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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region III
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Subject: Special Report of Inoperable Diesel Fire Pump Due to
Maintenance

Gentlemen:

On April 19, 1988 at 0319 hours with the plant in Mode 6 at 0 percent power the Diesel Fire Pump was removed from service for maintenance and declared inoperable. This maintenance was performed according to Maintenance Work Orders 3-88-1366-01 and 3-88-1378-01. This caused a deliberate entry into Technical Specification Action Statement 3.7.9.1.a which requires the equipment to be returned to service within seven (7) days. The maintenance took longer than expected due to an unanticipated failure of a temperature switch during post maintenance testing which had to be repaired prior to declaring the Diesel Fire Pump operable. The maintenance was completed and the Diesel Fire Pump was returned to service on April 26, 1988 at 1803 hours. This special report is being filed pursuant to Technical Specification 6.9.2 due to the Diesel Fire Pump being inoperable for more than seven (7) days.

During the time that the Diesel Fire Pump was unavailable, the Electric Fire Pump was fully operable. Additionally, the local fire department could have been utilized if conditions had warranted. Therefore, this condition did not have any potential safety significance.

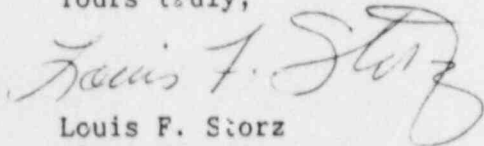
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The Plant Manager will discuss this incident at the Plan of The Day meeting to reemphasize the importance of properly coordinating maintenance for Technical Specification equipment.

Yours truly,



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