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HPCI Removed from Service to Repair Steam Leak in Drain Trap Bypass

The Licensee Event Report for this occurrence is attached. This report contains two new NRC commitments:

It is planned to install a new automatic valve in the steam trap bypass line.

Action will be taken to minimize the potential for leakage from this and other similar carbon steel valves in the HPCI and RCIC steam line drains.

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