



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

February 8, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chairman Palladino  
Commissioner Gilinsky  
Commissioner Bradford  
Commissioner Ahearne  
Commissioner Roberts

FROM: William J. Dircks  
Executive Director for Operations

SUBJECT: DAILY STAFF NOTES - FEBRUARY 5, 1982

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1. Niagra Mohawk Power Corporation (Nine Mile Point Unit 1) - Overflow of Sludge Tank Containing Radioactive Water, (PNO-I-82-16).

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1. R. E. Ginna

The ruptured tube in the Ginna steam generator was inspected in May 1981. The ECT results showed that there was 20% penetration (an OD signal) 3 to 6 in. above the tubesheet. The failed tube is in row 42, column 55 which is near the periphery of steam generator. It is located in the "wedge area" of the steam generator. This is the section of the support plates that does not have flow holes. Three of the six previous small leaks that have been experienced have been in that area. There is no sludge pile in that area.

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