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LER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

BFRO-50- 296/ 80032R1 Technical Specification Involved 3.5.F.2

Reported Under Technical Specification 6.7.2.b(2)

Date of Occurrence 8/25/80 Time of Occurrence 1155 Unit 3

Identification and Description of Occurrence:

While performing RCIC steam line space high temperature SI 4.2.B-32, lead wires were accidentally pulled out of the RCIC speed feedback magnetic pickup connector.

Condition Prior to Occurrence:

Unit 1 @ 99%

Unit 2 @ 93%

Unit 3 @ 99%

Action specified in the Technical Specification Surveillance Requirements met due to inoperable equipment. Describe.

HPCI verified operable.

Apparent Cause of Occurrence:

Personnel performing the SI accidentally stepped on the lead wires to the connector.

Analysis of Occurrence:

There was no damage to plant equipment. There was no activity release. no personnel exposure or injury and no danger to the health or safety of the public.

Corrective Action:

Wiring to the connector was repaired. The flex conduit to the connector was wrapped with a bright colored tape for visibility. Installation of protective covers was considered but was determined to be impractical. There have been no similar events since the bright colored tape was installed almost four years ago. Therefore. no further recurrence control is planned.

Failure Data:

BFRO-50-296/700008 and 296/76011

Retention: Period - Lifetime; Responsibility - Administrative Supervisor

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

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Mr. James P. O'Reilly, Regional Administrator
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Dear Mr. O'Reilly:

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY - BROWNS FERRY NUCLEAR PLANT UNIT 3 - DOCKET
NO. 50-296 - FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE DPR-68 - REPORTABLE OCCURRENCE
REPORT BFRO-50-296/80032 R1

The enclosed report provides followup information concerning lead wires
accidentally pulled out of RCIC speed feedback magnetic pickup connector.
This report is submitted in accordance with Browns Ferry Unit 3 Technical
Specification 6.7.2.b.(2).

Very truly yours,

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY


G. T. Jones
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