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Unit 2

Docket No. STN 50-499

Revision 1 to Licensee Event Report 92-009  
Missed Technical Specification Required Surveillance  
Due to a Faulty Toxic Gas Monitoring System Modem

- References: 1) Letter to the U. S. NRC from W. H. Kinsey dated  
January 14, 1993 (ST-HL-AE-4309, Unit 2 LER 92-009)
- 2) Letter to the U. S. NRC from W. H. Kinsey dated  
April 2, 1993 (ST-HL-AE-4392, Reply to Notice of  
Violation 9236-01)

Pursuant to 10CFR50.73, Houston Lighting & Power (HL&P) submits the attached revision to Licensee Event Report 93-009 regarding a missed Technical Specification required surveillance due to a faulty Toxic Gas Monitoring System modem. This event did not have an adverse effect on the health and safety of the public.

In the original response to this LER, HL&P committed to revise the operator logs to allow local channel check verification using the printers at the Toxic Gas analyzers as an alternate means if communication problems existed. This method was acceptable on the older Foxboro type analyzers. With the installation of the new Extrel type analyzers, logs can be taken off the local monitor or off the printer if it is set to print. However, when the printer is on and it runs out of paper, the analyzer will lock up. For this reason the printer is normally turned off and the monitor is used to verify analyzer performance when communication problems exist. Therefore, the local monitor will be used instead of the printer for the alternate data collection. This action will prevent the possibility of the printer causing the analyzer to be inoperable. This change is also applicable to the response to Notice of Violation 9236-01 (Reference 2).

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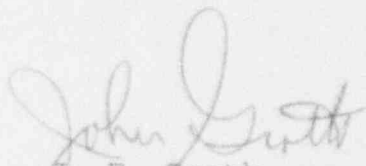
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