

50-244

MEMO ROUTE SLIP		See me about this.	For concur.	For action.
Form AEC-93 (Rev. May 14, 1947) AECM 40		Note and return.	For signature.	For information.
(Name and unit)	INITIALS	REMARKS		
J. P. O'Reilly CO:HQ		Re: ROCHESTER GAS & ELECTRIC CORPORATION		
	DATE	DOCKET NO. 50-244		
		Attached are the original and three copies of the		
TO (Name and unit)	INITIALS	REMARKS		
		telegraphic report from RG&E which are being forwarded		
	DATE	in accordance with PI 1000/3. The incident was also		
		discussed in Inquiry Memorandum No. 244/70-J.		
TO (Name and unit)	INITIALS	REMARKS		
		2ND LIMITORQUE VALVE FAILURE AT REC		
	DATE	1ST OCCURRED ON 10-4-70		
FROM (Name and unit)	REMARKS			
R. T. Carlson CO:I		US discussed with you on 10/19, plan included a report on the failure of a limitorque valve at RG&E. These failures 10/20		
PHONE NO.	DATE			
X-3944	10/15/70			

USE OTHER SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL REMARKS

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R W KIRKMAN, DIRECTOR REGION ONE DIVN OF COMPLIANCE

USAEC 970 BROAD ST NEWARK NJER

THIS IS TO CONFIRM MY CONVERSATION AT 1600 THIS DATE WITH DOYLE HUNNICUTT IN REGARDS TO A MALFUNCTION OF AN ENGINEERED SAFEGUARD VALVE AT GINNA STATION. THE PLANT WAS BEING BROUGHT UP TO A HOT SHUTDOWN CONDITION AT 0600 THE OPERATOR TRIED TO CLOSE GATE VALVE #851A, THE VALVE CLOSED PARTIALLY AND THEN STOPPED.

INVESTIGATION FOUND THE STEM NUT LOCKING NUT LOOSE ON THE LIMITORQUE OPERATOR. THE LOCK NUT WAS TIGHTENED THE STEM WAS LUBRICATED AND THE VALVE WAS THEN OPERATED SUCCESSFULLY SEVERAL TIMES

CHARLES E PLATT SUPR ROCH GAS AND ELC

1600 0600 #851A LIMITORQUE

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PDR ADOCK 05000244  
S PDR

1310'R/Staff 10/20/70  
RHE  
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