

## LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

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EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES

During normal reactor operations, the Operations Supervisor observed that the Containment Air Monitor (CAM) pump would not operate. During this time, flow through the CAM was being properly maintained by drywell to torus  $\Delta P$ . The CAM pump was isolated and removed for overhaul at 0855 hours causing an interruption of flow to the CAM. The CAM was out of service until 1335 when a spare pump was installed and verified operable. This situation was contrary to Tech. Spec. Section 3.6.C.2. Since the Drywell Sump System was operable, continued plant operation was permitted in accordance with Tech. Spec. Section 3.6.C.2. During this event, there were no abnormal leakages detected by the sumps; therefore, the potential consequences to the health and safety were minimal. Similar occurrences were reported as RO 79-14, 77-33, 76-04 and 75-23.

CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTION

The CAM pump is a Conde Milking Machine Company Dri-Air Model No. 6, dry vane positive displacement pump.

Inoperability of the pump was due to the corrosion seizure of the vanes. A spare pump was installed and the failed pump overhauled. An Engineering review is in progress which is expected to lead to improvements of the reliability of the system.

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