

gaseous release rates to within the values specified in 3.9.B.1 and 3.9.B.2 above shall be operable.

5. The maximum activity to be contained in one waste gas decay tank shall not exceed 11,400 Ci at Unit 1 and 16,500 Ci at Unit 2 (i.e. equivalent Xe-133 curies).
6. When it has been projected that the quarterly release of airborne radioactive effluents will exceed 12.5% of the limits specified in Specification 3.9.B.3, the appropriate equipment shall be used and procedures followed to significantly reduce airborne effluent activity.
7. When the release of radioactive gases exceeds 50% of the limits specified in Specification 3.9.B.3, the licensee shall report such as per Section 6.12.2.b.5 of the Technical Specifications.

Basis

Although it is expected that annual releases of liquid radioactive effluents will not result in exceeding a small fraction of the concentration limits of 10CFR20, Appendix B, Table II, Column 2, Specification 3.9.A.1 permits the flexibility of operation, compatible with considerations of health and safety, to assure that the public is provided a dependable source of power under unusual operating conditions which may result in releases higher than the design objective levels.