

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT (LER)

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Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Station

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TITLE (4)
Reactor scram due to personnel error during surveillance testing

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LICENSEE CONTACT FOR THIS LER (12)

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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)

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

On 6/17/84 while performing control rod drive friction testing, with the reactor shutdown, a scram occurred due to a valving error on a reactor level instrument being calibrated. After verifying the cause of the scram the scram was reset and friction testing recommenced.

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TEXT (If more space is required, use additional NRC Form 386A's) (17)

On 6/17/84 the reactor was shut down with control rod drive friction testing in progress. Instrument and control department personnel were performing calibration of reactor level instruments per plant procedure OP 4313. At 0756 a reactor scram occurred. The cause of the scram was determined to be due to a valving error by the technician performing the instrument calibration. After verifying the cause of the scram the scram was reset and friction testing recommenced. OP 4313 was reviewed to verify that there was no problem with the procedure which contributed to the scram, and thus it was concluded that the procedure was adequate as written. The event and possible consequences were reviewed with the technician involved to insure he understood the need for strict compliance with procedures. There have been no prior occurrences of this type reported to the Commission. There were no adverse affects to public health or safety.



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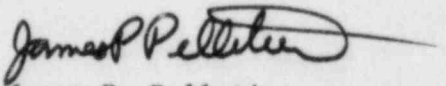
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Dear Sirs:

As defined by 10CFR50.73, we are reporting the attached Reportable Occurrence as LER 84-09.

Very truly yours,


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