

JUN 17 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: Darrell G. Eisenhut, Director  
Division of Licensing

FROM: G.C. Lainas, Assistant Director  
for Safety Assessment  
Division of Licensing

SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE OPERATING REACTOR EVENTS MEETING  
ON JUNE 10, 1981

On June 10, 1981, an Operating Reactor Event meeting was held to brief the Office Director, the Division Directors, and their representatives on events which occurred since the last meeting. The list of meeting attendees is included as Attachment 1.

The events discussed and the significant elements of these events are presented in Attachment 2. In addition to these events, the assignment of follow-up review responsibility was discussed. The assignments made during this meeting and the status of previous assignments are presented in Attachment 3.

The next Operating Reactor Events meeting is scheduled for June 17, 1981.

Original signed by

G.C. Lainas, Assistant Director  
for Safety Assessment  
Division of Licensing

Attachments:  
As stated

cc w/attachments:  
Meeting Attendees

ORAB Members  
H. Denton  
E. Case  
R. Mattson  
R. Vollmer  
S. Hanauer  
T. Murley

G. Zech  
T. Novak  
G. Lainas  
R. Tesesco  
J. Olshinski  
**G. Holahan**  
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MEETING ATTENDEES

H. Denton  
G. Holahan  
S. Hanauer  
T. Murley  
G. Lainas  
G. Meyer  
F. Miraglia  
I. Ahmed  
R. Woods  
B. Mills  
J. Olshinski  
E. Jordan  
R. Baer  
J. Thoma  
C. Michelson  
J.P. Knight  
R. Mattson  
T. Novak  
D. Chaney  
R. Birkel  
D. Ross  
R. DeYoung  
G. Gears  
C. Heltemes  
R. Purple  
R. Bernero

OPERATING REACTOR EVENTS MEETINGJUNE 10, 1981

- BEAVER VALLEY UNIT 1 (JUNE 6, 1981), CHAIN AND LOCK ON ESF VALVE MISSING (IE)
  - VALVES INVOLVED
    - (1) AUX FEEDWATER MANUAL SUCTION ISOLATION VALVES
    - (2) CHARGING PUMP SUCTION TO RWST VALVE
  - LICENSEE ACTIONS
  - IE-FBI INVESTIGATIONS
  
- SALEM UNIT 2 - 5 REACTOR TRIPS DURING START-UP
  - 6/3 - 1958 - WHILE STARTING - CAUSE NOT KNOWN
  - 6/4 - 0449 - LOW-LOW LEVEL IN STEAM GENERATOR
  - 6/4 - 0932 - TURBINE/REACTOR TRIP - HI LEVEL IN STEAM GENERATOR #22
  - 6/5 - 0200 - TURBINE/REACTOR TRIP - HI LEVEL IN STEAM GENERATOR #23
  - 6/9 - - LOW-LOW LEVEL IN STEAM GENERATOR

NOTE: 15 (10+5) REACTOR TRIPS DURING START-UP FROM MAY 20 TO JUNE 5, 1981

  - 6/9 - - LEAK FROM 3/4 INCH VENT LINE ON LET DOWN SYSTEM  
(UNUSUAL EVENT)
  
- FARLEY, UNIT 2, 2 REACTOR TRIPS
  - 6/4 - 1305 - LOW-LOW STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL DUE TO FW REG VALVE CLOSURE
  - 6/5 - - HI-HI STEAM GENERATOR LEVEL -

NOTE: 8 (6+2) REACTOR TRIPS DURING START-UP FROM MAY 22 TO JUNE 5, 1981
  
- WESTINGHOUSE VESSEL HEAD WELD PROBLEMS (IE)
  
- MCGUIRE
  - 6/2 - - DEVELOPMENT OF STEAM VOID UNDER VESSEL HEAD DURING COOLDOWN (IE)

OFFICE OF INSPECTION AND ENFORCEMENT

Items of Interest

Week Ending June 5, 1981

1. The following Notifications of Significant Enforcement Action were dispatched during the past week:
  - a. EN-81-02B Burnside Steel Foundry Company - A Rescission of Order Imposing Civil Penalties was issued to subject licensee on June 2, 1981. Previously, an Order Imposing Civil Penalties in the cumulative amount of \$2,150 was issued. After consideration of the licensee's response to the imposition order dated April 7, 1981, it was determined that the imposition order should be rescinded in its entirety. This determination was based on the licensee's actions that included transferring all radioactive material to an authorized recipient and requesting the license be terminated.
  - b. EN-81-19 Met Lab, Inc. - A Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalties in the amount of \$4,000 was issued to subject licensee on June 3, 1981. This action was based on alleged violations involving a radiation exposure to a radiographer in excess of NRC limits, and failure to have the radiographer's film badge immediately processed, after his pocket dosimeter had discharged beyond its range during the conduct of radiographic operations. ~~Four other violations not related to the excessive exposure~~ occurrence were also found; however, the nature and significance of those items were such that civil penalties would not be warranted.
  - c. EN-80-50B Commonwealth Edison Company - A Settlement of Proceeding on Order Imposing Civil Monetary Penalty will be issued to subject licensee on June 10, 1981. Previously, an Order Imposing a Civil Penalty in the amount of \$40,000 was issued, based on an alleged violation which involved inattention to duties by licensed operators while assigned at the controls of Dresden Unit 3 reactor on August 8, 1980. In a letter of March 19, 1981, the licensee requested a hearing in accordance with the terms of the Order and 10 CFR 2.205. On the basis of reconsideration of the applicable evidence, regulatory requirements and policy, an agreement was reached whereby the civil penalty would be mitigated from \$40,000 to \$18,000, and Commonwealth Edison Company would pay the \$18,000 mitigated penalty and withdraw its request for a hearing.
  - d. EN-81-10A Tennessee Valley Authority (Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant, Units 1, 2 and 3) - On March 20, 1981, a Notice of Violation and Proposed Imposition of Civil Penalties in the amount of \$50,000 was issued to subject licensee, based on alleged violations related to a breakdown of the licensee's control of the fire protection program at the Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant. After consideration of the licensee's response, it was concluded that, with the exception of one violation, the proposed penalties for the violations should be imposed as proposed. The violation which related to a license amendment and its associated \$5,000 penalty were withdrawn. Accordingly, an Order imposing the mitigated \$45,000 penalty was issued on June 3, 1981.

2. Preliminary Notifications relating to the following actions were dispatched during the past week:

- a. PNO-III- 81-52 Commonwealth Edison Company - Dresden Nuclear Power Station and LaSalle County Nuclear Power Station - Letter on Offsite Emergency Preparedness Deficiencies.
- b. PNO-III-81-53 General Electric, Morris Operation - Contaminated Spent Fuel Cask.
- c. PNO-III-81-53A General Electric, Morris Operation - Contaminated Spent Fuel Cask - Update.
- d. PNO-IV-81-13 Arkansas Power and Light Company - Possible Partial Draining of the Spent Fuel Pool Upon Loss of Instrument Air System Under Certain Conditions.
- e. PNO-IV-81-14 Arkansas Power and Light Company - Possibility of Over-exposure to Neutrons by Four Individuals in ANO-1 Containment Building.
- f. PNO-V-81-30A San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit No. 1 - Contaminated Sand Identified on Beach - Update.

~~PNO-V-81-82H - S. Ecology, Inc. - Banning of U. S. Army Armament, Materials Command, Rock Island, Illinois (NRC licensee) for Radioactive Waste Shipment.~~

3. The following IE Circular was issued:

- a. IE Circular 81-08, "Foundation Materials", was issued on May 28, 1981 to all nuclear reactor facilities holding a construction permit and for information to operating facilities.