

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT (LER)

FACILITY NAME (1) Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station DOCKET NUMBER (2) 0 5 0 0 0 2 7 1 1 PAGE (3) 1 OF 0 2

TITLE (4) Environmental Sampling Station Inoperable

EVENT DATE (5)			LER NUMBER (6)			REPORT DATE (7)			OTHER FACILITIES INVOLVED (8)			
MONTH	DAY	YEAR	YEAR	SEQUENTIAL NUMBER	REVISION NUMBER	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	FACILITY NAMES	DOCKET NUMBER(S)		
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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 (5)	20.402(b)	20.405(a)	90.73(a)(2)(iv)	73.71(b)
POWER LEVEL (10) 0 9 2	20.406(a)(1)(i)	90.38(a)(1)	90.73(a)(2)(v)	73.71(e)
	20.406(a)(1)(ii)	90.38(a)(2)	90.73(a)(2)(vi)	OTHER (Specify in Abstract below and in Text, NRC Form 365A)
	20.406(a)(1)(iii)	X 90.73(a)(2)(i)	90.73(a)(2)(viii)(A)	
	20.406(a)(1)(iv)	90.73(a)(2)(ii)	90.73(a)(2)(viii)(B)	
	20.406(a)(1)(v)	90.73(a)(2)(iii)	90.73(a)(2)(x)	

LICENSEE CONTACT FOR THIS LER (12)

NAME	TELEPHONE NUMBER
	AREA CODE

COMPLETE ONE LINE FOR EACH COMPONENT FAILURE DESCRIBED IN THIS REPORT (13)

CAUSE	SYSTEM	COMPONENT	MANUFACTURER	REPORTABLE TO NPROS	CAUSE	SYSTEM	COMPONENT	MANUFACTURER	REPORTABLE TO NPROS

SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT EXPECTED (14)

YES (If yes, complete EXPECTED SUBMISSION DATE) NO X

EXPECTED SUBMISSION DATE (15)

MONTH	DAY	YEAR

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

For the period 6/12/84 to 6/17/84 weekly air particulate and charcoal cartridge sampling was not performed as required by Tech. Spec. section 4.9.D.2 and table 3.9.1. The air sampling station in North Hinsdale, NH was left off by a technician performing required environmental radiation surveillance.

In order to reduce the chance of a similar event, plant procedures have been revised to require that the technician initials the sample envelope upon insuring the system is operable after sample data is collected. All technicians involved in the use of the revised procedure will be notified of the changes to the procedure and instructed on the proper performance on all new requirements.

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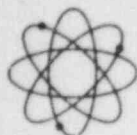
For the period 6/12/84 to 6/17/84 weekly air particulate and charcoal cartridge sampling was not performed as required by Tech. Spec. section 4.9.D.2 and table 3.9.1. The air sampling station in North Hinsdale, NH was left off by a technician performing required environmental radiation surveillance.

The technician, prior to leaving the sampling station, should have insured that flow was established by the developed vacuum in the suction tube and noted this on the sample envelope. In this case the technician did not check the sampler suction tubing and the fact that the station was off was not discovered.

The VY procedure used by the technician has been revised to require the technician to initial the sample envelope after noting the results of the vacuum check. Also, all of the technicians involved with performance of this procedure will be notified of the changes and instructed on the proper performance of the new requirements that resulted due to this event.

A review of the weeks prior to and following the missed analysis did not reveal any reason to suspect other than normal readings.

Based on the above there were no adverse effects on the public health and safety. A similar occurrence was reported as LER 79-19.



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Docket No. 50-271
Reportable Occurrence No. LER 84-08

Dear Sirs:

As defined by 10CFR50.73, we are reporting the attached Reportable Occurrence as LER 84-08.

Very truly yours,

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Plant Manager

RDP/cjm

cc: Regional Administrator
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