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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-84 37

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by the Region II staff on this date.

FACILITY: Georgia Power Company
Hatch Unit 2
Docket No. 50-366
Baxley, Georgia

Licensee Emergency Classification:
 Notification of Unusual Event
 Alert
 Site Area Emergency
 General Emergency
 X Not Applicable

SUBJECT: JET PUMP INSTRUMENT NOZZLE CRACKS

Preliminary information from the licensee indicates that nondestructive examination (NDE) of two jet pump instrument nozzles on Unit 2 shows the presence of cracks.

The licensee is continuing its investigation and examination of the findings.

Similar indications have previously been identified at Browns Ferry 3, Peach Bottom 1 & 2, and Monticello.

Region II inspectors are conducting a followup of the license's inspection and proposed course of corrective action.

Media interest has not occurred. Neither the licensee nor the NRC plans to issue a news release.

The State of Georgia has been informed.

Region II received initial notification of this event by telephone from the Resident Inspector at 9:15 a.m. (EDT) on June 14, 1984.

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