

OYSTER CREEK NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION  
Forked River, New Jersey 08731

Licensee Event Report  
Reportable Occurrence No. 50-219/82-55/01P

Report Date

November 24, 1982

Occurrence Date

November 15, 1982

Identification of Occurrence

On November 15, 1982 at approximately 0135, the stack gas was not continuously monitored as required by Technical Specification 3.6.A.3.

This event is considered to be a reportable occurrence as defined in the Technical Specifications, paragraph 6.9.2.a.2.

This event was determined to be an immediately reportable occurrence on November 24, 1982; however, notification as required by 10 CFR 50.72(5) regarding shutdown was made on November 15, 1982.

Conditions Prior to Occurrence

Power: Generator Load - 317 MWe  
Reactor Coolant Temperature - 535°F

The plant was critical in the run mode.

Description of Occurrence

On November 15, 1982, the 'B' stack gas sample pump electrically tripped it's breaker, at which time the stack gas flow through the stack gas sample system decreased to zero SCFM. The system was returned to operation by switching to 'A' stack gas sample pump

Apparent Cause of Occurrence

The apparent cause of the occurrence is still under investigation.

Analysis of Occurrence

- The Stack Gas Sampling System monitors radioactive gaseous effluents released from the stack. Since the local radiation monitors and the off-gas radiation monitors showed no change before, during, and after the occurrence, the safety significance of this event is considered minimal.

Corrective Action

'A' stack gas sample pump has been put into service while a determination is made as to why 'B' stack gas sample pump tripped it's breaker.