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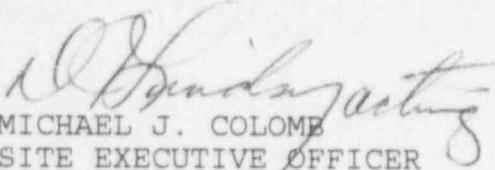
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SUBJECT: OPERATING STATUS REPORT
Reference: DOCKET NO. 50-333

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the James A. FitzPatrick Nuclear Power Plant Operating Status Report for the month of May, 1997.

If there are any questions concerning this report, please contact Yan Gao, System Engineer, at (315) 349-6353.

Very truly yours,


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NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY
JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
AVERAGE DAILY UNIT POWER LEVEL

REPORT MONTH: MAY, 1997

DOCKET NO.: 50-333
UNIT NAME: FITZPATRICK
DATE: June 2, 1997
COMPLETED BY: YAN GAO
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DAY	NET AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL	DAY	NET AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL
1	829	17	748
2	827	18	78
3	829	19	640
4	828	20	816
5	829	21	828
6	829	22	828
7	829	23	828
8	828	24	802
9	829	25	116
10	829	26	0
11	829	27	0
12	829	28	0
13	829	29	0
14	829	30	0
15	829	31	249
16	829		

NEW YORK POWER AUTHORITY
 JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
 UNIT SHUTDOWNS REPORT

REPORT MONTH: MAY, 1997

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 UNIT NAME: FITZPATRICK
 DATE: June 9, 1997
 COMPLETED BY: DAN GAO
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NO.	DATE	TYPE	D U H R O A U T R I S O N	R E A S O N	METHOD OF SHUTTING DOWN THE REACTOR	LICENSEE EVENT REPORT	S Y C S O T D E E M	C O M P O D N E N T	CAUSE AND CORRECTIVE ACTION TO PREVENT RECURRENCE
2	5/25/97	F	141.5	A	2	97-006	RPS	TCV	<p>Bolting for the spring pack on #3 TCV failed. The TCV was in the full open position and could not be closed, because of linkage damage. It was determined that a manual scram immediately followed by a manual turbine trip was the best course of action to safely shutdown the reactor and maintain reactor pressure control.</p> <p>Multi-corrective actions were taken which includes replacing all bolts on TCV and CIVs, an EFE is being performed.</p> <p>Also training was conducted to review the event and its lessons learned.</p>

F: FORCED
 S: SCHEDULED

2 REASON:
 A. EQUIPMENT FAILURE (EXPLAIN)
 B. MAINTENANCE OR TEST
 C. REFUELING
 D. REGULATORY RESTRICTION
 E. OPERATOR TRAINING AND LICENSE EXAMINATION
 F. ADMINISTRATIVE
 G. OPERATIONAL ERROR (EXPLAIN)
 H. OTHER (EXPLAIN)

3 METHOD:
 1. MANUAL
 2. MANUAL SCRAM
 3. AUTOMATIC SCRAM
 4. CONTINUED
 5. REDUCED LOAD
 9. OTHER

4 EXHIBIT G -INSTRUCTIONS
 FOR PREPARATION OF DATA ENTRY
 SHEETS FOR LICENSEE EVENT
 REPORT (LER) FILE (NUREG-0161)

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JAMES A. FITZPATRICK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
NARRATIVE SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE

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The FitzPatrick Plant remained at full power operation for most of the month of May except downpower was commenced on 5/17 to repair hot spot on the "C" phase in the 345KV switchyard and the reactor was manually scrammed on 5/25 to repair No. 3 turbine control valve. The reactor was back to critical at 0640 on 5/30, and the generator was back on line at 0226 on 5/31.