

October 23, 1985

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE PNO-II-85-99

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by the Region II staff on this date.

FACILITY: Georgia Power Company  
Vogtle Units 1 and 2  
Docket Nos. 50-424 & 50-425  
Waynesboro, Georgia

Licensee Emergency Classification:  
☐ Notification of Unusual Event  
☐ Alert  
☐ Site Area Emergency  
☐ General Emergency  
☒ Not Applicable

SUBJECT: BOMB THREAT AGAINST INDIVIDUAL WORKER

Georgia Power has informed Region II that the telephone operator for a construction company on site received a telephoned threat at 2:05 p.m. (EDT) yesterday from an individual who said he would "blow up" a general carpentry laborer assigned to the turbine building area. The caller, who identified himself as a recently terminated worker, said he intended to take this action at an off-site convenience store in retaliation for having been identified as a drug user. The caller further said he brought gasoline and gunpowder on site on October 18, but that his intended victim failed to report to work that day.

Plant security searched the turbine building and general area from 4:45 to 5:20 p.m. yesterday. Deputies from the Burke County (Georgia) sheriff's office searched the convenience store. No bomb or gunpowder was found in either location.

Vogtle Unit 1 is approximately 80 percent complete, and Unit 2 is about 55 percent complete. No fuel is on site.

Region II has informed the Information Assessment Team and the State of Georgia.

Georgia Power is prepared to respond to media inquiries.

This information is current as of noon today.

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