

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE--PNO-I-88-95

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 I staff on this date.

Facility:	Licensee Emergency Classification:
Calvert Cliffs Nuclear Power Plant	___ Notification of Unusual Event
Lusby, Maryland	___ Alert
Docket Nos. 50-317	___ Site Area Emergency
	___ General Emergency
	<u>X</u> Not Applicable

Subject: INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT RESULTING IN DEATH

At approximately 10:00 a.m., September 15, 1988, a licensee employee died from apparent anoxia or drowning. The victim had jumped into a condensate storage tank in efforts to assist a diver who had fallen from an internal ladder before having donned his breathing apparatus while entering the tank for maintenance. The tank is under a nitrogen blanket. The diver was promptly recovered from the tank by a third employee by means of the diver's safety line, administered first aid and evacuated to a local hospital. The victim's body was recovered by state police divers at approximately 1:00 p.m.

The State of Maryland has been notified. The licensee is issuing a press release.

NRC Region I has notified OSHA. The resident inspectors are following licensee investigative efforts and conducting independent inspections.

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