

Point Beach Nuclear Plant 6610 Nuclear Rd., Two Rivers, WI 54241

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Gentlemen:

DOCKET 50-266 LICENSEE EVENT REPORT 97-017-00 CONTAINMENT HATCH TEMPORARY THIRD DOOR BLOCKED OPEN DURING REFUELING OPERATIONS POINT BEACH NUCLEAR PLANT, UNIT 1

Enclosed is Licensee Event Report 97-017-00 for Point Beach Nuclear Plant, Unit 1. This report is provided in accordance with 10 CFR 50.73(a)(2)(i), "Any operation or condition prohibited by the plant's Technical Specifications " This report describes a violation of plant Technical Specifications wherein a review discovered that the temporary third door for the Unit 1 containment hatch was blocked open during refueling operations during the 1992 refueling outage. This cordition is prohibited by Technical Specifications.

If you require additional information, please contact us.

Sincerely,

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