PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF SAFEGUARDS EVENT -- PNS-V-83/05

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE national security or public interest significance. The information presented is as initially received without verification or evaluation and is basically all that is known by IE staff as of this date.

FACILITY:	Pacific Gas & Electric Company Diablo Canyon, Unit 1 Docket No. 50-275 77 Beale Street San Francisco, California 94106	Notification of Unusual Event
		Site Area Emergency
SUBJECT:	POSSIBLE MALICIOUS MISCHIEF	General Emergency
		<u>X</u> Not Applicable

Date: April 27,

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Region V dispatched a reactive inspection team to the Diablo Canyon, Unit 1 reactor site on the evening of April 26, 1983. The team will review the findings and status to date of a licensee investigation of the safety significance of recent incidents of vandalism. Most recently, on April 19, 1983, PST, the licensee discovered gouges in a coolant pipe about 3/16 inch deep which were possibly caused by an implement such as a hand rotary grinder. The pipe runs from a coolant pump to the reactor vessel at Unit 1. No indication yet as to who is reponsible or how the gouges occurred. Damage occurred after April 14, 1983, since on that date the pipe had been inspected and was in an undamaged condition.

The IAT has been informed.

The licensee has issued a press release. Local press interest has occurred.

This information is current as of 9:30 am, PDT, April 27, 1983.

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