

# LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

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

0 1 0 H D B S 1 7 0 0 - 0 0 0 0 0 0 - 0 0 4 1 1 1 1 4 5  
 8 9 14 15 20 26 30 37 43 48

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 7 8 61 68 69 74 75 80

## EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (10)

0 2 (NP-33-81-49) On 7/27/81 at 2255 hours, a reactor operator noticed that the pump for  
 0 3 RE 5030 had tripped. An equipment operator was sent to investigate, restarted the pump  
 0 4 and reported that it appeared to have bad bearings. The pump was shut off, and the  
 0 5 station entered the action statement of T.S. 3.3.3.6. There was no danger to the  
 0 6 public or station personnel. There was no release of radiation, and containment isola-  
 0 7 tion was not breached. The containment atmosphere was monitored by using grab samples;  
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0 9 SYSTEM CODE CAUSE CODE CAUSE SUBCODE COMPONENT CODE COMP SUBCODE VALVE SUBCODE  
 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16  
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 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32  
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 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47  
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 32 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47

## CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

1 0 The cause was a component failure. The pump had last been changed out on 9/3/80, and  
 1 1 it finally reached the point where it wore out and would not pump the required volume  
 1 2 of air. The pump was changed with a new one, and the radiatio monitor was returned  
 1 3 to service. Under Facility Change Request 80-050, a new style pump is to be installed;  
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1 5 FACILITY STATUS POWER OTHER STATUS METHOD OF DISCOVERY DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION  
 1 6 E 1 0 0 NA A Reactor c. rator observation  
 1 7 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

1 8 ACTIVITY CONTENT RELEASED OF RELEASE AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY LOCATION OF RELEASE  
 1 9 Z Z NA NA  
 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

1 10 PERSONAL EXPOSURES NUMBER TYPE DESCRIPTION  
 1 11 3 0 0 2 NA  
 1 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

1 13 PERSONAL INJURIES NUMBER DESCRIPTION  
 1 14 0 0 0 NA  
 1 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

1 16 LOSS OF ORTHANA. TO FACILITY TYPE DESCRIPTION  
 1 17 Z NA  
 1 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

1 19 PUBLICITY NUMBER REACTION  
 1 20 0 NA  
 1 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

1 22 PUBLICITY REACTION  
 1 23 0 NA  
 1 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

TOLEDO EDISON COMPANY  
DAVIS-BESSE NUCLEAR POWER STATION UNIT ONE  
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION FOR LER NP-73-81-49

DATE OF EVENT: July 27, 1981

FACILITY: Davis-Besse Unit 1

IDENTIFICATION OF OCCURRENCE: Containment Post Accident Radiation Monitor RE 5030  
Failure

Conditions Prior to Occurrence: The unit was in Mode 1 with Power (MW) = 2773 and  
Load (Gross MWE) = 911.

Description of Occurrence: At 2255 hours on July 27, 1981, the reactor operator  
noticed that the pump for RE 5030 had tripped. An equipment operator was sent to  
investigate, restarted the pump and reported that it appeared to have bad bearings.  
The pump was shut off, and the station entered the action statement of Technical  
Specification 3.3.3.6 which required no reduction in reactor power, but grab samples  
of containment were taken by Chemistry and Health Physics personnel once every 24  
hours.

Current (amp) readings taken on the motor indicated there was no problem with the  
bearings. Instrument and Control personnel found that the pump would not run due to  
low flow. Adjustments were made and flow was increased enough to enable the pump to  
run, but the normal flow could not be obtained. The pump was changed out with a new  
pump and was then declared operable. Maintenance Work Order 81-2928 was issued to  
change the pump.

Designation of Apparent Cause of Occurrence: The cause of the failure was due to com-  
ponent failure. The pump had last been changed out on September 3, 1980, and it  
finally reached the point where it wore out and would not pump the required volume  
of air.

Analysis of Occurrence: There was no danger to the health and safety of the public  
or to station personnel. At no time was containment isolation breached, and there  
was no release of radiation. The containment atmosphere was monitored by using grab  
samples.

Corrective Action: The pump was changed with a new one, and the radiation element  
was returned to service under Maintenance Work Order 81-2928. A new style pump is to  
be installed under Facility Change Request 80-050 which should solve the repetitive  
pump problem.

Failure Data: Previous occurrences were reported in Licensee Event Reports  
NP-33-78-143 (78-120), NP-33-78-91 (78-075), NP-33-78-111 (78-094), NP-33-78-45  
(78-038), NP-33-78-30 (78-026), and NP-33-81-42 (81-036).

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