTACTORS WERE CHECKED AND CURRENT READINGS WERE TAKEN WHILE VALVE 1MOV-RH8700B WAS BEING STROKED. THE VALVE STROKED WITH NO APPARENT PROBLEM.

[308] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-004  
 STEAM GENERATOR BLOWDOWN PIPING SNUBBER FAILS.  
 EVENT DATE: 020382 REPORT DATE: 030482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: STEAM GEN BLOWDOWN SYS & CONT COMPONENT: SHOCK SUPPRESSORS AND SUPPORTS  
 CAUSE: SEAL LEAK.

(NSIC 173140) DURING VISUAL INSPECTION, SNUBBER BDRS-1761 ON THE STEAM GENERATOR BLOWDOWN PIPING WAS FOUND IN AN AIRBOUND CONDITION WHICH SUBSTANTIATED INOPERABILITY. THIS FAILURE DID NOT RENDER THE ASSOCIATED SYSTEM INOPERABLE. PREVIOUS LER'S: 50-295/81-12, 77-8, 55, 64, 69, 70, 80, 92; 50-302/78-34, 120, 79-31. THE HYDRAULIC FLUID LEAKED OUT DUE TO THE POCR SEAL CONDITION. NEW ETHYLENE PROPYLENE SEALS WERE INSTALLED WHICH WOULD STOP FUTURE LEAKAGE. THE SNUBBER WAS TESTED AND REINSTALLED. THE STATION'S OVERHAUL AND PERIODIC INSPECTION SCHEDULE IDENTIFIES AND CORRECTS PROBLEM SNUBBERS.

[309] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-005  
 THREE RPS FLOW CHANNELS FOR RCS CALIBRATED INCORRECTLY.  
 EVENT DATE: 022582 REPORT DATE: 031282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURAL ERROR.

(NSIC 172980) DURING THE PERIOD 4/13/81 THRU 5/9/81, UNIT 1 RC LOOP D OPERATED WITH AN APPROXIMATE 4% FLOW REDUCTION. ALL 3 LOOP D FLOW CHANNELS WERE CALIBRATED ASSUMING THAT NORMAL FLOW CONDITIONS EXISTED, RESULTING IN NONCONSERVATIVE LOW LOOP FLOW TRIP SETPOINTS FOR LOOP D, IN VIOLATION OF TECH SPEC TABLE 3.1-1. THE REDUNDANT LOSS OF LOOP FLOW PROTECTION PROVIDED BY THE RCP BREAKER TRIP WAS OPERABLE. THE FLOW REDUCTION WAS CAUSED BY A NOZZLE COVER INADVERTENTLY LEFT IN THE 1D S/G HOT LEG DURING THE SPRING 1981 REFUELING OUTAGE EDDY CURRENT EXAM. MOST OF THE NOZZLE COVER DISSOLVED, REMOVING THE PARTIAL FLOW BLOCKAGE, AND THE LOOP D RC FLOW CHANNELS WERE RESET PROPERLY ON 5/9/81. PROCEDURAL CONTROLS ON S/G WORK WILL BE STRENGTHENED.

[310] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-010  
 CONTAINMENT PURGE ISOLATION VALVE FAILS TO CLOSE.  
 EVENT DATE: 030282 REPORT DATE: 032482 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: CNTNMNT ISOLATION SYS & CONT COMPONENT: VALVES  
 CAUSE: PROCEDURAL DEFICIENCY.

(NSIC 172990) CONTAINMENT PURGE EXHAUST ISOLATION VALVE IRV-00 03 FAILED TO FULLY CLOSE ON RECEIPT OF AUTOMATIC CLOSING SIGNAL GENERATED FROM DE-ENERGIZATION OF CONTAINMENT PURGE EXHAUST RADIATION MONITORS 1RT PRO9 A, B, C. THE REDUNDANT ISOLATION VALVE IRV-0004 CLOSED SUCCESSFULLY. INSPECTION REVEALED TYGON TUBING TUBING STUCK IN THE VALVE HAD PREVENTED THE VALVE FROM FULLY CLOSING. THE TYGON

TURING WAS USED TO VENT THE RCS TO THE PURGE EXHAUST DUCT PRIOR TO REFUELING. THE APPROPRIATE PROCEDURE IS BEING CHANGED TO PREVENT A RECURRENCE. AFTER TUBE REMOVAL THE VALVE SUCCESSFULLY STROKED AND SEALED.

[311] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-013  
 SET POINT DRIFT OF REACTOR COOLANT FLOW TRANSMITTERS OCCURS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172841) DURING REFUELING CALIBRATION, LOOP C AND LOOP D RC FLOW TRANSMITTERS 1FT-426 AND 1FT-434 WERE FOUND OUT-OF-TOLERANCE HIGH BY 4.8% AND 2.75% RESPECTIVELY. THIS CONDITION IS NONCONSERVATIVE FOR THE RC LOW FLOW REACTOR TRIP. THE CAUSE OF THE OUT-OF-TOLERANCE READINGS WAS DETERMINED TO BE ZERO SHIFT (F/P #10B2496). BOTH TRANSMITTERS WERE RECALIBRATED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. BASED ON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE NEW XMTRS TO BE INSTALLED PER IE BULLETIN 79-01B, THE REMAINING F/P XMTRS IN CRITICAL APPLICATIONS WILL BE EVALUATED FOR REPLACEMENT.

[312] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-012  
 SET POINT DRIFT OF STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL TRANSMITTER.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 040282 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT DRIFT.

(NSIC 172858) DURING REFUELING CALIBRATION, 1D STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL TRANSMITTER 1LT-538 WAS FOUND OUT-OF-TOLERANCE HIGH BY A MAXIMUM OF 2.8%. THIS OUT-OF-TOLERANCE CONDITION WAS NON-CONSERVATIVE FOR THE S/G LO-LO LEVEL RX TRIP AND THE S/G LO LEVEL COINCIDENT WITH STEAM/FEED FLOW MISMATCH RX TRIP. THE OUT-OF-TOLERANCE CONDITION WAS CAUSED BY ZERO SHIFT ON TRANSMITTER 1LT-538 (F/P # 13D 2495). THE XMTR WAS RECALIBRATED TO WITHIN TOLERANCE, AND PLACED BACK IN SERVICE. BASED ON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE NEW XMTRS TO BE INSTALLED PER IE BULLETIN 79-01B, THE REMAINING F/P XMTRS IN CRITICAL APPLICATIONS WILL BE EVALUATED FOR REPLACEMENT.

[313] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-013 REV 1  
 UPDATE ON SET POINT DRIFT OF REACTOR COOLANT FLOW SENSORS.  
 EVENT DATE: 030582 REPORT DATE: 041982 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: REACTOR TRIP SYSTEMS COMPONENT: INSTRUMENTATION AND CONTROLS  
 CAUSE: INSTRUMENT ZERO SHIFT.

(NSIC 173072) DURING REFUELING CALIBRATION, LOOP B, LOOP C AND LOOP D RC FLOW TRANSMITTERS 1FT-444, 1FT-426, AND 1FT-434 WERE FOUND OUT OF TOLERANCE HIGH BY 5%, 4.8% AND 2.75% RESPECTIVELY. THIS CONDITION IS NONCONSERVATIVE FOR THE RC LOW FLOW REACTOR TRIP. NO SAFETY IMPLICATIONS WERE INVOLVED SINCE THE REDUNDANT CHANNELS FOR EACH LOOP WERE OPERABLE. THE CAUSE OF THE OUT-OF-TOLERANCE READINGS WAS DETERMINED TO BE ZERO SHIFT (F/P #10B2496). ALL THREE TRANSMITTERS WERE RECALIBRATED AND RETURNED TO SERVICE. BASED ON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE NEW XMTRS TO BE INSTALLED PER IE BULLETIN 79-01B, THE REMAINING F/P XMTRS IN CRITICAL APPLICATIONS WILL BE EVALUATED FOR REPLACEMENT.

[314] ZION 1 DOCKET 50-295 LER 82-011  
 RHR SUCTION VALVE CLOSES SPURIOUSLY.  
 EVENT DATE: 031782 REPORT DATE: 032582 NSSS: WE TYPE: PWR  
 SYSTEM: RESIDUAL HEAT REMOV SYS & CONT COMPONENT: CIRCUIT CLOSERS/INTERRUPTERS  
 CAUSE: CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL ERROR.







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