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SUBJECT: LER 91-002-00:on 910326, main stream safety valves out of tolerance. Caused by minor setpoint drift. Affective valve adjusted & valve tested to verify setpoint to be within required tolerance.W/910423 ltr.

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Pursuant to Surry Power Station Technical Specifications, Virginia Electric and Power Company hereby submits the following Licensee Event Report for Unit 2.

<u>REPORT NUMBER</u>

91-002-00

This report has been reviewed by the Station Nuclear Safety and Operating Committee and will be reviewed by the Corporate Management Safety Review Committee.

Very truly yours,

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1.0 DESCRIPTION OF THE EVENT

On March 26, 1991, with Unit 2 at 75% power during end of fuel cycle coast down, setpoint testing of the fifteen Main Steam Code Safety Valves [EIIS-SB,RV] revealed that the lift setting of 2-MS-SV-205B was outside of the \pm 3% "as found" range allowed by Surry's Technical Specifications. The valve exhibited a lift setting of 1097 psig, 3.3% below its nominal value (1135 psig). This event is reportable pursuant to 10CFR50.73(a)(2)(i)(B) for conditions prohibited by Technical Specifications 3.6.A, 3.6.B.3 and 3.6.D.

2.0 SIGNIFICANT SAFETY CONSEQUENCES AND IMPLICATIONS

The Main Steam Code Safety Valves are provided to prevent overpressure conditions in the secondary side of the steam generators and to ensure residual heat removal capability by relief of steam to atmosphere if the main condenser and steam generator power operated relief valves are unavailable. Since the "as found" setting was below the nominal lift setpoint, the valve would open earlier than anticipated by the accident analysis but above the setpoint of the steam generator power operated relief valve (1035 psig). Therefore, the low safety valve lift setpoints did not increase the probability of excessive blowdown and had no impact on the accident analysis. Because the safeties would have performed their safety function, the health and safety of the public were not affected.

3.0 <u>CAUSE OF THE EVENT</u>

The Main Steam Safety Valve experienced a minor setpoint drift which can be expected under normal operating conditions. Although the specific cause of this setpoint drift is not known, its occurrence is well documented in the industry and is not considered to be abnormal.

4.0 IMMEDIATE CORRECTIVE ACTION(S)

The affected valve was adjusted to within $\pm 1\%$ of the required setpoints.

5.0 ADDITIONAL CORRECTIVE ACTION(S)

The valve was tested three times to verify lift setpoint to be within its required tolerance and based upon evaluations of the test data, it was determined that no additional testing or maintenance was required.

6.0 <u>ACTIONS TO PREVENT RECURRENCE</u>

None.

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7.0 SIMILAR EVENTS

Unit 1 LER 86-016-00, "B" Main Steam Safety Valve Setpoints.
Unit 1 LER 90-011-00, Main Steam Safety Valves Out of Tolerance Due to Minor Setpoint Drift.

8.0 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dresser 6" inlet, 10" outlet safety relief valve, Type 3707RA-RT21 (2-MS-SV-205B).

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VERIFICATION OF ACCURACY

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