

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OR EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-85-92

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by the Region II staff on this date.

<u>FACILITY:</u> Carolina Power & Light Company	Licensee Emergency Classification:
Brunswick Units 1 & 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification of Unusual Event
Docket Nos. 50-324 and 50-325	<input type="checkbox"/> Alert
Brunswick, North Carolina	<input type="checkbox"/> Site Area Emergency
	<input type="checkbox"/> General Emergency
	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable

Virginia Electric and Power Company
Surry Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. 50-280 and 50-281
Surry, Virginia

General Electric Company
Nuclear Manufacturing Department
Docket No. 70-1113
Wilmington, North Carolina

SUBJECT: ACTIONS IN RESPONSE TO HURRICANE GLORIA

As of 3:00 p.m. today, Gloria was located at latitude 31.8 degrees north and longitude 76.2 degrees west, or about 240 miles south of Cape Hatteras, North Carolina. The hurricane continues to move north northwest at a speed of 15 to 20 miles per hour. The hurricane is expected to gradually turn northward and accelerate its forward movement. The hurricane is projected to move across Eastern North Carolina early Friday morning and proceed up the coast to New England during the day.

Brunswick Unit 1 is in a refueling shutdown. Unit 2 is shutting down and should approach cold shutdown at 8:00 p.m. The licensee is calling in additional staff, some of which will be deployed to the Technical Support Center (TSC), but the TSC is being activated. Region II has health physics and operations personnel at the plant site. An HF radio will be installed.

Surry Nuclear Station, starting at 9:00 p.m. tonight, plans to partially man the Technical Support Center. If the storm continues on its current course VEPCO will consider starting shutdown at 5:00 p.m. Units 1 and 2 are at full power.

The General Electric Nuclear Fuel Manufacturing plant secured operations at 1:00 p.m. today. All staff was dismissed except Emergency Organization personnel, who are manning their emergency center.

Region II will man the Regional Incident Response Center through the night. Media coverage of the storm is ongoing. The States of North Carolina and Virginia are being informed and are periodically updated on the status of the above facilities.

This information is current as of 4:00 p.m. today.

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Applicable Resident Site

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