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Sept 15, 1970

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Sept 15, 1970

On Sept. 5, 1970, 12am - 8am shift, the Mook's Run substation was energized for the first time since the explosion of Nov. 20, 1968. The electrician (name withheld by request) reported that while reenergizing the substation he found evidence to indicate that the Fremco fan alarm system for Mook's Run fan had been rendered inoperative before the explosion. The fan alarm system had been bridged with jumper wires; therefore when the fan would stop or slow down, there was no way of anyone knowing about it because the alarm signal was bypassed. This information was reported to me Sept 15, 1970.

L. L. Lacey

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