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DEAR DR. MURLEY:

THIS IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH NUREG-0654, APPENDIX I, EVENTS REQUIRING A VERBAL CLOSEOUT OF THE EVENT CONDITIONS TO THE AUTHORITIES NOTIFIED AND A WRITTEN SUMMARY OF CLOSEOUT OR CLASS REDUCTION CONDITION FOR THE "UNUSUAL EVENT" DECLARED ON FEBRUARY 19, 1984. BELOW IS A SUMMARY OF THE SEQUENCE OF ASSOCIATED EVENTS LEADING TO THIS CLASSIFICATION AND CLOSEOUT:

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- 2205 THE 1B ACCUMULATOR (A LOOP) WAS DECLARED OUT OF SERVICE DUE TO PRESSURE DECREASING BELOW THE TECH SPEC REQUIREMENT.
- 2300 INITIATED A LOAD REDUCTION TO HOT SHUTDOWN IN ANTICIPATION OF EXCEEDING THE ONE (1) HOUR LIMIT FOR A SINGLE ACCUMULATOR BEING OUT OF SERVICE.
- 2348 NRC DUTY OFFICER NOTIFIED THAT POWER REDUCTION DUE TO THE INITIATION OF THE NUCLEAR PLANT SHUTDOWN REQUIRED BY TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS HAD BEGUN AT 2300 HOURS. 10CFR50.72(B) (1) (1) (A)

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- 0015 THE SECOND ACCUMULATOR (1A TO THE B LOOP) DECLARED OUT OF SERVICE DUE TO PRESSURE DECREASING BELOW THE TECH SPEC REQUIREMENT.
- 0020 UNUSUAL EVENT DECLARED DUE TO BOTH ACCUMULATORS BEING OUT OF SERVICE. STATE, COUNTY AND NRC DUTY OFFICER NOTIFIED (0100).

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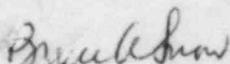
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0410 LEAKING VENT LINE VALVE CAUSING DEPRESSURIZATION OF
THE ACCUMULATORS ISOLATED BY CLOSURE OF A MANUAL VALVE.

0425 BOTH ACCUMULATORS RETURNED TO REQUIRED PRESSURE AND
DECLARED OPERABLE. POWER REDUCTION TERMINATED AT
~30%.

0430 SECURED FROM "UNUSUAL EVENT".

ADDITIONAL DETAILS WILL BE PROVIDED UNDER THE LER
(10CFR50.73) REPORT OF THIS EVENT.


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