

LICENSEE EVENT REPORT (LER)

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TITLE (4)

Missed Samples

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OPERATING MODE (9)		THIS REPORT IS SUBMITTED PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF 10 CFR §. (Check one or more of the following) (11)				
1		20.402(b)		20.406(c)		73.71(b)
POWER LEVEL (10)		20.406(a)(1)(i)		50.36(e)(1)		73.71(c)
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LICENSEE CONTACT FOR THIS LER (12)

NAME		TELEPHONE NUMBER	
O.D. Hayes, Operations Superintendent		AREA CODE	
		51014	416141-1311118

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SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT EXPECTED (14)

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ABSTRACT (Limit to 1400 spaces, i.e., approximately fifteen single-space typewritten lines) (16)

ABSTRACT

On March 21, 1985 Waterford 3 was in Mode 3 when several samples of the oxygen and hydrogen concentration in the Gas Decay Tank were not taken as required by Technical Specification 3.2.3.11b.

The event was reported to the Commission pursuant to 10CFR50.36(c)(2)

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NARRATIVE

On March 21, 1985 Waterford 3 Steam Electric Station was in Mode 3 when Instrument and Controls Technicians were troubleshooting the Hydrogen and Oxygen Monitors for the Waste Gas Holdup System Explosive Gas Monitoring System. The monitors had been declared inoperable, and Chemistry Technicians were sampling the onservice Gas Decay Tank in accordance with Technical Specification 3.3.3.11b. At 0830 hours Central Standard Time on March 22, 1985, due to a misunderstanding between Chemistry Technicians and the Control Room Operators, Operations Personnel discovered that several samples had been missed between 1600 hours on March 21, 1985 and 0830 hours on March 22, 1985. Chemistry Technicians immediately sampled the Gas Decay Tank and found the hydrogen and oxygen concentrations to be within the limits of the Technical Specification.

SAFETY CONSEQUENCES AND IMPLICATIONS

Although three oxygen samples and one hydrogen sample were missed, the samples taken both before and after the time in question indicated that both the hydrogen and oxygen concentration were within the required limits.

CORRECTIVE ACTION

In order to prevent misunderstandings in the future, Chemistry Technicians have been instructed to contact either the Control Room Supervisor or the Shift Supervisor before discontinuing sampling.

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SIMILAR EVENTS

NONE

PLANT CONTACT

C.D. Hayes, Operations Superintendent, 504/464-3118



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ATTENTION: Document Control Desk
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: Waterford 3 SES
Docket No. 50-382
License No. NPF-38
Reporting of Licensee Event Report

Dear Sirs:

Attached is Licensee Event Report Number LER-85-011-00 for the Waterford 3
Steam Electric Station. This Licensee Event Report is submitted per
10CFR50.73(a)(2)(i)(B).

Very truly yours,

K.W. Cook
Nuclear Support & Licensing Manager

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Attachment

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