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ZCZC 002 DG PD TDMS CORDOVA ILL 18 316P CDT

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REFERENCE QUAD CITIES NUCLEAR POWER STATION UNIT TWO DPR30
APPENDIX A SECTION 1.A.2 AND 6.6.A.3 AND 6.6.B.3

AT 115PM ON 5-18-72 THE TURNING GEAR MOTOR FAILED ON UNIT
TWO HIGH PRESSURE COOLANT INJECTION SYSTEM AT QUAD CITIES
NUCLEAR POWER STATION. THE REACTOR WAS AT 350 PSIG IN PHASE
THREE OF THE STARTUP TEST PROGRAM WITH THE MODE SWITCH IN
(START/HOT STANDBY) POSITION. THE HIGH PRESSURE COOLER
INJECTION SYSTEM WAS DECLARED INOPERABLE AND THE REACTOR WAS
SHUT DOWN IMMEDIATELY. THIS ABNORMAL OCCURANCE IS REPORTED AS

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