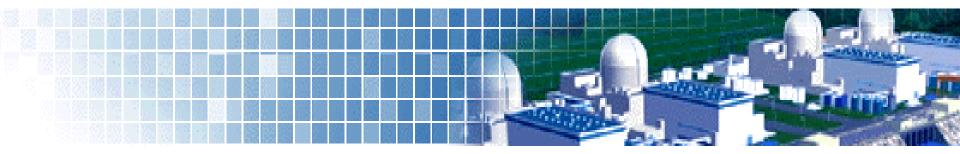
Improvements of ADR System

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Ulchin NPP units 5&6



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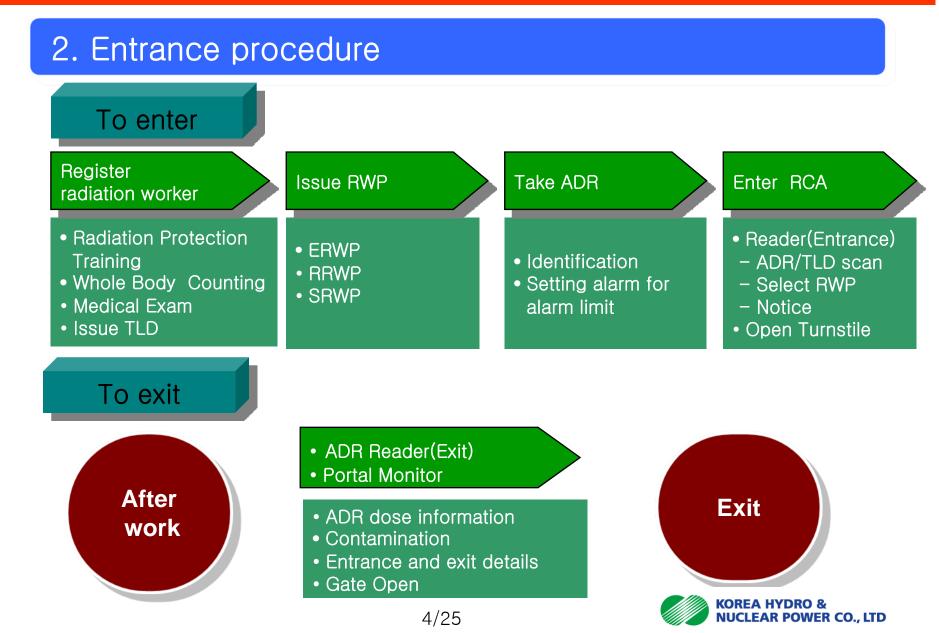
I . Brief Overview of ADR System

1. Main function of ADR(Automatic Dose Reader) Sys.

Access Management Of Radiological Controlled area	Worker's information
	Entrance date
	ADR, TLD No. etc
Management of RWP	ERWP (Extended Radiation Work Permit)
	RRWP (Regular Radiation Work Permit)
	SRWP (Specific Radiation Work Permit)
Radiation dose management	Personnel dose management
	Collective dose management
	Regular dose management



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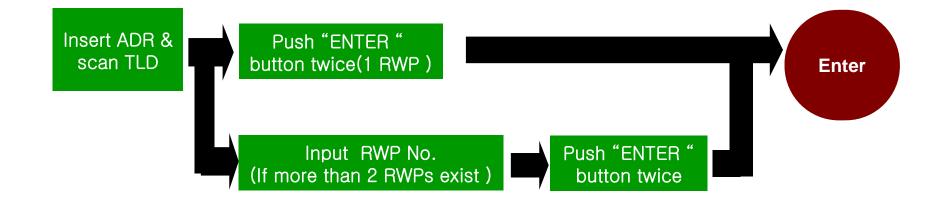
3. ADR(Automatic Dose Reader) Function

Picture	Characteristic	
	 Direct reading(real time reading) Displaying dose , dose rate Generating audible & visual alarms 	



$\boldsymbol{\Pi}$. Existing problems

1. Inconvenience and confusions due to multi-access steps for entrance





2. User's inconvenience due to inputting RWP No.



Ex) RWP No. : 2010-5-E-0069

3. Occurrence of system errors with turnstile (In 2006)



Turnstile error : 72 times (reading error of photo sensor)



Communication error: 56 times (Between Reader and PC)



4. RWP No. input errors (if more than 2 RWPs exist)

- Inaccurate dose statistics with allocated tasks due to input errors on RWP No.
 - During O/H in 2006 : 540 times (#5: 293, #6: 247)
 - Operation period in 2006 : 56 times (#5: 37, #6: 19)
- Man power lost to correct RWP No. errors

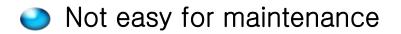


5. Increasing purchase costs Difficulties in operation & maintenance

Manufacturer : foreign supplier

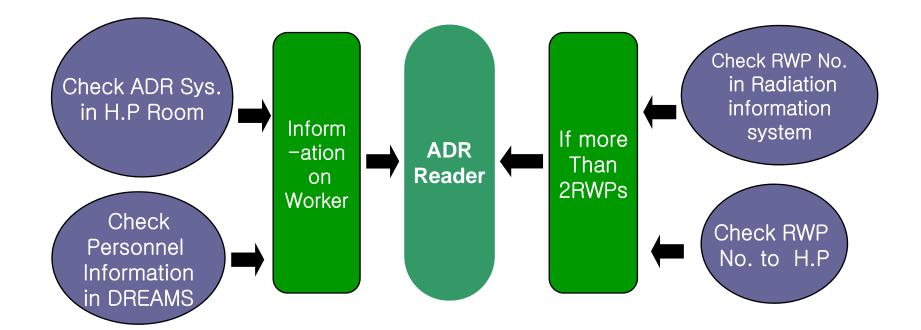
Purchase costs Increase due to <u>a monopolistic*</u> supplier

* <u>a monopolistic</u>: in business it tries to control as much of an industry as it can and does not allow fair competition.(독점적인)





6. LCD (4 Lines, 20 Characters per line) was too small to display all the information that workers need to know





Existing LCD picture(old model)





7. ADR System errors(turnstile & data transmission)

Turnstile sensors sometimes were not recognized exactly.

Using the hardwire cable between PC and Reader caused

many data transmission errors.



$\rm III.$ Lessons learned from the use of ADR Sys.

1. To reduce ADR system failures and errors

2. To be convenient for users to access

3. Easy maintenance and cutting costs

 New ADR System has been adopted from March, 2007



IV . Contents of improvements

1. Simplifying steps for easy access

Before	After
Scan ADR & TLD	Same as "Before"
Push "ENTER" button twice	None
 Confirm RWP No. and input RWP No. (if more than 2 RWPs exist) 	Select the RWP shown on the touch screen
Enter radiological controlled area	Enter radiological controlled area

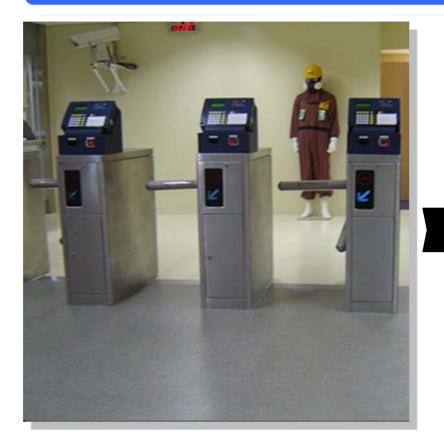


2. Redesign of displaying system for additional information about radiation worker

Before	After	
 None. but worker's RWP	 Developed program to display most	
No.	of information on the wide LCD screen – Worker's radiation dose history – Protective equipments requirement – RWP, WBC, etc.	



Redesign small LCD to the wide touch screen









RWPs & Individual information on worker





Specific requirements and notices for radiation safety

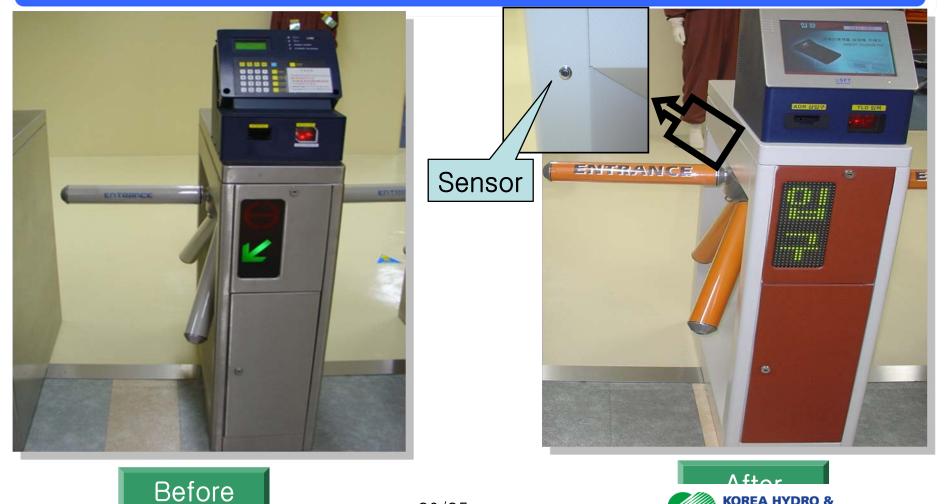
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3. Making system error and failure to zero

Before	After
4 sensors inside turnstile	 Added 2 photo sensors for exact acknowledge
 Use of a hardwire cable between PC and Reader 	Changed to LAN



No access errors after adding photo sensors





4. Convenience of maintenance & Cost reduction

Before	After
 Difficulties in repair and normalization of ADR system because of foreign supplier Caused the price of ADR system and spare parts to keep being high 	 Localization of ADR system resulted in prompt maintenance supports from domestic supplier and decreased purchase price including cost for maintenance



V. Effects

1. Enhancement of system reliability

ltem	Before (2006)	After (2007~2010)
System communication error	12	0
Turnstile sensor error	18	0
Input error of RWP No.	56	0



V. Effects(Cont.)

2. Cost reduction

Ulchin units 5, 6 (for ten years)

(Unit: US\$)

ltem	Purchas	Cost	
	Before	After	Reduction
 Cost of purchase ADR system S/W(1set) ADR reader(20ea) 	50,000 360,000	7,200 260,000	42,800 100,000
Cost of Maintenance	100,000	50,000	50,000
Total	510,000	317,200	192,800

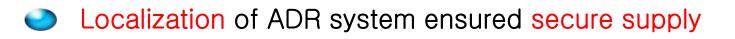
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3. Additional effects

User's satisfaction due to simplified access step through ADR sys.

Enhanced efficiency of radiation safety management by providing prompt information for radiation safety

No extra man power to correct the input errors, i.e. RWP No.





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