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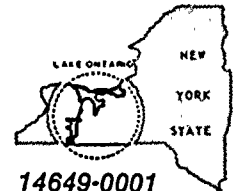
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Subject: Monthly Report for October, 1996
Operating Status Information
R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant
Docket No. 50-244

Dear Mr. Vissing:

Pursuant to Ginna Improved Technical Specifications Section 5.6.4, attached is the monthly operating status report for Ginna Station for the month of October, 1996.

Very truly yours,

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OPERATING DATA REPORT

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DOCKET NO: 50-244

November 11, 1996

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OPERATING STATUS

1. Unit Name: R.E. GINNA NUCLEAR POWER PLANT Notes:
2. Reporting Period: October, 1996
3. Licensed Thermal Power (MWt): 1520
4. Nameplate Rating (Gross MWe): 517
5. Design Electric Rating (Net MWe): 470
6. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Gross MWe): 490
7. Maximum Dependable Capacity (Net MWe): 470
8. If Changes Occur in Capacity Rating (Items Number 3 Through 7) Since Last Report, Give Reason:

9. Power Level to Which Restricted, If Any (Net MWe):

10. Reason For Restrictions, If Any:

	This Month	Yr.-to-Date	Cumulative**
11. Hours In Reported Period	<u>745.0</u>	<u>7320.0</u>	<u>236088.0</u>
12. Number of hours Reactor Was Critical	<u>557.2</u>	<u>5058.6</u>	<u>188725.7</u>
13. Reactor Reserve Shutdown Hours	<u>0.0</u>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>1687.6 *</u>
14. Hours Generator On-line	<u>557.0</u>	<u>4996.5</u>	<u>185745.2</u>
15. Unit Reserve Shutdown Hours	<u>0.0</u>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>8.5 *</u>
16. Gross Thermal Energy Generated (MWH)	<u>794564.0</u>	<u>7235095.0</u>	<u>264098403.0</u>
17. Gross Electrical Energy Generated (MWH)	<u>269792.0</u>	<u>2439960.0</u>	<u>87502460.0</u>
18. Net Electrical Energy Generated (MWH)	<u>256304.0</u>	<u>2318924.2</u>	<u>83066736.2</u>
19. Unit Service Factor (%)	<u>74.8</u>	<u>68.3</u>	<u>78.7</u>
20. Unit Availability Factor (%)	<u>74.8</u>	<u>68.3</u>	<u>78.7</u>
21. Unit Capacity Factor (using MDC Net) (%)	<u>73.2</u>	<u>67.4</u>	<u>75.9</u>
22. Unit Capacity Factor (using DER Net) (%)	<u>73.2</u>	<u>67.4</u>	<u>75.9</u>
23. Unit Forced Outage Rate (%)	<u>25.2</u>	<u>11.3</u>	<u>5.7</u>

24. Shutdowns Scheduled Over Next 6 Months (Type, Date and Duration of Each):

25. If Shutdown At End of Report Period, Estimate Date of Startup:

26. Units In Test Status (Prior to Commercial Operation):

Forecast

Achieved

INITIAL CRITICALITY

INITIAL ELECTRICITY

COMMERCIAL OPERATION

* CUMULATIVE TOTAL COMMENCING JANUARY 1, 1975

** CUMULATIVE TOTAL COMMENCING NOVEMBER 8, 1969

AVERAGE DAILY UNIT POWER LEVEL

DOCKET NO: 50-244

UNIT: R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant

DATE: November 11, 1996

COMPLETED BY: John V. Walden

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MONTH October, 1996

DAY AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL
(MWe-Net)

1.	<u>488</u>
2.	<u>488</u>
3.	<u>488</u>
4.	<u>488</u>
5.	<u>488</u>
6.	<u>490</u>
7.	<u>490</u>
8.	<u>490</u>
9.	<u>492</u>
10.	<u>491</u>
11.	<u>491</u>
12.	<u>491</u>
13.	<u>491</u>
14.	<u>491</u>
15.	<u>492</u>
16.	<u>491</u>

DAY AVERAGE DAILY POWER LEVEL
(MWe-Net)

17.	<u>481</u>
18.	<u>391</u>
19.	<u>393</u>
20.	<u>394</u>
21.	<u>377</u>
22.	<u>389</u>
23.	<u>378</u>
24.	<u>17</u>
25.	<u>-4</u>
26.	<u>-4</u>
27.	<u>-3</u>
28.	<u>-3</u>
29.	<u>-3</u>
30.	<u>-3</u>
31.	<u>-3</u>

INSTRUCTIONS

On this format, list the average daily unit power level in MWe-Net for each day in reporting month. Compute to the nearest whole megawatt.

UNIT SHUTDOWN AND POWER REDUCTIONS

REPORT MONTH October, 1996

DOCKET NO. 50-244

UNIT NAME: R.E. GINNA NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

DATE November 11, 1996

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No.	Date	Type 1	Duration (Hours)	Reason 2	Method of Shutting Down Reactor 3	Licensee Event Report #	System Code 4	Component Code 5	Cause & Corrective Action to Prevent Recurrence
11	10/24/96	F	188.00	A	1	-----	---	-----	Indication of a main transformer hot spot caused a forced shutdown. Replacement of main transformer with spare is in progress.

1

F: Forced
S: Scheduled

2

Reason:
A-Equipment Failure (Explain)
B-Maintenance or Test
C-Refueling
D-Regulatory Restriction
E-Operator Training & License Examination
F-Administrative
G-Operational Error (Explain)
H-Other (Explain)

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Method:
1-Manual
2-Manual Scram.
3-Automatic Scram.
4-Other (Explain)

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Exhibit G - Instructions for Preparation of Data Entry Sheets for Licensee Event Report (LER) File (NUREG-0161)

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Exhibit 1 - Same Source

NARRATIVE SUMMARY OF OPERATING EXPERIENCE

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MONTH October, 1996

The unit began the month at full power. A power reduction of the unit on October 17, 1996 was initiated due to indications of Main Transformer problems. Further investigations determined that a shutdown of the unit was required. A manual shutdown of the unit was completed on October 24, 1996. Change-out of the main transformer with a spare was started with work expected to be completed by mid - November.