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EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (10)

02 While performing the "RCIC TURBINE OVERSPEED INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION"
03 procedure (HNP-1-3403), plant personnel noted that the turbine overspeed
04 mechanical trip was not tripping within the requirements specified by
05 Tech. Specs. Table 3.2-3, Item 2. Plant operation continued under a
06 7 day LCO that was initially issued to allow performance of procedure
07 HNP-1-3403. The health and safety of the public were not affected
08 by this non-repetitive event.

SYSTEM CODE C E (11)		CAUSE CODE E (12)		CAUSE SUBCODE B (13)		COMPONENT CODE M E C F U N (14)				COMP. SUBCODE Z (15)		VALVE SUBCODE Z (16)	
EVENT YEAR 8 3 (17)		SEQUENTIAL REPORT NO. 0 2 0 (18)		OCCURRENCE CODE 0 3 (19)		REPORT TYPE I (20)		REVISION NO. 0 (21)					
ACTION TAKEN E (22)		FUTURE ACTION Z (23)		EFFECT ON PLANT Z (24)		SHUTDOWN METHOD Z (25)		HOURS 0 0 0 0 (26)		ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED Y (27)		NPRD-4 FORM SUB. N (28)	
PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER N (29)		COMPONENT MANUFACTURER X 9 9 9 (30)											

CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

1 0 The cause of this event was due to the overspeed trip mechanism being
1 1 put of calibration. The trip mechanism was recalibrated and the RCIC
1 2 system was then functionally tested satisfactorily as per the "RCIC PUMP
1 3 OPERABILITY" procedure. The system was then returned to normal operable
1 4 status on 2/20/83.

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NARRATIVE REPORT
FOR LER 50-321/1983-020

LICENSEE : GEORGIA POWER COMPANY
FACILITY NAME : EDWIN I. HATCH
DOCKET NUMBER : 50-321

Tech. Specs. section(s) which requires report:

This 30-day LER is required by Tech. Specs. section 6.9.1.9.b. due to the event's showing that the unit was not meeting the requirements of Tech. Specs. Table 3.2-3, Item 2 (mechanical).

Plant conditions at the time of the event:

This event occurred on 2/19/83, during startup with reactor power at approximately 15 MWt (less than 1%).

Detailed description of the event:

On 2/19/83, while performing the "RCIC TURBINE OVERSPEED INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION" procedure (HNP-1-3403), plant personnel discovered that the mechanical overspeed trip for the RCIC turbine would not trip within the requirements specified by Tech. Specs. Table 3.2-3, Item 2. Tech. Specs. requires a trip setpoint of less than or equal to 125% of rated speed, and this event showed that the mechanical overspeed would not trip at any speed.

Consequences of the event:

Plant operation continued under a 7-day LCO as specified by Tech. Specs. section 3.5.E.2. The 7-day LCO started when the RCIC system was taken out of service so that procedure HNP-1-3403 could be performed.

The health and safety of the public were not affected by this non-repetitive event.

Status of redundant or backup subsystems and/or systems:

The RCIC turbine electrical overspeed trip was operable, and as required by Tech. Specs. Table 3.2-3, Item 2 (electrical) is set to operate before the mechanical trip is required to (i.e., the electrical trip setpoint is less than or equal to 110% of rated speed).

The HPCI system was proven operable as soon as RCIC was taken out of service.

Justification for continued operation:

The HPCI system remained operable, and plant operation continued under the 7-day LCO permitted by Tech. Specs. section 3.5.E.2.

If repetitive, number of previous LER:

This is a non-repetitive event.

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Impact to other systems and/or Unit:

This event had no effect on HPCI; it had no effect on Unit 2 HPCI or RCIC.

Cause(s) of the event:

An investigation by on-site personnel revealed that the failure was due to the overspeed mechanical trip mechanism's being out of calibration.

Immediate corrective action(s):

The mechanical trip mechanism was recalibrated (per HNP-1-3403) immediately upon discovery. The RCIC system was then functionally tested satisfactorily as per the "RCIC PUMP OPERABILITY" procedure (HNP-1-3405). The system was then returned to normal operable status on 2/20/83.

Supplemental corrective action:

The immediate corrective action was all that was required.

Scheduled (future) corrective action:

All corrective actions were made immediately and no future corrective actions are needed.

Action to prevent recurrence (if different from corrective actions):

The immediate corrective action taken should be sufficient to attempt to preclude recurrence.