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Ltr reporting a incident on 2-1-71 in which 300 gallons of liquid was released while the monitor was inoperable.....		Goller w/9 cys for ACTION		2-19-71			
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ENCLOSURES:		Reg File Cy AEC PDR					
		OGC-Rm-P-506-A Compliance (2)					
		H. Price & Staff D. Thompson					
		Morris/Schroeder Skovholt				DO NOT REMOVE ACKNOWLEDGED	
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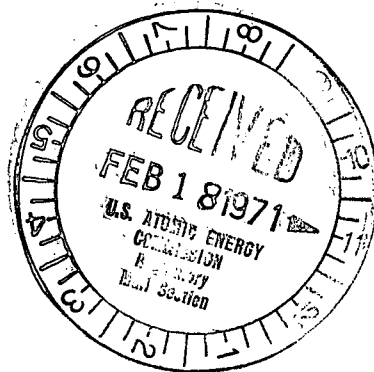
MAIL CONTROL FORM FORM AEC-3265  
(8-60)

# Carolina Power & Light Company

Raleigh, North Carolina 27602

February 9, 1971

Dr. Peter A. Morris  
Division of Reactor Licensing  
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20545



FACILITY LICENSE NO. DPR-23  
DOCKET NO. 50-261

Dear Dr. Morris:

It is reported that Carolina Power & Light Company failed to comply in all respects with the requirements as outlined in Section 3.9.1.4b of the H. B. Robinson Unit No. 2 Technical Specifications.

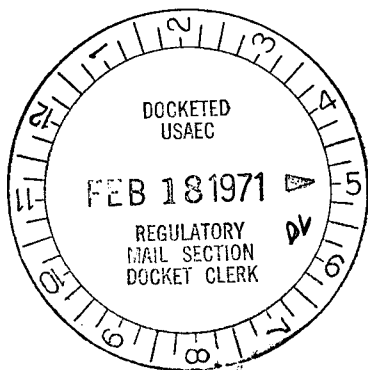
At approximately 1:00 p.m. on February 1, 1971, the radioactive liquid waste release monitor was removed from service during a liquid waste release from a monitor tank. The liquid waste release monitor was removed from service by a technician in anticipation of removing the detector volume chamber for cleaning. Approximately 300 gallons of liquid was released while the monitor was inoperable. Analysis prior to the release and following the unmonitored release were as follows:

	Before	After
Unidentified B-Gamma Micro ci/cc	$3.93 \times 10^{-6}$	$4.24 \times 10^{-6}$
Tritium Micro ci/cc	$1.17 \times 10^{-2}$	$1.11 \times 10^{-2}$

Corrective action consisted of reiterating to all technicians the importance of following in detail administrative procedures requiring coordination with the Shift Senior Operator.

The incident was reported to Compliance, Region II and was the subject of a Plant Nuclear Safety Committee meeting.

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Yours very truly,

*E. E. Utley*  
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Manager

Generation & System Operations