

FINAL REPORT FOR POTENTIAL REPORTABLE DEFICIENCY NO. 79/14
AS DEFINED IN 10 CFR 50.55(e)

I. Description of Deficiency

On August 30, 1979, NAMCO Controls notified Bechtel Power Corporation of their determination that the EA180 series limit switches shipped against Bechtel Purchase Order 9645-F36019 (1) EA740-50001 shipped 7/16/79 may have a top gasket which will emit resin vapor, at temperatures above 175° F, which could condense on the normally open contacts possibly causing a switch malfunction. Yarway supplied one NAMCO switch located on a manually actuated valve (Q1C41F008).

II. Safety Implications

The valve in question is used for position indication only and not required for safe shutdown of the plant. If the switch on the valve had failed causing the valve to become inoperable, no effect on the health and safety of the public would have been experienced nor would it adversely affect the safe operations of the plant. Therefore, this condition was determined not reportable per 10 CFR 50.55(e).

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