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Description of the Event:

On January 12, 1985, at 2:30 p.m., with Unit 1 in the startup condition and at 3.5 percent power, a spurious isolation of the High Pressure Coolant Injection (HPCI) inboard steam supply isolation valve, HV-55-1F002, occurred. Investigation traced the problem to the HPCI equipment room steam supply line area ambient temperature switch, TTS-55-1N602D. The output of the temperature switch was observed to be erratic and produced a Nuclear Steam Supply Shutoff System (NSSSS) Division 4 isolation signal. The temperature switch and HPCI were declared inoperable in accordance with Technical Specific tion 3.3.2.b.

Consequences of the Event:

The isolation valve responded properly by closing and remaining closed throughout the duration of the event. The balance of the ECCS systems required by Technical Specifications were verified to be operable.

Cause of the Event:

Investigation revealed that the cause of the erratic output of the temperature switch was the result of an improper connection to a resistor located on a module card within the temperature switch. This loose connection allowed the spurious upscale signal on the temperature switch which resulted in the isolation signal.

Corrective Actions:

The resistor on the module card was replaced and properly reconnected. A functional test was performed on the temperature switch to verify its operability. HPCI was declared operable at 11:30 p.m. on January 12, 1985.

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Previous Similar Occurrences:

None.

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Limerick Generating Station - Unit 1

This LER deals with the spurious isolation of the High Pressure Coolant Injection stern supply inboard isolation valve.

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