

1 Q. Page 14, lines 1-2: Please confirm when the Unit 2 reheater pressure safety valve
2 stopped working as required.

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5 A. This safety valve has been lightly passing steam whenever the unit has been loaded
6 to approximately 150 MW or above during this past operating season. The
7 condition has been mitigated with the boiler reheater tube related derate of the
8 unit to 120 MW this past winter, below the 150 MW threshold. The passing of
9 steam through the valve will continue to worsen with time until full functional
10 failure occurs which would force the unit off line. The valve's components were
11 confirmed obsolete by the valve's service contractor in July 2015, requiring the
12 valve to now be replaced for reliability before the 2016/2017 winter season.