

# LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

CONTROL BLOCK: (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION)

1 | L | L | S | C | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5

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REPORT SOURCE: L | 5 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 9

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## EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (10)

On March 21, 1983, with Unit 1 at approximately 65% power, the radwaste discharge PRM was declared inoperable. Since the radiation/chemistry department was double sampling each batch discharge in accordance with T.S. 3.3.7.10, the health and safety of the public was not affected.

SYSTEM CODE: M | C | 11

CAUSE CODE: E | 12

CAUSE SUBCODE: E | 13

COMPONENT CODE: I | N | S | T | R | U | 14

COMP. SUBCODE: E | 15

VALVE SUBCODE: Z | 16

EVENT YEAR: 8 | 3

SEQUENTIAL REPORT NO.: 0 | 2 | 6

OCCURRENCE CODE: 0 | 3

REPORT TYPE: L

REVISION NO.: 0

LER/RO REPORT NUMBER: 17

ACTION TAKEN: E | 18

FUTURE ACTION: X | 19

EFFECT ON PLANT: Z | 20

SHUTDOWN METHOD: Z | 21

HOURS: 0 | 0 | 0 | 0

ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED: Y | 23

NPRD-4 FORM SUBL: N | 24

PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER: A | 25

COMPONENT MANUFACTURER: G | 0 | 8 | 0 | 26

## CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

The cause of the PRM's inoperable status was due to a high fixed level of background radiation. A task force has been formed to resolve the recurring problems associated with the liquid radwaste PRM. Changes in the equipment's design and location are being investigated.

FACILITY STATUS: B | 28

% POWER: 0 | 6 | 6 | 29

OTHER STATUS: NA | 30

METHOD OF DISCOVERY: A | 31

DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION: Observation | 32

ACTIVITY CONTENT RELEASED OF RELEASE: Z | 33

AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY: NA | 35

LOCATION OF RELEASE: NA | 36

PERSONNEL EXPOSURES NUMBER: 0 | 0 | 0 | 37

TYPE: Z | 38

DESCRIPTION: NA | 39

PERSONNEL INJURIES NUMBER: 0 | 0 | 0 | 40

DESCRIPTION: NA | 41

LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO FACILITY TYPE: Z | 42

DESCRIPTION: NA | 43

PUBLICITY ISSUED: N | 44

DESCRIPTION: NA | 45

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- I. LER NUMBER: 83-026/03L-0
- II. LASALLE COUNTY STATION: Unit 1
- III. DOCKET NUMBER: 050-373

IV. EVENT DESCRIPTION:

On March 21, 1983 with Unit 1 at approximately 65% power, the radwaste discharge process radiation monitor was declared inoperable.

V. PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES OF THE OCCURRENCE:

Since the radiation/chemistry department was double sampling each batch discharge in accordance with Technical Specifications 3.3.7.10, the health and safety of the public was not affected.

VI. CAUSE:

The cause of the PRM's inoperable status was due to a high fixed level of background radiation.

VII. CORRECTIVE ACTION:

A task force has been formed to resolve the recurring problems associated with the liquid radwaste PRM. Several high pressure flushes have been tried, but were not considered adequate. Changes in the equipment's design and location are presently being investigated.

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