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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE--PNO-V-86-11 Date: 3-14-86

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information presented is as initially received, without verification or evaluation and is basically all that is known by Region V staff on this date.

FACILITY: Pacific Gas and Electric
Diablo Canyon Unit 1
Docket No. 275
Docket No. 50-275

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

SUBJECT: SAFETY INJECTION DURING A TURBINE TEST

At approximately 2:28 PM (PST) on March 14, 1986, a Unit 1 safety injection and reactor trip occurred from a high steam flow signal during main turbine testing. Essentially all safety systems functioned as designed, except that the main steam isolation valves did not close as the signal was of insufficient duration to latch the trip relay. The plant was stabilized by 2:45 PM. Reactor pressure was maintained at 2235 psig while reactor coolant system temperature was reduced to about 525°F during the event.

The licensee plans to resume operations once the event has been evaluated and the excess boron removed from the primary system, probably late Saturday or Sunday.

The licensee plans to issue a press release. RV does not, but will respond to any inquiries.

This information is current as of 3:30 PM (PST), March 14, 1986.

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