

N287. Surrogate Video Tour

There is a new video "game" at Browns Ferry Nuclear Plant (BFN). The objective of the game is to avoid entering the RCA and by doing so maintain your exposure ALARA.

The name of this "game" is surrogate tour. The player sits at one of the work stations and selects the area he or she wishes to view using a computer mouse. The photographs are then sequentially displayed providing an illusion of "walk" through the plant.

The surrogate tour system is a very valuable gadget for saving dose to radworkers. Jobs can be "scoped" without entering the RCA and without any dose. The system has already proven it's value to plant management on numerous occasions during the recent U2C6 outage of BFN. This system has given outage management a view of plant equipment they may have never seen before, thus expediting their decisions which saves time, dose and money.

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