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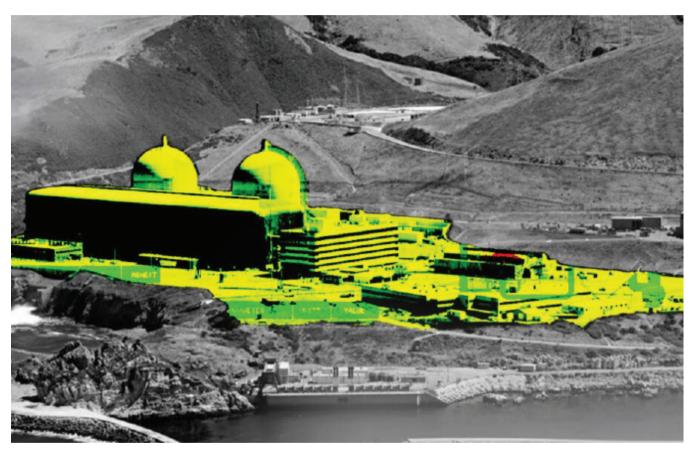
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SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA Explosion Rocks Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant

On May 6, 1995, Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, was shaken to its core. An unexplained explosion occurred in the liquid transfer silos, leaving experts highly concerned about the safety of the facility.

The explosion, which took place in the early morning hours, was caused by an inexplicable exchange within the plutonium liquid transfer system. The silos, designed to safely manage and transfer liquid materials within the plant, suddenly became the epicenter of a catastrophic event.

Plant operators were alerted to the issue when sensors detected a temperature spike upwards of 88 psi higher than normal pressure levels in one of the silos. Before



they could fully assess the situation, a massive explosion rocked the plant, sending a glowing bright green plume of smoke into the air and triggering an immediate emergency response.

Fortunately, but unfortunately, the explosion happened during skeleton hours and the only employee in and around the epicenter was Kevin Flynn - a lead nuclear fuel supply manager. He is under medical care, but currently stable.

Despite extensive analysis, the exact nature of the "green plume" remains a mystery. Engineers have been unable to pinpoint the specific factors that led to the explosion, leading to speculation about the possibility of a previously unknown chemical interaction

or an unexpected flaw in the plant's design.

The incident has prompted a comprehensive review of safety protocols at Diablo Canyon, with officials working around the clock to ensure that such an event cannot happen again. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has also launched its own investigation, aiming to

determine the root cause of the explosion.

Though the affected area has been secured, and will remain under observation, the long-term implications of the explosion are still unclear, but one thing is certain: the May 6, 1995, incident has left a glowing mark on Mr. Flynn and the history of Diablo Canyon.