

GPU 6000BB

TMI STAFF INTERVIEW

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LEWE: This, I believe, is the fourth time I've been taped. I have been taped with GPU before with Long and Reppert and also I was interviewed with the NRC individually, a man who interviews a group and the group session I thought was much better than the rest of them because we were all doing different things and looking at things a little bit differently and that at the time that interview more than anything else helped us to bring it more into a time perspective because personally, I was very far off in the times. Times were much longer and I felt that they were much shorter. As it ended up, we sort of got a better perspective of what times these things happen more so than what we had at the beginning. Even individually, we were all fairly close to the times that we thought that we had and once we got together we seen that the times were quite a bit different and judged on a few of the graphs and things that we have seen, we have noticed that the times there were a lot different than what we have previously imagined.

TEAM: We are finding out also in reviewing the strip charts and whatnot, the things like looking at the original interviews, the times didn't jive with what the real report was doing.

LEWE: Probably the time that we compressed the most as a group were the time of the emergency feed actuation. I could have sworn that we had an emergency feed going within 2 minutes and we actually had it going and everything that we seen was more like 8 minute periods, and I still can't believe that but it's true, because it has to be true and plus other people entered the control room at about the 6 minute point and they remembered that we didn't have it on at that point, so that was one area in particular that it just seemed like that it could have been that long.