



#### Note

- A watchdog failure, soft reset or nRST event resets  $t_{nRST\_TOG}$  to default value of typically 2 ms
- The typical time between the release of a nRST input pulse for device to enter restart mode is ~ 200 ns

**Figure 8-40. Entering Restart Mode**

#### 8.4.6.1 Restart Counter

This counter is programmed by register 8'h28[7:4] which sets the number of times restart can be entered before transitioning to sleep or fail-safe mode, up to 14 times but should be programmed for greater than 1 to avoid possible loops. The default value is 4. Register 8'h28[3:0] is the counter. To prevent the transition to sleep or fail-safe mode, the counter should be cleared periodically. Entering sleep mode or fail-safe mode due to a meeting the restart counter automatically clears the restart counter.

#### 8.4.6.2 nRST Behavior in Restart Mode

The nRST output pin behavior depends upon the reason the device entered restart mode. When entered from other modes due to a watchdog failure, soft reset or an external nRST toggle, the nRST pin is pulled low for  $t_{nRST\_TOG}$  which is a default pulse width of 2 ms. This pulse width can be configured to 15 ms by changing register 8'h29[5] = 1b. In pin control, the pulse width on nRST is always nominally 15 ms for a watchdog failure. Once the timer expires, the device enters standby mode. From power up, sleep and certain fail-safe modes, the nRST behaves like the  $UV_{CC}$  event, pulling nRST low until  $V_{CC} > UV_{CC}$  and  $t_{RSTN\_act}$  times out. See [Figure 8-41](#) on how the nRST pin behaves when entering restart mode.

The nRST pin is also a TLIN1431x-Q1 reset input which transitions the device into restart mode when the pin is pulled low for  $t_{nRSTIN}$ .