

APPENDIX B
NOTICE OF DEVIATION

Duquesne Light Company
Beaver Valley Power Station

Docket No. 50-334
License No. DPR-66

As a result of the inspection conducted on November 6 through December 6, 1991, and in accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C (Enforcement Policy) (1991), the following Deviation was identified:

Section 2.3.3 of the Beaver Valley Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1, FSAR states in part that "all safety related equipment and connecting piping wiring is either located above location 730.0 ft or adequately protected so that its function is unaffected by a flood to elevation 730.0 ft."

Contrary to the above, at the time of the inspection, three normally closed river water motor operated valves used to supply cooling water to the emergency diesel generators were found to be located at an approximate elevation of 727 feet and, therefore, below the flooding level. Documents were not available to show either that the valves were qualified for submersion or that protection had been provided against flooding.

Please provide to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555, with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region I, and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector, in writing within 30 days of the date of this Notice, the reason(s) for the deviation, the corrective steps which have been taken and the results achieved, the corrective steps which will be taken to avoid further deviations, and the date when your corrective action will be completed. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

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