

LER 76-18/3L  
LICENSEE EVENT REPORT

CONTROL BLOCK: 1 2 3 4 5

[PLEASE PRINT ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION]

LICENSEE NAME: 01 N Y R E G 1 14  
 LICENSE NUMBER: 00 - 000000 - 00 25  
 LICENSE TYPE: 4 1 1 1 1 26  
 EVENT TYPE: 0 3 31 32  
 CATEGORY: 01 CONT 57 58  
 REPORT TYPE: L 59  
 REPORT SOURCE: L 60  
 DOCKET NUMBER: 050 - 0244 61 68  
 EVENT DATE: 070476 69 74  
 REPORT DATE: 071976 75 80

EVENT DESCRIPTION

02 During steady load turbine runback occurred; "B" bank group 2 RCC's G-5 and G-9  
 03 dropped. G-5 and G-9 had dropped on three previous occasions, two of which involved  
 04 water leaks over cabinet. Indication by alarm card was a stationary "A" regulation  
 05 failure. Unit was brought to hot shutdown. Urgent alarm was reset and could not be  
 06 made to recur. (Reportable Occurrence 76-18, 30-day).

SYSTEM CODE: 07 R B 7 8 9 10  
 CAUSE CODE: E 11  
 COMPONENT CODE: C O N R O D 12 17  
 PRIME COMPONENT SUPPLIER: N 43  
 COMPONENT MANUFACTURER: W 1 2 0 44 47  
 VIOLATION: N 48

CAUSE DESCRIPTION

08 NA Based on similar experience at other plants Westinghouse  
 09 recommends replacement of certain fuses, capacitors and resistors in the bank B group  
 10 2 stationary circuitry, and requests the fuses be returned (cont'd. on attached sheet)

FACILITY STATUS: 11 E 7 8 9  
 % POWER: 100 10 12 13  
 OTHER STATUS: NA 44  
 METHOD OF DISCOVERY: a 45  
 DISCOVERY DESCRIPTION: Rod bottom alarm 46  
 FORM OF ACTIVITY RELEASED: 12 Z 7 8 9  
 CONTENT OF RELEASE: Z 10 11  
 AMOUNT OF ACTIVITY: NA 44  
 LOCATION OF RELEASE: NA 45

PERSONNEL EXPOSURES

13 NUMBER: 000 7 8 9 11  
 TYPE: Z 12  
 DESCRIPTION: NA 13

PERSONNEL INJURIES

14 NUMBER: 000 7 8 9 11  
 DESCRIPTION: NA 12

OFFSITE CONSEQUENCES

15 NA 7 8 9

LOSS OR DAMAGE TO FACILITY

16 TYPE: Z 7 8 9 10  
 DESCRIPTION: NA

PUBLICITY

17 NA 7 8 9

8304070560 760719  
 PDR ADOCK 05000244  
 S PDR

ADDITIONAL FACTORS

18 NA 7 8 9

19 7 8 9

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Cause Description (cont'd.)

to Westinghouse for X-ray examination. Required qualified replacement parts will be ordered, and the work will be carried out at the earliest convenient time. The full length rod control system power cabinet is a Westinghouse model no. 916E646G03. CAR 1082 has been issued to document this activity.



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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Director  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
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Subject: Reportable Occurrence 76-18 (30-day report), Drop of two  
control rods  
R. E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant, Unit No. 1  
Docket No. 50-244

Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

In accordance with Technical Specifications, Article 6.9.2b, the attached report of Reportable Occurrence 76-18, 30-day, is hereby submitted. Two additional copies of this letter and the attachment are enclosed.

Very truly yours,

L. D. White, Jr.

Attachment

cc: Dr. Ernst Volgenau (30)  
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