

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

CONTROL BLOCK:

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION)

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7 3 9 LICENSEE CODE 14 15 LICENSE NUMBER 25 26 LICENSE TYPE 30 31 CAT 33

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REPORT SOURCE 0 1 2 3 DOCKET NUMBER 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97 98 99

EVENT DESCRIPTION AND PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES (10)

0 2 | Watertight door 17 was found open and broken, preventing closure, while conducting

0 3 | LOS-PF-Q1, quarterly watertight door surveillance. 2A Diesel Generator was declared

0 4 | inoperable. Door 17 separates 2A Diesel cooling water pump from U-2 HPCS Diesel

0 5 | cooling water pump. Since U-2 HPCS Diesel is not required for U-1 operation, flooding

0 6 | of 2A Diesel cooling water pump was highly unlikely. Safe plant operation was main-

0 7 | tained at all times.

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(17) LER/RO REPORT NUMBER 83 23 075 24 26 03 28 29 L 30 31 0 32

ACTION TAKEN		FUTURE ACTION		EFFECT ON PLANT		SHUTDOWN METHOD		HOURS				ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED		NPRD FORM SUB.		PRIME COMP. SUPPLIER		COMPONENT MANUFACTURER				
B	18	G	19	Z	20	Z	21	0	0	0	0	22	Y	23	N	24	Z	25	Z	9	9	9
33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	

CAUSE DESCRIPTION AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS (27)

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1 0	Door 17 could not be closed due to a broken shear pin in the gear mechanism that closes
1 1	the door. The shear pin was broken due to excessive force being applied to the
1 2	closing bar. The door was repaired under W. R. #L25876. An operating procedure
1 3	will be written outlining steps to manually close water-tight doors.

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FACILITY STATUS		% POWER		OTHER STATUS		METHOD OF DISCOVERY		DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION				
1	5	B	28	0	6	6	29	NA	B	31	LOS-PF-01	32

ACTIVITY CONTENT
RELEASED OF RELEASE

AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY (35)

LOCATION OF RELEASE (36)

1 6 Z 33 Z 34 NA NA

PERSONNEL EXPOSURES		TYPE		DESCRIPTION	
NUMBER					
1	0	2	0	37	Z
				38	NA

7	8	9	11	12	13
PERSONNEL INJURIES					
NUMBER			DESCRIPTION (41)		

1 3 0 0 0 40 NA 8308220329 830727
7 8 9 11 12 PDR ADOCK 05000373
LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO FACILITY 47 S PDR
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TYPE		DESCRIPTION
1	9	NA

PUBLICITY		DESCRIPTION		NRC USE ONLY
ISSUED	(45)			
20	N(44)	NA		

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- I. LER NUMBER: 83-075/03L-0
- II. LASALLE COUNTY STATION: Unit 1
- III. DOCKET NUMBER: 050-373
- IV. EVENT DESCRIPTION:

On July 9, 1983 at 1130 hours with LaSalle Unit One in RUN mode with a load of 710 MWE, LOS-PC-Q1, Quarterly Water-Tight Door Surveillance, was being conducted and Division II - Division III water-tight door (Door 17) was found open having a broken shear pin preventing the door from being latched. 2A Diesel Generator was declared inoperable and the 1A Diesel Generator was prepared for a start test.

V. PROBABLE CONSEQUENCES OF THE OCCURRENCE:

Water-tight door 17 would protect the 2A Diesel Generator cooling water pump from flooding in event there was a breaking in the Unit 2 HPCS Diesel cooling water pump piping. Since the Unit 2 HPCS Diesel cooling water pump was not operating at the time and the likelihood of this pump being started up was minimal because Unit 2 HPCS Diesel is not required for Unit 1 operation, the possibility of a break in the cooling water pump piping was minimal. Furthermore, upon receipt of the high priority work request associated with the water-tight door failure, maintenance personnel promptly pinned the door shut manually. The possibility of 2A Diesel Generator being rendered inoperable due to failure of its cooling water pump was minimal. Safe plant operation was maintained at all times.

VI. CAUSE:

Water-tight door 17 could not be closed due to a broken shear pin in the gear mechanism that operates the latching bars. The shear pin was broken due to excessive force applied to the closing bar while closing the door.

VII. CORRECTIVE ACTION:

Division II - Division III water-tight door 17 was repaired under Work Request No. L25876. A procedure will be written outlining steps to be taken to manually close water-tight doors if they cannot be closed by normal mechanical means.

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Dear Sir:

Reportable Occurrence Report #83-075/03L-0 Docket #050-373 is being submitted to your office in accordance with LaSalle County Nuclear Power Station Technical Specification 6.6.B.2.(b), conditions leading to operation in a degraded mode permitted by a limiting condition for operation or plant shutdown required by a limiting condition for operation.

G. J. Diederich
Superintendent
LaSalle County Station

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