Genkai Unit 3: Small steam leak was detected from the air purge pipe of the secondary system

Kyushu Electric Power Company confirmed a small steam leak from the air purge pipe of the deaerator in the secondary system of Genkai Nuclear Power Plant Unit 3, which is PWR type and rated electric output 1.18 million, around 19 o'clock on March 30. Genkai Nuclear Power Plant Unit 3 was under periodical inspection, resumed power generation on March 25 this year, and adjusted operation with 75% electricity output at that time.

Since the small steam leak was confirmed, it was decided that the load would be dropped from the electric output of 75% to stop power generation as soon as it becomes ready and inspections will be conducted as a precaution.

There is no radiation influence on the environment by this event.

Kyushu Electric Power Company will continue to implement each process carefully, taking safety first as a top priority.

Attachment

Genaki Unit 3 System Diagram

Genkai Nuclear Power Plant Unit 3 System Outline

