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Subject: INSPECTION, TEST, AND OPERATING STATUS

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1.0 INDICATION OF STATUS

The requirements of this section apply to engineered items and do not apply to scientific investigations. The status of inspection and test activities are identified either on the items or in documents traceable to the items where it is necessary to assure that required inspections and tests are performed and to assure that items which have not passed the required inspections and tests are not inadvertently installed, used, or operated. Status indicators provide for indicating the operating status of systems and components of the facility, such as by tagging valves and switches, to prevent inadvertent operation.

2.0 METHODS OF INDICATING STATUS

Status is maintained through indicators, such as physical location and tags, markings, travelers, stamps, inspections records, or other suitable means. Procedures describing status indicators and their use contain current actual examples of each type indicator.

3.0 APPLICATION AND REMOVAL OF STATUS INDICATORS

The authority for application and removal of status indicating tags, markings, labels, and stamps is specified in procedures governing inspection, test, and operating status.