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U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission - Region 1
631 Park Avenue
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Attention: Mr. Richard W. Starostecki, Director
Division of Project and Resident Programs

Gentlemen:

NRC COMBINED INSPECTION 83-33 AND 83-33
SALEM GENERATING STATION
NO. 1 AND 2 UNITS
DOCKET NOS. 50-272 AND 50-311

The subject inspection conducted on October 5 to November 9, 1983, identified a violation regarding failure to submit a Licensee Event Report. PSE&G's response to the violation is provided below.

ITEM OF VIOLATION

Technical Specification 6.9.1.9.b requires a thirty day written licensee event report of conditions leading to operation in a degraded mode permitted by a limiting condition for operation (LCO).

Contrary to the above:

No written licensee event report was submitted within thirty days for operation with one of two centrifugal charging pumps, required to be operable by LCO 3.5.2, inoperable as permitted by Action Statement 3.5.2.a from August 15-18, 1983.

REPLY TO ITEM OF VIOLATION:

The failure to submit an Incident Report was due to an oversight on the part of the Shift Supervisor and is considered an isolated incident.

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A. Corrective Steps Taken and Results Achieved

Incident Report 83-190 was written and subsequently LER 83-048/03L was filed on November 4, 1983.

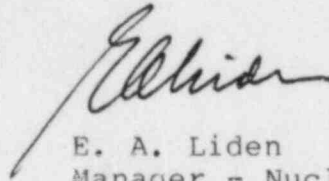
B. Corrective Steps Taken To Avoid Further Violations:

The Shift Supervisor involved was counseled concerning the requirements of submitting Incident Reports on safety-related equipment failures.

C. Date When Full Compliance Will Be Achieved:

We are now in full compliance.

Sincerely,



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Mr. James Linville
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