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Alloy X-750 (ASME SB637 N07750) is specified in Table 4.5-2 of the DCD for clevis insert bolts and springs, and as an option for the guide tube support pins. The staff notes that the resistance of Alloy X-750 to stress corrosion cracking is dependent on processing and heat treatment requirements. The staff requests that the applicant discuss the processing and heat treatment requirements for Alloy X-750 clevis insert bolts and guide tube support pins that are specified in Table 4.5-2, and discuss the adequacy of this processing and heat treatment to minimize the possibility of stress corrosion cracking. Also, please discuss any operating history of Alloy X-750 in these applications that may provide evidence that this alloy is sufficiently resistant to stress corrosion cracking in these applications.