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Salem Generating Station

September 16, 1982

Mr. R. C. Haynes Regional Administrator USNRC Region 1 631 Park Avenue King of Prussia, Pennsylvania 19406

Dear Mr. Haynes:

LICENSE NO. DPR-75 DOCKET NO. 50-311 REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE 82-088/03L

Pursuant to the requirements of Salem Generating Station Unit No. 2, Technical Specifications, Section 6.9.1.9.b, we are submitting Licensee Event Report for Reportable Occurrence 82-088/03L. This report is required within thirty (30) days of the occurrence.

Sincerely yours,

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Report Number: 82-088/03L

Report Date: 09-16-82

Occurrence Date: 08-24-82

Facility: Salem Generating Station, Unit 2 Public Service Electric & Gas Company Hancocks Bridge, New Jersey 08038

IDENTIFICATION OF OCCURRENCE:

No. 25 Containment Fan Coil Unit - Inoperable.

This report was initiated by Incident Report 82-250.

CONDITIONS PRIOR TO OCCURRENCE:

Mode 1 - Rx Power 82% - Unit Load 890 MWe.

DESCRIPTION OF OCCURRENCE:

At 0030 hours, August 24, 1982, during routine surveillance, the Control Room Operator observed that the service water flow for No. 25 Containment Fan Coil Unit (CFCU) was only 1200 GPM in the low speed mode. The required service water flow is 2500 GPM. No. 25 CFCU was declared inoperable and Limiting Condition for Operation Action Statement 3.6.2.3a was entered at 0035 hours, August 24, 1982.

DESIGNATION OF APPARENT CAUSE OF OCCURRENCE:

Investigation revealed that the air regulator was out of adjustment. This caused an incorrect amount of air to be applied to the service water flow control valve positioner.

ANALYSIS OF OCCURRENCE:

The CFCU's operate in conjunction with the containment spray systems to remove heat and radioactive contamination from the containment atmosphere in the event of a design basis accident. Operability of either all fan coil groups or of both containment spray systems is necessary to insure offsite radiation dose is maintained within the limits of lOCFR106. Because redundant cooling capability was provided by the containment spray systems, no risk to the health or safety of the public was involved. The occurrence therefore constituted operation in a degraded mode permitted by a Limiting Condition for Operation, and is reportable in accordance with Technical Specification 6.9.1.9.b. ANALYSIS OF OCCURRENCE: (continued)

Action Statement 3.6.2.3a requires:

With one group of containment cooling fans inoperable, restore the inoperable group of cooling fans to operable status within the next 7 days, or be in hot standby within the next 6 hours and in cold shutdown within the following 30 hours.

CORRECTIVE ACTION:

The air regulator was properly adjusted, and No. 25 CFCU was tested satisfactorily. At 0445 hours, August 24, 1982, No. 25 CFCU was declared operable and Limiting Condition for Operation Action Statement 3.6.2.3a was terminated.

FAILURE DATA:

Not Applicable.

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