

August 5, 1985

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-85-75

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.

FACILITY: Virginia Electric and Power Company
North Anna Unit 1
Docket No. 50-338
Mineral, Virginia

Licensee Emergency Classification:
 Notification of Unusual Event
 Alert
 Site Area Emergency
 General Emergency
 Not Applicable

SUBJECT: UNSCHEDULED SHUTDOWN GREATER THAN 48 HOURS

Virginia Electric and Power Company (VEPCO) has taken North Anna Unit 1 out of service for about 14 days to repair steam generator tube leaks and to perform other maintenance.

The unit was shut down at 4:17 a.m. (EDT) on August 2 before leakage in the 1A steam generator exceeded the technical specification limit of 500 gallons per day in a single steam generator. The leakage in the 1A steam generator was calculated at 100 gallons per day.

North Anna Unit 2 is operating at 100 percent power.

VEPCO is prepared to respond to media inquiries.

The Commonwealth of Virginia has been informed.

This information is current as of 11 a.m. today.

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