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Task: Allegations A-81 and A-82

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Characterization: The allegation is that changes were made to N-5 documentation packages without the knowledge of the authorized nuclear inspector ANI after his approval signature.

Assessment of Allegation: The implied significance is that the requirements of the ASME Code, Section III, NA-8000, were not complied with because the completed Code Data Reports were incorrect.

The NRC staff reviewed N-5 data packages for 28 different instrument lines. There was no evidence of changes to N-5 data after the ANI's approval. The NRC did not interview Mercury's ANIs, as they were not available onsite; the staff did however, interview the Ebasco ANI who was not aware of any changes made to N-5 packages after the Mercurys ANIs approval. Three instrument lines were found to have conflicts between the drawings, weld records, and N-5 data. DPT-RC-120/121 (low pressure) N-5 data shows field welds FW-1C, 1D, 51, 61, and 31 which are not on the drawings or final weld records. Field welds FW-47, 56, 57, 72, and 73 are on the drawings and weld records but are not on the N-5 Data Report. DPT-RC-120/121 (high pressure) has FW-30 and 31 on drawings and final weld records but are not on the N-5 Data Report. DPT-RC-124Y (high pressure) shows FW-15 on the N-5 data form but not on the drawing or the final weld records. The NRC staff conducted a walkdown of these three lines that revealed the drawings accurately reflected the installed system. LP&L initiated a Site Surveillance Report to document and follow-up on these discrepancies.

The NRC staff found no evidence of changes to N-5 data having been made after the ANI's approval, and the staff's walkdown of the three lines that had deficiencies in the N-5 data revealed that the hardware installed was accurately reflected on the drawings and supporting QA records. The NRC staff concludes that this allegation has neither safety significance nor generic implications.

Potential Violations: None.

Actions Required: None.

References

1. Operational Control Report (OCR)
OCR-1019, -1020, -1022, -1782, -1881, -1855
2. ASME Code, Section III, NA-8000, 1974 Summer and 75 Addendum.

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