PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-86-19

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: Georgia Power Company

Vogtle Unit 1 Docket No. 50-424 Waynesboro, Georgia Licensee Emergency Classification: Notification of Unusual Event

Alert

Site Area Emergency General Emergency X Not Applicable

SUBJECT: ACCIDENTAL CONSTRUCTION FATALITY

A Georgia Power Company construction employee suffered fatal injuries March 3, 1986 when he fell 40 feet down an elevator shaft in the turbine building. The man was pronounced dead on arrival at the Talmadge Memorial Hospital in Augusta, Georgia.

The employee was attempting to open the elevator door when it suddenly opened.

The licensee has been responding to media inquiries.

The State of Georgia and the federal Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) have been informed.

The NRC (Region II) received initial notification of this event by telephone from the resident inspector on March 3 at 3:40 p.m.

This information is current as of 10:00 a.m. on March 4.

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Regions: BI-1:15, AII -3.52 BI -1:23, PL 4:00

Licensee: 1:25 (Reactor Licensees)

Applicable Resident Site - 1:30

INFO-1:37

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