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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region II
101 Marietta Street, NW
Suite 3100
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Date of Occurrence: 10/29/80 Time of Occurrence: 0930 hours Unit: 1

Equipment Involved: HPCI

Conditions Prior to Occurrence

Unit 1 operating at approximately 1,012 MWe. Unit 2 in refueling outage.
Unit 3 operating at approximately 1,020 MWe.

Identification and Description of Occurrence

HPCI removed from service due to a ground occurring on the gland seal condenser pump motor.

Apparent Cause of Occurrence

Moisture was found in the pump.

Other Related Events

Necessary surveillance testing was completed in accordance to technical specifications.

Expected Return to Service

HPCI was returned to service this morning at 0550.

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