

PROMPT REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE

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Office of Inspection and Enforcement
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
631 Park Avenue
King of Prussia, PA 19406FROM: Pilgrim Nuclear Power Sta.
RFD#1, Rocky Hill Road
Plymouth, MA 02360Docket Number 50-293
License DPR-35

Assigned LER Number 82-011/01x-0

Reported per T.S. Section 6.9.B.1.h

Event Description: An administrative review of a water level anomaly, which occurred during reactor startup following the Refuel V Outage determined that PNPS entered an LCO (Table 3.1.1 Note 1.A) without taking the appropriate action which was to initiate insertion of control rods.

Cause and Corrective Action: A reactor shutdown and a half scram which were initiated as a result of this anomaly were inappropriate for addressing the RPS instrumentation. Special Order 82-04 is being developed to prevent recurrence of this event and will be issued on April 28, 1982.

Facility Status:

0 % Thermal MW

c) Routine Startup X
d) Routine Shutdown
e) Steady State
f) Load Changing g) Shutdown
h) Refueling
i) Other
j) Not Applicable

A written followup report will be sent within two weeks.

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