



## POWER PLANT ACCIDENT



**Date Of Incident: February 2010**

**Location : US**

### **Description of the accident**

A huge explosion rocked a gas-fired power plant in the northeastern US state of Connecticut Sunday. The facility is a gas-fired power plant belonging to the Kleen Energy Systems Company. A large amount of gas was believed to be in storage at the site, where as many as 100 people were believed to be working. One eyewitness as saying the blast created a "massive ball of fire 40 to 50 feet into the air".

### **No. of persons Injured:**

Five

### **Potential Root Cause:**

A gas pipeline was said to have exploded and flames were seen shooting out of it.

The explosion was believed to have happened during a test of generating systems at the 620 megawatt gas-fired power station.

### **Lessons Learnt:**

No comments as of now.

**SEED express its deepest condolence and pray the god to look after the families of the workers.**



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