

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT (LER)

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TITLE (4)  
CPIS ACTUATION DUE TO EQUIPMENT FAILURE ON JUNE 12, 1984

EVENT DATE (5)			LER NUMBER (6)			REPORT DATE (7)			OTHER FACILITIES INVOLVED (8)		
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THIS REPORT IS SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF 10 CFR §: (Check one or more of the following) (11)											

OPERATING MODE (9) 3	POWER LEVEL (10) 0 0 0	20.402(b)	20.405(a)(1)(i)	20.405(a)(1)(ii)	20.405(a)(1)(iii)	20.405(a)(1)(iv)	20.405(a)(1)(v)	20.405(c)	50.36(c)(1)	50.36(c)(2)	50.73(a)(2)(i)	50.73(a)(2)(ii)	50.73(a)(2)(iii)	50.73(a)(2)(iv)	50.73(a)(2)(v)	50.73(a)(2)(vii)	50.73(a)(2)(viii)(A)	50.73(a)(2)(viii)(B)	50.73(a)(2)(x)	73.71(b)	73.71(c)	OTHER (Specify in Abstract below and in Text, NRC Form 366A)
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LICENSEE CONTACT FOR THIS LER (12)

NAME J. G. HAYNES, STATION MANAGER	TELEPHONE NUMBER AREA CODE 7 1 4 4 9 2 - 7 7 0 0
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COMPLETE ONE LINE FOR EACH COMPONENT FAILURE DESCRIBED IN THIS REPORT (13)

CAUSE	SYSTEM	COMPONENT	MANUFACTURER	REPORTABLE TO NPRDS	CAUSE	SYSTEM	COMPONENT	MANUFACTURER	REPORTABLE TO NPRDS
X	V/A	RIT	N305	N					

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT EXPECTED (14)

YES (If yes, complete EXPECTED SUBMISSION DATE)  NO

EXPECTED SUBMISSION DATE (15)

MONTH	DAY	YEAR

Abstract (Limit to 1400 spaces, i.e., approximately fifteen single-space typewritten lines) (16)

On June 12, 1984, at 0836, with Unit 3 in Mode 3, corrective maintenance activities were being performed on Containment Airborne Radiation Monitor (EIIS Component Code RIT) 3RE-7807 Iodine Channel 'A'. The Containment Purge Isolation System (CPIS) (EIIS System Code VA) actuation logic was placed in the bypass mode and 3RE-7807-A2 Iodine Channel Module was removed for repairs. A spare module was installed and, after verification that the alarm defeat button on the spare module was engaged, the CPIS actuation logic bypass was restored to normal. The alarm defeat button on the spare module was defective and allowed a spurious alarm signal to go through and complete the CPIS actuation logic. The alarm signal was caused by an electrical spike generated when the spare module was installed. Since no purge was in progress and the dampers were closed, there was no actuation of CPIS components. Redundant CPIS Train 'A' remained operable to perform the required safety functions.

The original module was reinstalled and CPIS was reset. A full actuation of the CPIS Train 'B' was conducted to verify proper operation. To prevent recurrence, operability of the alarm defeat function of spare modules used during repairs and/or maintenance activities is now verified prior to use.

There are no reasonable or credible circumstances which would have increased the severity of this incident.

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Subject: Docket No. 50-362  
30-Day Report  
Licensee Event Report No. 84-026  
San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, Unit 3

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.73(a)(2)(iv), this submittal provides the required 30-day written Licensee Event Report (LER) for an occurrence involving the actuation of the Containment Purge Isolation System. Neither the health and safety of plant personnel nor the public were affected by this event.

If you require any additional information, please so advise.

Sincerely,

Enclosure: LER No. 84-026

cc: A. E. Chaffee (USNRC Resident Inspector, Units 1, 2 and 3)  
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