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JERSEY CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY
OYSTER CREEK (DN-50-219)

MEMO TO FILE
THRU D. L. CAPTON, SENIOR REACTOR INSPECTOR

In response to a state query with respect to reactor coolant system leakage into primary containment, I contacted the plant on January 11, 1974.

Information received was as follows:

Unidentified Leakage = 3.6 gpm (extrapolated from first 7 hour data 1/11/74)
Identified Leakage = 4.0 gpm
Total Leakage = 7.6 gpm

The site indicated that unidentified leakage in early January 1974 was about 2.0-2.2 gpm and has been steadily increasing for the past 5 days, leakage was 3.36 gpm. The plant estimates a shutdown would be required around January 20, 1974 (TS requirement) based on the present rate of increase.

Don Reeves (acting Plant Superintendent) stated that this information would be presented to an Ocean County judge today. JCP&L anticipated a favorable ruling from this "chamber session".

Technical information was provided to Mr. Charles Amato, Department of Radiation Protection, State of New Jersey by telephone at 11:20 a.m.

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