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TO THE

RADIOLOGICAL EMERGENCY PLAN ANNEX

FOR

THREE MILE ISLAND NUCLEAR STATION

EP-AA-1009

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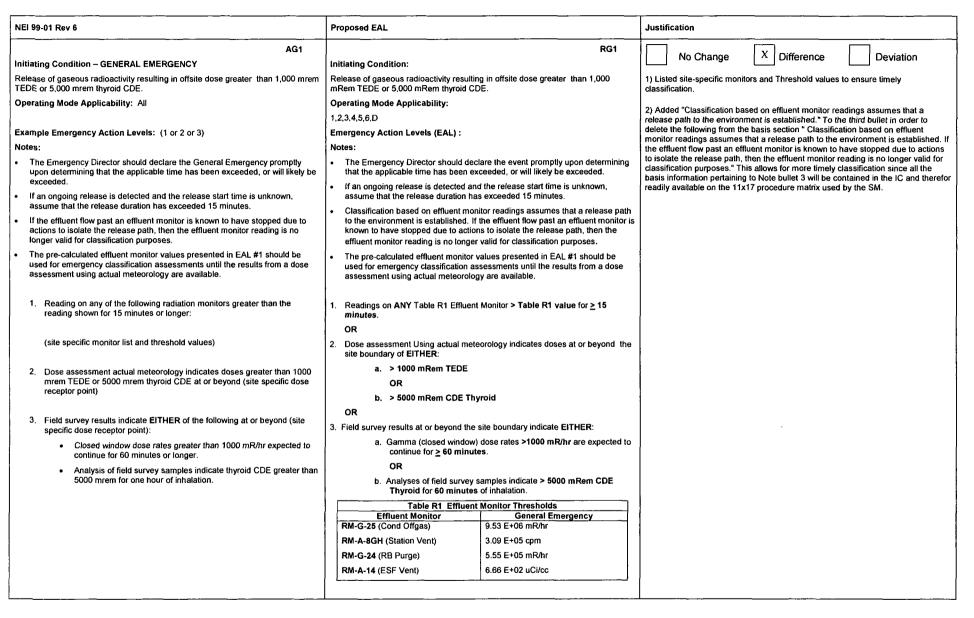
NEI 99-01 REVISION 6 DEVELOPMENT OF EMERGENCY ACTION LEVELS FOR NON-PASSIVE REACTORS

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NEI 99-01 Rev 6	Proposed EAL	Justification
AS1	RS1	No Change X Difference Deviation
Initiating Condition – SITE AREA EMERGENCY	Initiating Condition:	
Release of gaseous radioactivity resulting in offsite dose greater than 100 mrem TEDE or 500 mrem thyroid CDE.	Release of gaseous radioactivity resulting in offsite dose greater than 100 mRem TEDE or 500 mRem thyroid CDE.	 Listed site-specific monitors and Threshold values to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability: All	Operating Mode Applicability:	
	1,2,3,4,5,6,D	2) Added "Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL) :	release path to the environment is established." To the third bullet in order to delete the following from the basis section " Classification based on effluent
Notes:	Notes:	monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established. If
 The Emergency Director should declare the General Emergency promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded. 	 The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. 	the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes." This allows for more timely classification since all the
 If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, 	 If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, assume that the release duration has exceeded 15 minutes. 	basis information pertaining to Note bullet 3 will be contained in the IC and therefor readily available on the 11x17 procedure matrix used by the SM.
assume that the release duration has exceeded 15 minutes.	Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the emission of the estimate of the effluent for a effluent for the e	
 If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes. 	to the environment is established. If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.	:
 The pre-calculated effluent monitor values presented in EAL #1 should be used for emergency classification assessments until the results from a dose assessment using actual meteorology are available. 	 The pre-calculated effluent monitor values presented in EAL #1 should be used for emergency classification assessments until the results from a dose assessment using actual meteorology are available. 	
 Reading on any of the following radiation monitors greater than the reading shown for 15 minutes or longer: 	 Readings on ANY Table R1 Effluent Monitor > Table R1 value for > 15 minutes. 	
	OR	
(site specific monitor list and threshold values)	Dose assessment using actual meteorology indicates doses at or beyond the site boundary of EITHER:	
2. Dose assessment actual meteorology indicates doses greater than 1000	a. > 100 mRem TEDE	
mrem TEDE or 5000 mrem thyroid CDE at or beyond (site specific dose receptor point)	OR	
	b. > 500 mRem CDE Thyroid	
3. Field survey results indicate EITHER of the following at or beyond (site	OR	
specific dose receptor point):	3. Field survey results at or beyond the site boundary indicate EITHER:	
 Closed window dose rates greater than 100 mR/hr expected to continue for 60 minutes or longer. 	 Gamma (closed window) dose rates >100 mR/hr are expected to continue for <u>></u> 60 minutes. 	
 Analysis of field survey samples indicate thyroid CDE greater than 	OR	
500 mrem for one hour of inhalation.	 Analyses of field survey samples indicate > 500 mRem CDE Thyroid for 60 minutes of inhalation. 	
	Table R1 Effluent Monitor Thresholds	
	Effluent Monitor Site Area Emergency RM-G-25 (Cond Offgas) 9.53 E+05 mR/hr	
	RM-A-8GH (Station Vent) 3.09 E+04 cpm	
	RM-G-24 (RB Purge) 5.55 E+04 mR/hr	
	RM-A-14 (ESF Vent) 6.66 E+01 uCi/cc	

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Initiating Condition – ALERT	Initiating Condition:			e L	Dillerence	L	Deviation
Release of gaseous or liquid radioactivity resulting in offsite dose greater than 10 mrem TEDE or 50 mrem thyroid CDE.	Release of gaseous or liquid radioactivity r mrem TEDE or 50 mrem thyroid CDE.	esulting in offsite dose greater than 10					sure timely classification
Operating Mode Applicability: All	Operating Mode Applicability:						s assumes that a release in order to delete the
	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D		following from the ba	sis section	"Classification base	d on e	ffluent monitor readings
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL) :		assumes that a relea past an effluent mon				hed. If the effluent flow
Note:	Note:		release path, then th	effluent n	nonitor reading is no	longe	r valid for classification
 The Emergency Director should declare the Alert promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. 	The Emergency Director should dec determining that the applicable time exceeded.	clare the event promptly upon has been exceeded, or will likely be		let 3 will b	e contained in the IC		all the basis information herefor readily available
 If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, assume that the release duration has exceeded 15 minutes. 	 If an ongoing release is detected and th that the release duration has exceeded 	e release start time is unknown, assume 15 minutes.	3) Calculations were 99-01 revision 6 EAL				guidance provided in NE or response for a
 If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes. 	path to the environment is establish	hitor readings assumes that a release ed. If the effluent flow past an effluent o actions to isolate the release path, then r valid for classification purposes.	radioactive liquid rele The release would co thyroid CDE at the si	ase and a ntain activ e boundar	WGDT release via the ity equivalent to provide y. The calculation de	he nor vide 10 etermir	mal site release pathway Omrem TEDE or 50mrem ted the effluent monitor range and as such, IAW
 The pre-calculated effluent monitor values presented in EAL #1 should be used for emergency classification assessments until the results from a dose assessment using actual meteorology are available. 		es presented in EAL #1 should be used for until the results from a dose assessment	NEI 99-01 Rev 6 gui				
 Reading on any of the following radiation monitors greater than the reading shown for 15 minutes or longer: 	minutes. OR 2. Dose assessment using actual meteoro	t Monitor > Table R1 value for > 15					
(site-specific monitor list and threshold values)	boundary of EITHER: a. > 10 mRem TEDE OR						
 Dose assessment actual meteorology indicates doses greater than 10 mrem TEDE or 50 mrem thyroid CDE at or beyond (site specific dose receptor point) 	 b. > 60 mRem CDE Thyroid OR 3. Analysis of a liquid effluent sample indica would result in doses greater than EITHE 						
3. Analysis of a liquid effluent sample indicates a concentration or release rate that would result in doses greater than 10 mrem TEDE	boundary a. 10 mRem TEDE for 60 minu OR						
or 50 mrem thyroid CDE at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point) for one hour of exposure.	b. 50 mRem CDE Thyroid for 6 OR	0 minutes of exposure					
 Field survey results indicate EITHER of the following at or beyond (site specific dose receptor point): 	 Field survey results at or beyond the site t a. Gamma (closed window) dose continue for ≥ 60 minutes. 	boundary indicate EITHER: rates > 10 mR/hr are expected to					
 Closed window dose rates greater than 10 mR/hr expected to continue for 60 minutes or longer. 	OR b. Analyses of field survey sam Thyroid for 60 minutes of inhal	ples indicate > 50 mRem CDE lation.					
Analysis of field survey samples indicate thyroid CDE greater than	Table R1 Effluent Mc	onitor Thresholds					
50 mrem for one hour of inhalation.	Effluent Monitor	Alert					
	····· (· ··· ···8···)	9.53 E+04 mR/hr					
		3.09 E+03 cpm					
		5.55 E+03 mR/hr					
	RM-A-14 (ESF Vent)	6.66 E+00 uCi/cc					

Example Emergency Action Levels: Example Emergency Action Levels: Exampl	Initiating Condition GENERAL EMERGENCY Spent fuel pool level cannot be restored to at least (site-specific Level 3 description) for 60 minutes or longer . Operating Mode Applicability: All Example Emergency Action Levels: NOTES: The Emergency Director should declare the General Emergency promptly upon determining that 60 minutes has been exceeded.
1. Spent fuel pool level cannot be restored to at least (site-specific Level 3	

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AS2 Initiating Condition – SITE AREA EMERGENCY Spent fuel pool level cannot be restored to at least (site-specific Level 3 description) Operating Mode Applicability: All Example Emergency Action Levels: 1. Spent fuel pool level cannot be restored to at least (site-specific Level 3 description)	Proposed EAL RS2	No Change X Difference Deviation 1) EAL not used in accordance with the discussion in Section 1.4, NRC Order EA-12-051, it is recommended that this EAL be implemented when the enhanced spent fuel pool level instrumentation is available for use. The completion of the enhanced SFP level indicators and need for the inclusion of this EAL is being tracked in accordance with Exelon Generation Corpany, LLC's Initial Status Report to March 12, 2012 Commission Order Modifying Licenses with Regard for Reliable Spent Fuel Pool Instrumentation (Order Number EA-12-051) dated October 25, 2012.

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AA2

Significant lowering of water level above, or damage to, irradiated fuel.

Operating Mode Applicability: All

Initiating Condition – ALERT

Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3)

- 1. Uncovery of irradiated fuel in the REFUELING PATHWAY.
- 2. Damage to irradiated fuel resulting in a release of radioactivity from the fuel as indicated by ANY of the following radiation monitors:

(site-specific listing of radiation monitors, and the associated readings, setpoints and/or alarms)

3. Lowering of spent fuel pool level to (site-specific Level 2 value).

Initiating Condition:

Significant lowering of water level above, or damage to, irradiated fuel.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,D

Emergency Action Levels (EAL) :

1. Uncovery of irradiated fuel in the REFUELING PATHWAY.

OR

 Damage to irradiated fuel resulting in a release of radioactivity from the fuel as indicated by ANY Table R1 Radiation Monitor reading >1000 mRem/hr

RA2

Table R2 Radiation Monitors						
RMS	Area Monitored	Mode				
RM-G-9	FHB Bridge Rad Monitor	ALL				
RM-G-6	RB Auxiliary Bridge Rad Monitor	5, 6				
RM-G-7	RB Main Bridge Rad Monitor	5, 6				

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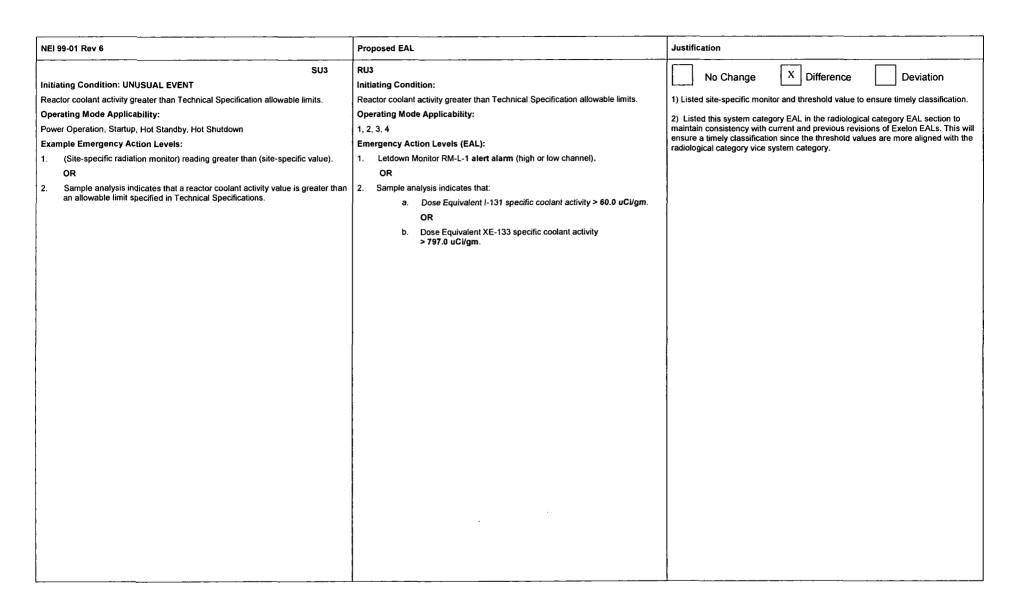
1) Listed site-specific monitors and Threshold values to ensure timely classification.

2) EAL #3 not used in accordance with the discussion in Section 1.4, NRC Order EA-12-051, it is recommended that this EAL be implemented when the enhanced spent fuel pool level instrumentation is available for use. The completion of the enhanced SFP level indicators and need for the inclusion of this EAL is being tracked in accordance with Exelon Generation Company, LLC's Initial Status Report to March 12, 2012 Commission Order Modifying Licenses with Regard for Reliable Spent Fuel Pool Instrumentation (Order Number EA-12-051) dated October 25,2012.

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NEI 99-01 Rev 6	Proposed EAL			Justification	
AU2			RU2	X No Change	Difference Deviation
Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT	Initiating Conditio	n:			Dimerence
UNPLANNED loss of water level above irradiated fuel	UNPLANNED loss	of water level above irradiated fuel			
Operating Mode Applicability: All	Operating Mode A	opplicability:		1) Listed site-specific leve	l indication and monitors to ensure timely classification.
	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D				
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action	n Levels (EAL) :			
1. a. UNPLANNED water level drop in the REFUELING PATHWAY as indicated by ANY of the following:	1. a. UNPLAN	NNED water level drop in the REFUELIN	G PATHWAY.		
(site-specific level indications).	AND b. UNPLAN monitor	NNED Area Radiation Monitor reading ris s in Table R2.	e on ANY radiation		
AND					
b. UNPLANNED rise in area radiation levels as indicated by ANY of the		Table R2 Radiation Monitors			
following radiation monitors.	RMS	Area Monitored	Mode		
(site-specific list of area radiation monitors)	RM-G-9	FHB Bridge Rad Monitor	ALL		
	RM-G-6	RB Auxiliary Bridge Rad Monitor	5, 6		
	RM-G-7	RB Main Bridge Rad Monitor	5, 6		
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AA3 Initiating Condition – ALERT Radiation levels that impede access to equipment necessary for normal plant operations, cooldown or shutdown. Operating Mode Applicability: All Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2) Note: If the equipment in the listed room or area was already inoperable, or out of service, before the event occurred, then no emergency classification is warranted 1. Dose rate greater than 15 mR/hr in ANY of the following areas: • Control Room • Central Alarm Station • (other site-specific areas/rooms)	Initiating Condition: Radiation levels that impede access to operations, cooldown or shutdown. Operating Mode Applicability: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,D Emergency Action Levels (EAL) : Note: If the equipment in the room or or out of service, before the even warranted 1. Dose rate greater than 15 mR/		perable, fication is	X 1) Liste	No Change	nt rooms	Difference and areas with ident	Deviation
 An UNPLANNED event results in radiation levels that prevent or significantly impede access to any of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas with entry-related mode applicability identified) 	OR 2. UNPLANNED event results in I impede access to any of the fo	I Room n Station – (by survey) radiation levels that prohibit or significan lowing Table R4 plant rooms or areas: Table R4 Related Mode Applicability				·		
	Area Reactor Building* Intermediate Building* Auxiliary Building* Fuel Handling Building*	Entry Related Mode Applicability Modes 4, 5, and 6 Modes 4, 5, and 6 Modes 4, 5, and 6 Modes 4, 5, and 6 establish shutdown cooling						

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NEI 99-01 rev 6 Fission Product Barrier Matrix

Fission Product			_			Hot Matrix	
GNERAL EMER	GENCY		SITE AREA EMERGENCY		ALERT		
FG1 Loss of any	two barriers AND Loss or Potential Loss of	of third barrier. 1,2,3,4	FS1 Loss or Potential Loss of ANY two	barners. 1,2,3,4	FA1 ANY Loss or ANY Potential Loss of	either Fuel Clad or RCS 1,2,3,4	
	FC – Fuel C lad		RC - Reactor Coolant System	RC – Reactor Coolant System			
Sub-Category	Loss Potential Loss		Potential Loss Potential Loss		Loss	Potential Loss	
1. RCS or SG Tube Leakage	None	A. RCS/reactor vessel level less than (site-specific level).	A. An automatic or manual ECCS (SI) actuation is required by EITHER of the following: a. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage OR b. SG tube RUPTURE.	A. Operation of a standby charging (makeup) pump is required by EITHER of the following: a. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage OR b. SG tube leakage. OR B. RCS cooldown rate greater than (site specific pressurized thermal shock criteria/limits defined by site specific indications)	A leaking or RUPTURED SG is FAULTED outside of containment.	None	
2. Inadequate Heat Removal	A. Core exit thermocouple readings greater than (site specific temperature value)	 A. Core exit thermocouple readings greater than (site specific temperature value) OR B. Inadequate RCS heat removal capability via steam generators as indicated by (site specific indications). 	None	A. Inadequate RCS heat removal capability via steam generators as indicated by (site specific indications).	None	 A. 1. (site specific criteria for entry into core cooling restoration procedure) AND 2. Functional Restoration Procedures not effective in < 15 minutes. 	
3 RCS Activity/ Containment Radiation	 A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (site specific value) OR B. (Site specific indications that reactor coolant activity is greater than 300 uCi/gm dose equivalent I-131). 	None	A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (site specific value)	None	None	A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (site specific value)	
4.Containment Integrity or Bypass	None	None	None	None	A Containment isolation is required AND EITHER of the following: 1. Containment integrity has been lost based on Emergency Director judgement. OR 2. UNISOLABLE pathway from containment to the environment exists. OR B Indication of RCS leakage outside of containment	 A. Containment pressure greater than (site specific value) OR B. Explosive mixture exists inside containment. OR C. 1. Containment pressure greater than (site specific value) AND 2. Less than one full train of (site specific equipment) is operating per design for >16 minutes. 	
5. Emergency Director Judgment	A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.	A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.	A. ANY Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the RCS Barner.	A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the RCS Barrier.	A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Containment Barrier.	A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergenc Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Containment Barrier.	

Proposed Fission Product Barrier Matrix

Hot Matrix GNERAL EMERG		SITE	AREA EMERGENCY	ALERT		
	two barriers AND Loss or Potential Loss		Loss or Potential Loss of ANY two barrie		NY Loss or ANY Potential Loss of either F	uel Clad or RCS 1234
Sub-Category	FC – F	uel Clad	RC – Reactor (Coolant System	CT - Con	tainment
	Loss	Potential Loss	Loss	Potential Loss	Loss	Potential Loss
1. RCS or SG Tube Leakage	None	 RCITS hot leg instruments indicate 0 inches after lowering trend. AND In-core thermocouples are unavailable. AND ALL RCP's are secured. 	 Automatic or manual ESAS actuation is required by EITHER of the following: a. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage OR b. Steam Generator tube RUPTURE. 	 UNISOLABLE RCS leakage >150gpm. OR HPI-PORV Cooling in effect. OR a. RCS Pressure > 2450 psig. AND b. RCS Pressure not lowering 	1. SG tube leakage > 150gpm AND 2. SG is FAULTED outside of containment.	None
2. Inadequate Heat Removal	1. T _{cial} > 1400°F	2. > 25°F Superheat OR 3. HP-PORV Cooling in effect.	None	HPI-PORV Cooling in effect.	None	1. T _{clad} ≥ 1800°F. AND 2. EOP Restoration procedures <u>not</u> effective in < 15 minutes.
3. Containment Radiation / RCS Activity	1. Containment radiation monitor (RM-G- 22 or RM-G-23) reading > 1.95E+03 R/hr. OR 2. Coolant activity > 300uCl/gm Dose Equivalent (-131	None	Containment radiation monitor (RM-G-22 or RM-G-23) reading > 25 R/hr.	None	None	Containment radiation monitor (RM-G- RM-G-23) reading > 4.40E+03 R/hr.
4. Containment Integrity or Bypass	None	None	None	None	 Containment isolation is required and EITHER of the following: UNPLANNED lowering in containment pressure or rise in radiation monitor readings outside of containment in the Emergency Directors judgment indicate a loss of containment indicate a loss of containment indicate a loss of containment ondiate a loss of containment of UNISOLABLE pathway from containment to the environment exists, OR Indication of RCS leakage outside of containment 	3. Reactor Building Pressure > 55 psig and rising. OR 4. Hydrogen Concentration in Containment ≥ 4%. OR 5. a. Reactor Building pressure > 30 psig AND b. Reactor Building Emergency cooling is less than ANY one of I following conditions: SPRAY COOLERS 2 0 0 3 1 1
5. Emergency Director Judgment	1. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.	2. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.	1. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the RCS Barner.	2. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the RCS Barrier.	1. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Containment Barrier.	2. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Containment Barrier.



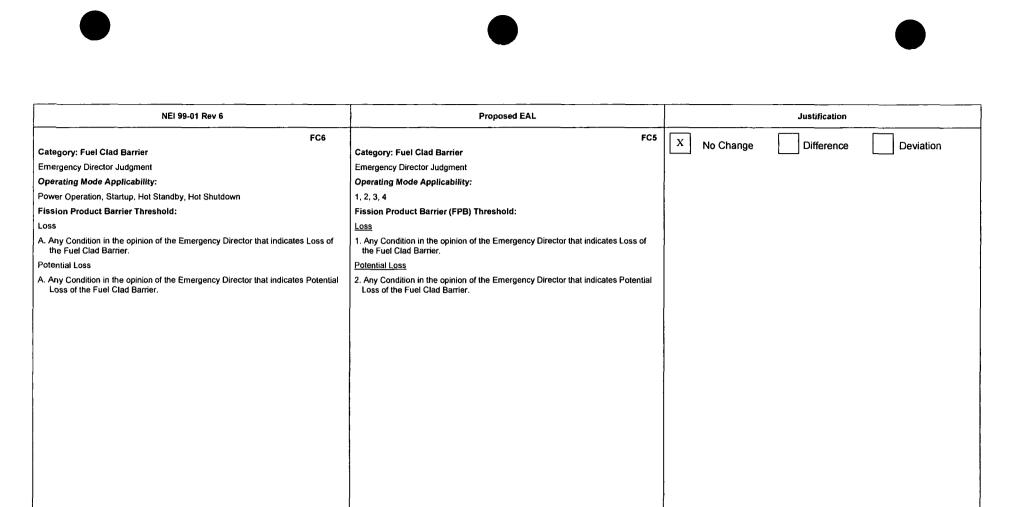


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FC1	FC1	X No Change Difference Deviation
Category: Fuel Clad Barrier	Category: Fuel Clad Barrier	
RCS or SG tube leakage	RCS or SG tube leakage	1) Listed site-specific threshold value to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
ission Product Barrier Threshold:	Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:	
Potential Loss	Potential Loss	
A. RCS/reactor vessel level less than (site-specific level).	1. RCITS hot leg instruments indicate 0 inches after lowering trend.	
	AND	
	2. In-core thermocouples are unavailable. AND	
	3. ALL RCP's are secured.	· .

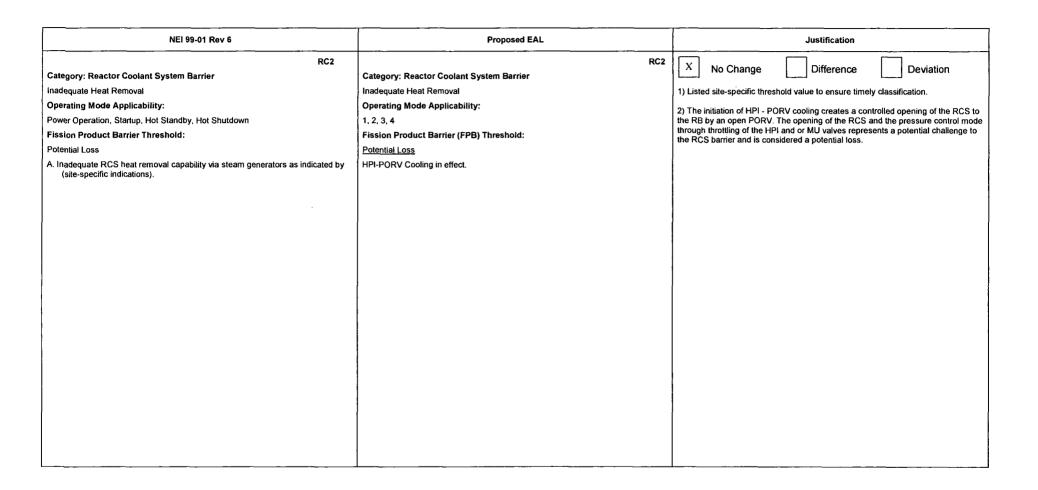
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FC2	FC2	X No Change Difference Deviation
ategory: Fuel Clad Barrier	Category: Fuel Clad Barrier	X No Change Difference Deviation
nadequate Heat Removal	RCS Activity	1) Listed site-specific threshold value to ensure timely classification.
perating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 Potential Loss #3, The initiation of HPI - PORV cooling creates a controlled
ower Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	opening of the RCS to the RB by an open PORV. This is indicative of the stea
ission Product Barrier Threshold:	Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:	generators inability to remove heat from the RCS and represents a potential challenge to the FC barrier and is considered a potential loss.
055	Loss	
. Core exit thermocouple readings greater than (site-specific temperature value).	1. T _{ctad} > 1400°F	
otential Loss	Potential Loss	
. Core exit thermocouple readings greater than (site-specific temperature value). OR	2. > 25°F Superheat OR	
. Inadequate RCS heat removal capability via steam generators as indicated by (site-specific indications).	3. HPI-PORV Cooling in effect.	
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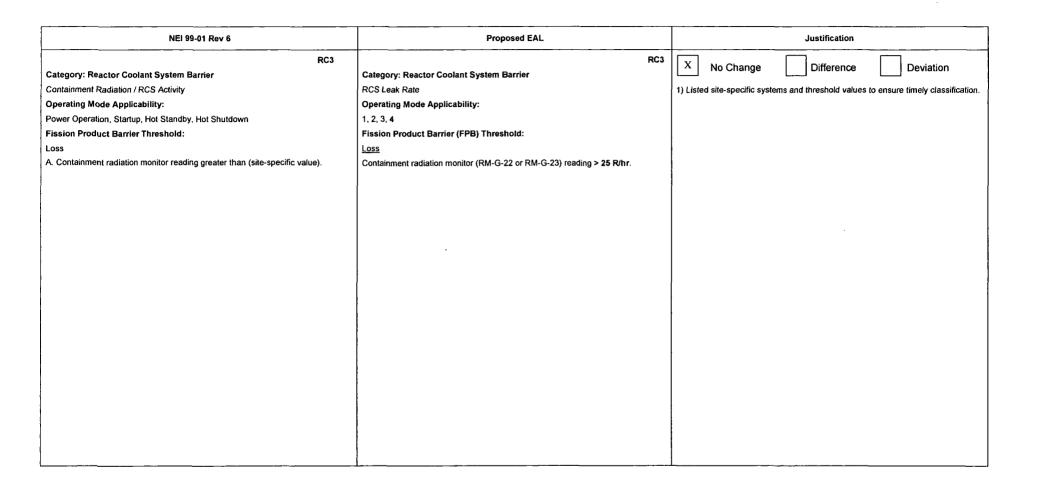
NEI 99-01 Rev 6	Proposed EAL	Justification
FC3	FC3	X No Change Difference Deviation
Category: Fuel Clad Barrier	Category: Fuel Clad Barrier	
Containment Radiation / RCS Activity	Containment Radiation / RCS Activity	1) Listed site-specific monitor and threshold value to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
Fission Product Barrier Threshold:	Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:	
Loss	Loss	
 A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (site-specific value). OR 	 Containment radiation monitor (RM-G-22 or RM-G-23) reading > 1.95E+03 R/hr. 	
 B. (Site-specific indications that reactor coolant activity is greater than 300 μCi/gm dose equivalent I-131). 	OR 2. Coolant activity > 300uCi/gm Dose Equivalent I-131	

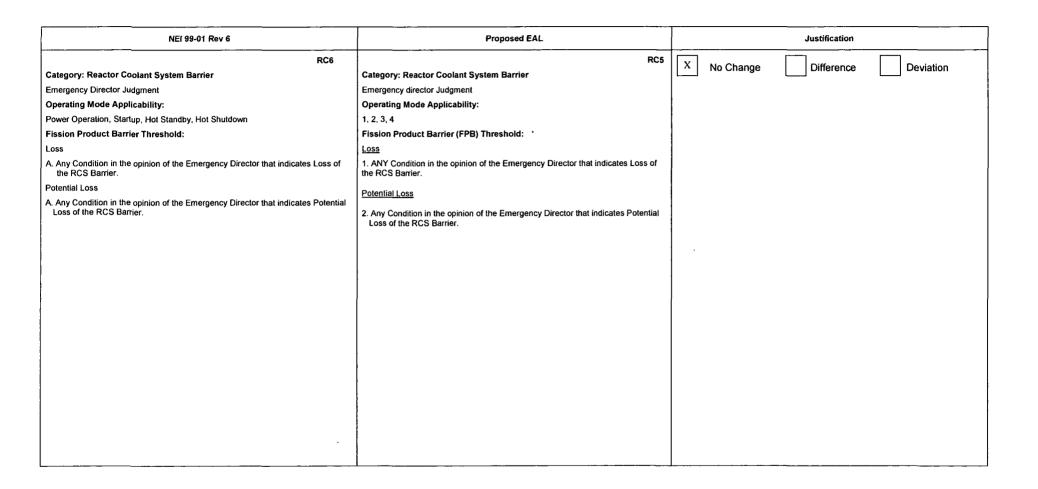
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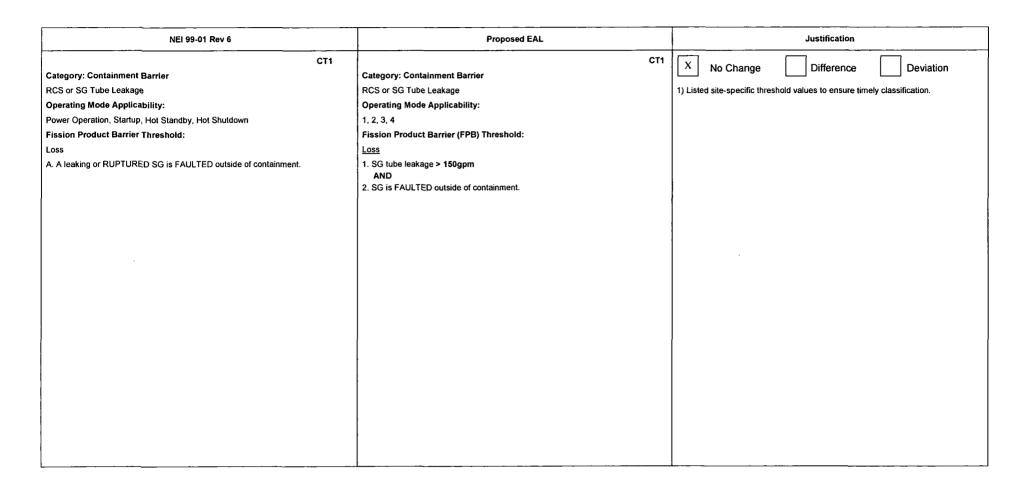


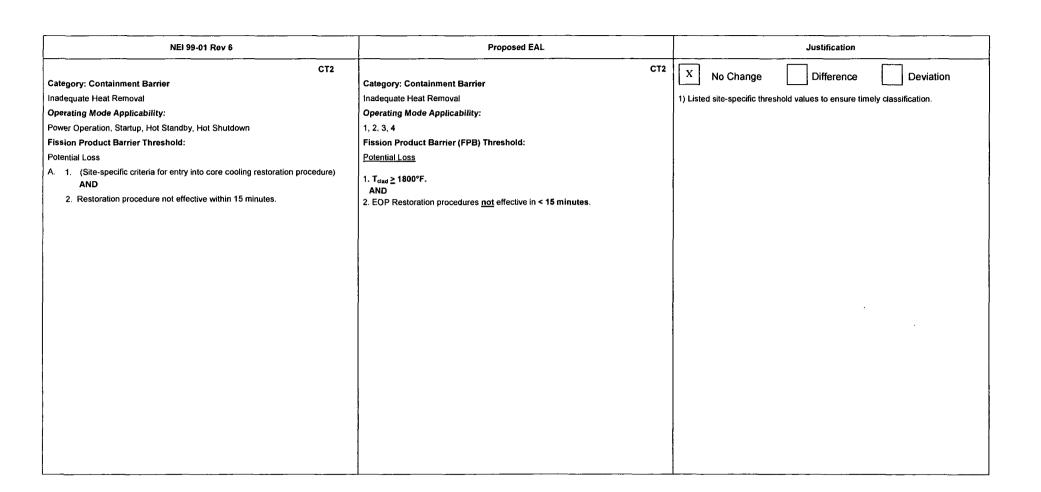
NEI 99-01 Rev 6	Proposed EAL	Justification
RC1 Category: Reactor Coolant System Barrier RCS or SG Tube Leakage Operating Mode Applicability: Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown Fission Product Barrier Threshold: Loss A. An automatic or manual ECCS (SI) actuation is required by EITHER of the following: 1. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage OR 2. SG tube RUPTURE. Potential Loss A. Operation of a standby charging (makeup) pump is required by EITHER of the following: 1. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage OR 2. SG tube leakage. OR 8. RCS cooldown rate greater than (site-specific pressurized thermal shock criteria/limits defined by site-specific indications).	RC1 Category: Reactor Coolant System Barrier RCS or SG Tube Leakage Operating Mode Applicability: 1, 2, 3, 4 Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold: Loss 1. Automatic or manual ESAS actuation is required by EITHER of the following: a. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage OR b. Steam Generator tube RUPTURE. Potential Loss 2. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage > 150gpm. OR 3. HPI-PORV Cooling in effect. OR 4. a. RCS Pressure > 2450 psig. AND b. RCS Pressure not lowering.	No Change X Difference Deviation 1) Listed site-specific threshold value to ensure timely classification. 2) Potential loss threshold #2 is based on the inability to maintain normal liquid inventory within the RCS by normal operation of the Make Up System, when one Make Up Pump is discharging to the charging header. The need for a second Make Up Pump is discharging to the charging header. The need for a second Make Up Pump is discharging to the charging header. The need for a second Make Up Pump or the use of the high capacity makeup rate would be indicative of a substantial RCS leak. 120 gpm is the nominal capacity of each Make Up Pump. However, 150 gpm (high makeup flow alarm setpoint) was selected because it is more easily recognized by the operator which will result in a more timely declaration than performing a calculation. 2) Potential Loss #3, The initiation of HPI - PORV cooling creates a controlled opening of the RCS to the RB by an open PORV. The opening of the RCS and the pressure control mode through throttling of the HPI and or MU valves represents a potential challenge to the RCS barrier and is considered a potential loss. 3) Potential Loss #4. The pressurizer code safety valves will open between 2450 psig and 2510 psig(allowance for set pressure and Code Safety valve accumulation). This is the design limit for the RCS and well within tested values (2750 psig). If the RCS heatup is able to keep the presurizer code safety valves open with pressure either increasing or cycling then the RCS shall be considered a potential breach. 4) The proposed EAL provides the Operators with a clear and easily recognizable entry condition for this EAL without altering the intent of the EAL. The usage of the specified thresholds would ensure timely declaration should this event occcur.

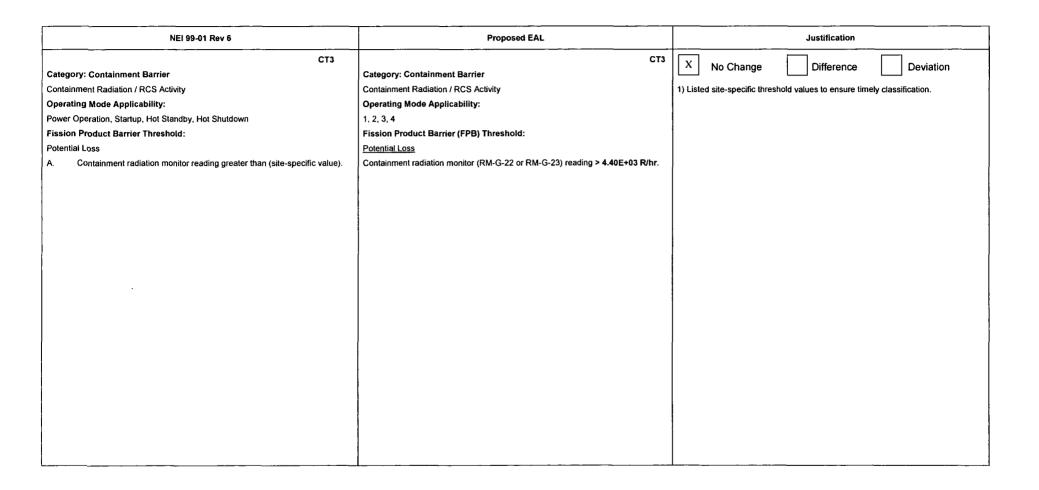


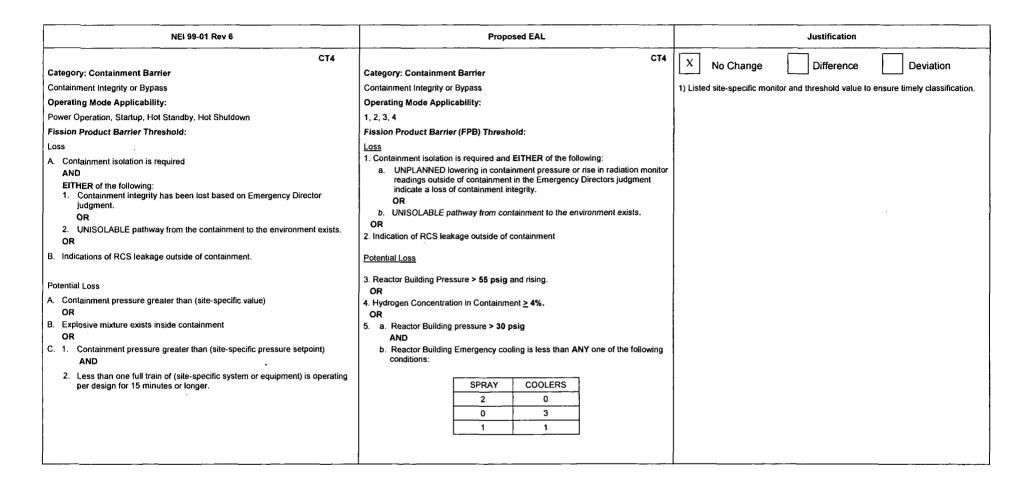














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Стб	CT5	X No Change Difference Deviation
Category: Containment Barrier	Category: Containment Barrier	
Emergency director Judgment	Emergency Director Judgment	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
Fission Product Barrier Threshold:	Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:	
Loss	Loss	
A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Containment Barrier.	1. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Containment Barrier.	
Potential Loss	Potential Loss	
A. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Containment Barrier.	2. Any Condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Containment Barrier.	





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Initiating Condition: GENERAL EMERGENCY	MG1	
	Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Prolonged loss of all offsite and all onsite AC power to emergency buses.	Prolonged loss of all offsite and all onsite AC power to emergency buses.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 Listed site specific equipment, site specific time based on station blackout coping analysis, and site specific indication to ensure timely classification.
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Note: The Emergency Director should declare the General Emergency promptly upon determining that (site-specific hours) has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	
a. Loss of ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC power to (site-specific emergency buses).	1. Loss of ALL offsite AC power to Emergency 4KV buses. AND	
AND	2. Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses.	
b. EITHER of the following:	AND	
 Restoration of at least one emergency bus in less than (site-specific hours) is not likely. 	 EITHER of the following: a. Restoration of at least one Emergency 4KV bus in < 4 hours is not likely. 	
 (Site-specific indication of an inability to adequately remove heat from the core) 	OR b. > 25°F superheat	





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Initiati	ng Condition: SITE AREA EMERGENCY	MS1 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Loss of longer.	all offsite and all onsite AC power to emergency buses for 15 minutes or	Loss of all offsite and onsite AC power to emergency busses for 15 minutes or longer.	1) Listed site specific equipment to ensure timely classification.
Operat	ing Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
Power	Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown		
Examp	le Emergency Action Levels:	1, 2, 3, 4	
Note: Loss of	The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event promptly upon determining that 15 minutes time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC Power to (site-specific emergency buses) ninutes or longer.	 Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. 1. Loss of ALL offsite AC Power to Emergency 4KV buses. AND 2. Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses. AND 3. Failure to restore power to at least one Emergency 4KV bus in < 15 minutes from the time of loss of both offsite and onsite AC power 	





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SA1	MA1 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Loss of all but one AC power source to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.	Loss of all but one AC power source to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	1) Listed site specific equipment to ensure timely classification.
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
 Note: The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event promptly upon determining that 15 minutes time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. a. AC power capability to (site-specific emergency buses) is reduced to a single power source for 15 minutes or longer. 	Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	
AND	 AC power capability to Emergency 4KV buses reduced to only one of the following power sources for ≥ 15 minutes. 	
b. Any additional single power source failure will result in loss of all AC power to SAFETY SYSTEMS.	 Auxiliary Transformer 1A Auxiliary Transformer 1B Emergency Diesel Generator EG-Y-1A Emergency Diesel Generator EG-Y-1B SBO Diesel Generator EG-Y-4 AND Any additional single power source failure will result in a loss of ALL AC power to SAFETY SYSTEMS. 	



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SU1	MU1 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Loss of all offsite AC power capability to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.	Loss of all offsite AC power capability to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.	1) Listed site specific equipment to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	· · ·
Note: The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event promptly upon determining that 15 minutes has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	
Loss of ALL offsite AC power capability to (site-specific emergency buses) for 15 minutes or longer	Loss of ALL offsite AC power capability to Emergency 4KV busses for ≥ 15 minutes.	
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SG8	MG2 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Loss of all AC and Vital DC power sources for 15 minutes or longer.	Loss of all AC and Vital DC power sources for 15 minutes or longer.	1) Listed site encoding welland and environment to encode the starting
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 Listed site specific voltage and equipment to ensure timely classification. Removed the word "indicated" this will allow for an indication problem to not
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	cause confusion on the need to declare.
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Note: The Emergency Director should declare the General Emergency promptly upon determining that 15 minutes has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	
1. Loss of ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC power to (site-specific emergency buses) for 15 minutes or longer.	1. Loss of ALL offsite AC power to Emergency 4KV buses.	
AND	AND	
Indicated voltage is less than (site-specific bus voltage value) on ALL (site-specific vital DC busses) for 15 minutes or longer.	 Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses. AND 	
	3. Voltage is < 105 VDC on 125 VDC Distribution System 1A and 1B.	
	AND 4. ALL AC and Vital DC power sources have been lost for \geq 15 minutes.	
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Initiating Condition: SITE AREA EMERGENCY SS8	MS2 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Loss of all Vital DC power for 15 minutes or longer.	Loss of all Vital DC power for 15 minutes or longer.	1) Listed site specific voltage and equipment to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 Removed the word "indicated" this will allow for an indication problem to not
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	cause confusion on the need to declare.
Example Emergency Action Levels: Note: The Emergency Director should declare the Site Area Emergency promptly upon determining that 15 minutes time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. Indicated voltage is less than (site-specific bus voltage value) on ALL Vital DC buses for 15 minutes or longer.	 I. 2. 3. 4 Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. Voltage is < 105 VDC on 125 VDC Distribution System 1A and 1B for ≥15 minutes. 	



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initiating Condition: SITE AREA EMERGENCY SS5	MS3	No Change X Difference Deviation
nability to shutdown the reactor causing a challenge to (core cooling [PWR] / RPV water level [BWR]) or RCS heat removal.	Inability to shutdown the reactor causing a challenge to core cooling or RCS heat removal.	1) Listed site specific indications to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	2) Mode 2 included in operating mode applicability as per developer notes.
Power Operation	1.2	3) The initiation of HPI - PORV cooling creates a controlled opening of the RCS the RB by an open PORV. This is indicative of the steam generators inability to remove heat from the RCS.
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
 An automatic (trip [PWR] / scram [BWR]) did not shutdown the reactor. 	 Automatic or Manual Trip did <u>not</u> shutdown the reactor as indicated by Reactor Power ≥ 5%. 	
AND	AND	
b. All manual actions to shutdown the reactor have been unsuccessful.	 ALL manual actions to shutdown the reactor have been unsuccessful as indicated by Reactor Power ≥ 5%. 	
AND	AND	
c. EITHER of the following conditions exist:	 EITHER of the following conditions exist: a. T_{ciao} > 1400°F. 	
 (Site-specific indication of an inability to adequately remove heat from the core) 	OR	
OR	b. HPI-PORV Cooling in effect.	
 (Site-specific indication of an inability to adequately remove heat from the RCS) 		





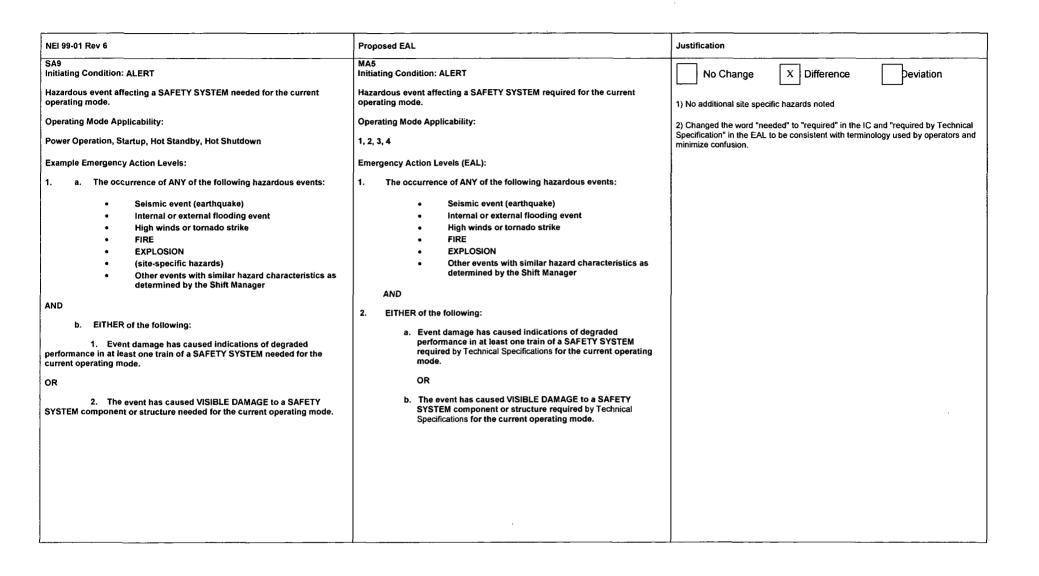
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Initiating Condition: ALERT SA5	MA3 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Automatic or manual (trip [PWR] / scram [BWR]) fails to shutdown the reactor, and subsequent manual actions taken at the reactor control consoles are not successful in shutting down the reactor.	Automatic or manual trip fails to shutdown the reactor, and subsequent manual actions taken at the reactor control consoles are not successful in shutting down the reactor.	 Listed site specific indications to ensure timely classification. Mode 2 included in operating mode applicability as per developer notes.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	2) mode 2 included in operating mode applicability as per developer notes.
Power Operation	1,2	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Note: A manual action is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core, and does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies.	Note: A manual action is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core, and does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies.	
 An automatic (trip [PWR] / scram [BWR]) did not shutdown the reactor. 	 Automatic Trip did <u>not</u> shutdown the reactor as indicated by Reactor Power ≥ 5%. 	
AND	AND	
 Manual action taken at the reactor control consoles are not successful in shutting down the reactor. 	 Manual actions taken at the Console Center are <u>not</u> successful in shutting down the reactor as indicated by Reactor Power <u>5%</u>. 	

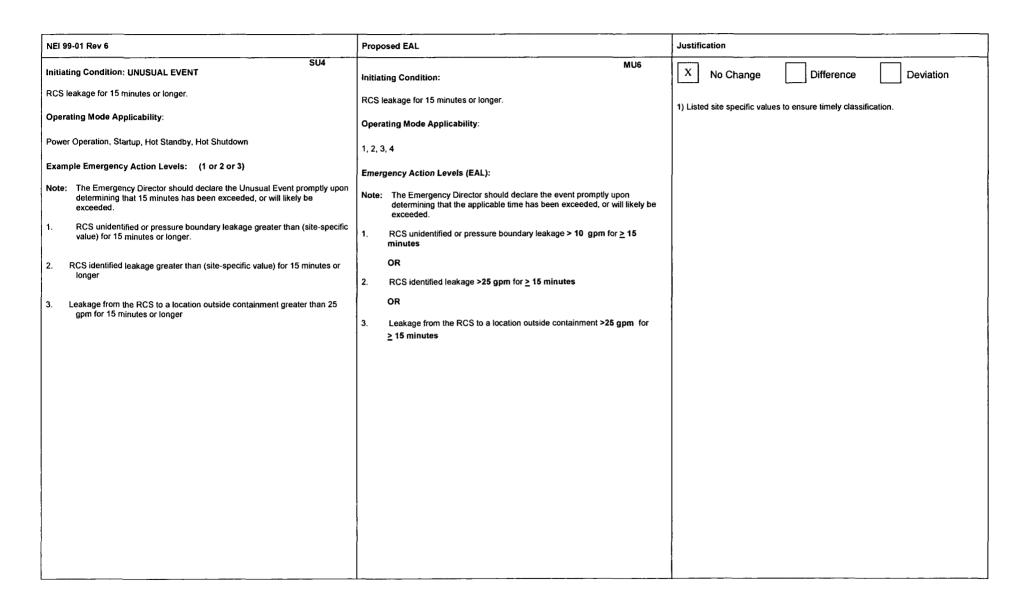


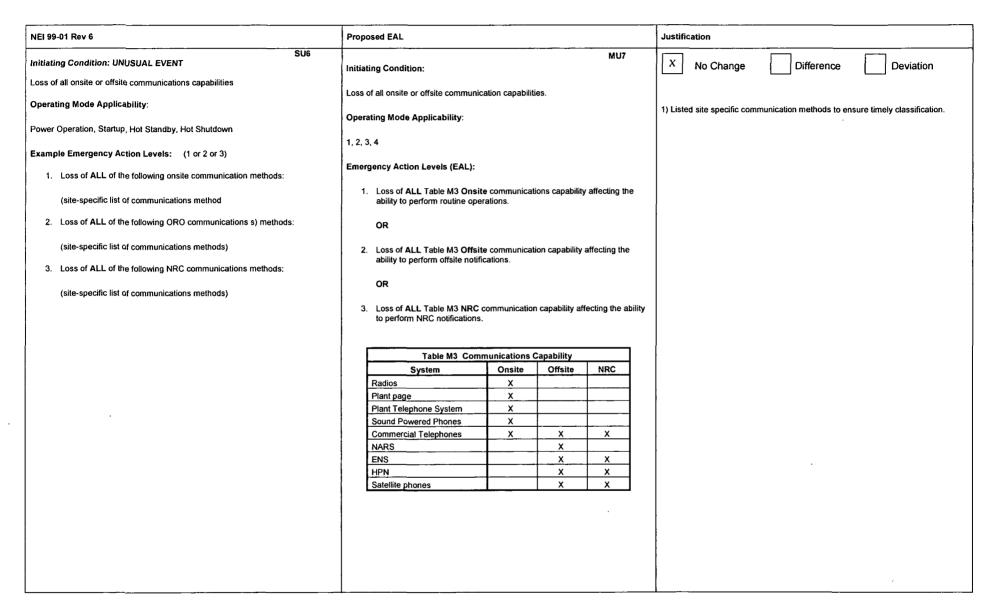
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SU5	MU3 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Automatic or manual (trip [PWR] / scram [BWR]) fails to shutdown the reactor.	Automatic or manual trip fails to shutdown the reactor.	1) Listed site specific indications to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 2) Mode 2 included in operating mode applicability as per developer notes.
Power Operation	1,2	
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Note: A manual action is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core, and does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies.	Note: A manual action is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core, and does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies.	
 An automatic (trip [PWR] / scram [BWR]) did not shutdown the reactor. 	 a. Automatic Trip did not shutdown the reactor as indicated by Reactor Power <u>></u> 5%. 	
AND	AND	
 A subsequent manual action taken at the reactor control consoles is successful in shutting down the reactor. 	 b. Subsequent manual action taken at the Console Center is successful in shutting down the reactor. OR 	
2. a. A manual trip ([PWR] / scram (BWR]) did not shutdown the reactor.	 a. Manual Trip did not shutdown the reactor as indicated by Reactor Power <u>></u> 5%. 	
AND	AND b. Subsequent automatic Trip is successful in shutting down the reactor.	
b. EITHER of the following:		
 A subsequent manual action taken at the reactor control consoles is successful in shutting down the reactor. 		
OR		
 A subsequent automatic (trip [PWR] / scram [BWR]) is successful in shutting down the reactor. 		
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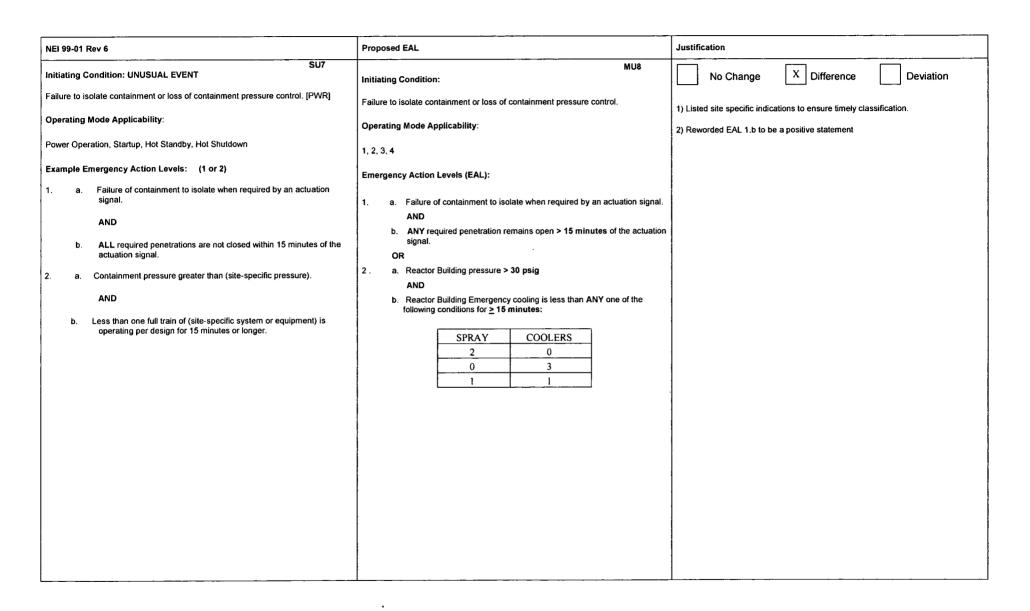
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Initiating Condition: ALERT	SA2	Initiating C	MA4 Initiating Condition:			hange	Differ	ence	Deviation
UNPLANNED loss of Control Room indicat transient in progress.	ions for 15 minutes or longer with a significant	UNPLANNE transient in	ED loss of Control Room indications for 15 minutes or longer with a progress.	a significant	1) Listed site sp	ecific numb	per of steam gen	erators to	ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:		Operating	Operating Mode Applicability				-		·
Power Operation, Startup, Hot Standby, Ho	bt Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4							
Example Emergency Action Levels: Note: The Emergency Director should d 15 minutes has been exceeded, o	eclare the Alert promptly upon determining that	-	cy Action Levels (EAL):						
 a. An UNPLANNED event results in the parameters from within the Control F [see table below] 	e inability to monitor one or more of the following Room for 15 minutes or tonger.	de	ne Emergency Director should declare the event promptly up termining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or w sceeded.						
[BWR parameter list]	[PWR parameter list]		UNPLANNED event results in the inability to monitor ANY Table I rameters from within the Control Room for ≥ 15 minutes.	M1					
Reactor Power	Reactor Power		Table M1 Control Room Parameters]					
RPV Level	RCS Level		Reactor Power						
RPV Pressure	RCS Pressure		PZR Level RCS Pressure						
Primary Containment Pressure	in Core/Core Exit Temperature		In Core/Core Exit Temperature Level in at least one OTSG.						
Suppression Pool Level	Levels in at least (site specific number) steam generators		OTSG Emergency Feed Water Flow						
Suppression Poot Temperature	Steam Generator Auxiliary or Emergency Feed Water Flow	AN	ND						
AND		b. AN	Y Table M2 transient in progress.						
b. Any of the following transient events i	n progress.	I r	Table M2 Significant Transients						
 Automatic or Manual runback g Electrical load rejection greater Reactor Scram [BWR] / trp [PW ECCS (SI) actuation Thermal power oscillations greater 	/R]		 Automatic Turbine Runback >25% thermal reactor power Electrical Load Rejection >25% full electrical load Reactor Trip ESAS Actuation Thermal Power oscillations > 10% 						

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SU2 Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT		SU2 T	MU4 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
l	INPLANNED loss of Control Room indi	cations for 15 minutes or longer.	UNPLANNED loss of Control Room indications for 15 minutes or longer.	1) Listed site specific number of steam generators to ensure timely classification.
c	perating Mode Applicability:		Operating Mode Applicability:	······································
F	ower Operation, Startup, Hot Standby,	Hot Shutdown	1, 2, 3, 4	
A fc			Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. UNPLANNED event results in the inability to monitor ANY Table M1 parameters from within the Control Room for ≥ 15 minutes.	
	[BWR parameter list]	[PWR parameter list]	_ 	
	Reactor Power	Reactor Power	Table M1 Control Room Parameters Reactor Power	
	RPV Level	RCS Level	PZR Level	
	RPV Pressure	RCS Pressure	RCS Pressure In Core/Core Exit Temperature	
	Primary Containment Pressure	In Core/Core Exit Temperature	Level in at least one OTSG.	
	Suppression Pool Level	Levels in at least (site specific number) steam generators	OTSG Emergency Feed Water Flow	
	Suppression Pool Temperature	Steam Generator Auxiliary or Emergency Feed Water Flow		· ·









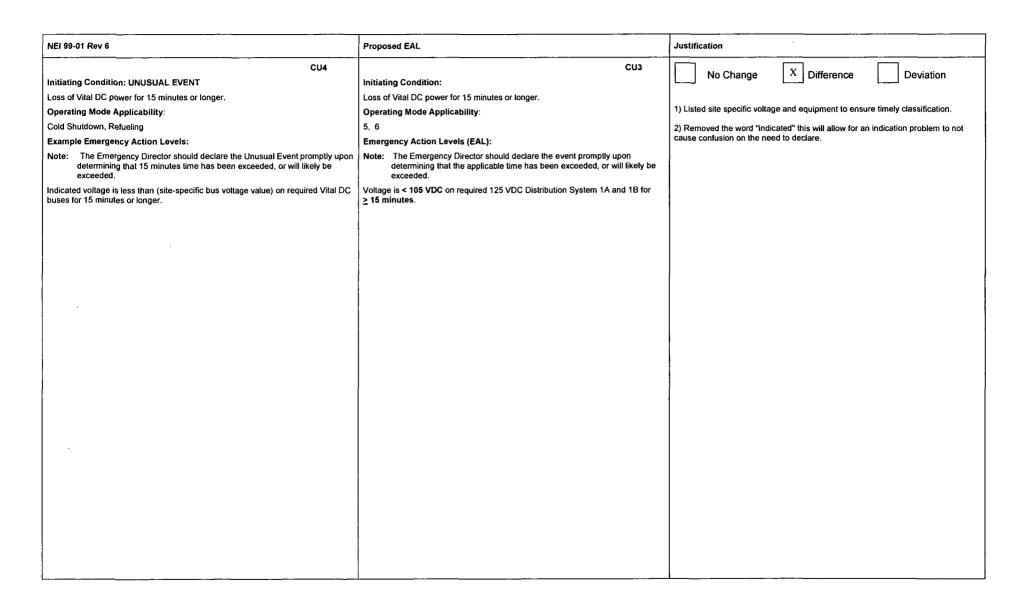




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CA2	CA1	X No Change Difference Deviation
Initiating Condition: ALERT	Initiating Condition:	
Loss of all offsite and all onsite AC power to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.	Loss of all offsite and onsite AC power to emergency busses for 15 minutes or longer.	1) Listed site specific equipment to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
Cold Shutdown, Refueling, Defueled	5, 6, D	·
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Note: The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event promptly upon determining that 15 minutes time has been exceeded, or will likely be	Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	
exceeded.	1. Loss of ALL offsite AC power to Emergency 4KV buses.	
Loss of ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC Power to (site-specific emergency buses) for 15 minutes or longer.	AND	
	 Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses. 	
	AND	
	 Failure to restore power to at least one Emergency 4KV bus in < 15 minutes from the time of loss of both offsite and onsite AC power. 	

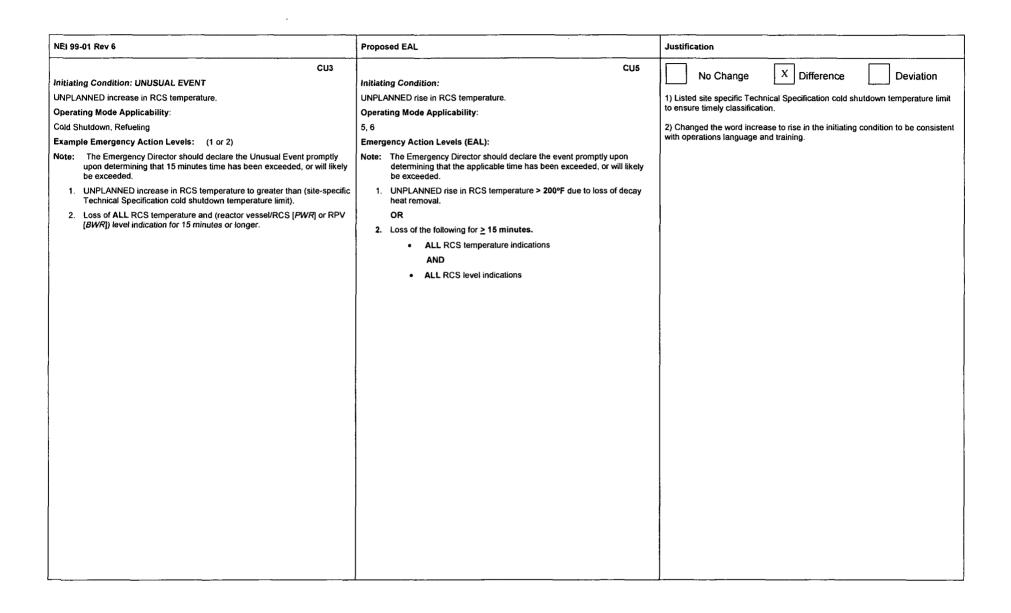
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NEI 99-01 Rev § CU2 Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT Loss of all but one AC power source to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer. Operating Mode Applicability: Cold Shutdown, Refueling, Defueled Example Emergency Action Levels: Note: The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event promptly upon determining that 15 minutes time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. 1. a. AC power capability to (site-specific emergency buses) is reduced to a single power source for 15 minutes or longer. AND b. Any additional single power source failure will result in loss of all AC power to SAFETY SYSTEMS.	Proposed EAL CU1 Initiating Condition: Loss of all but one AC power source to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer. Operating Mode Applicability: 5, 6, D Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. 1. AC power capability to Emergency 4KV buses reduced to only one of the following power sources for ≥ 15 minutes. • Auxiliary Transformer 1A • Auxiliary Transformer 1B • Emergency Diesel Generator EG-Y-1A • Emergency Diesel Generator EG-Y-1B • SBO Diesel Generator EG-Y-4 AND 2. ANY additional single power source failure will result in a loss of ALL AC power to SAFETY SYSTEMS.	Justification X No Change Difference Deviation 1) Listed site specific equipment to ensure timely classification.

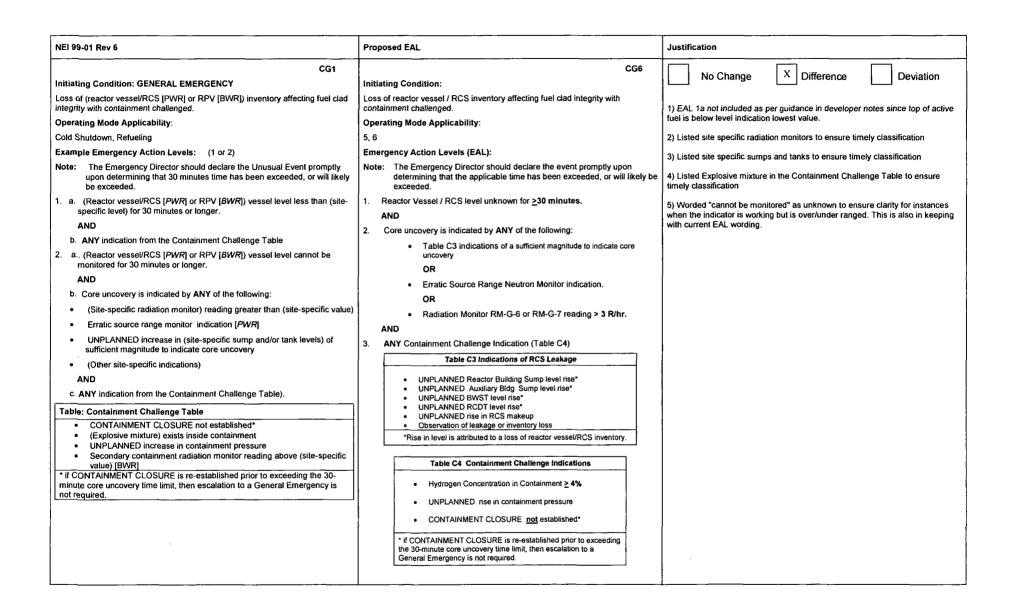
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CA6 Initiating Condition – ALERT Hazardous event affecting SAFETY SYSTEM needed for the current operating mode. Operating Mode Applicability: Cold Shutdown, Refueling Example Emergency Action Levels: 1. a. The occurrence of ANY of the following hazardous events: • Seismic event (earthquake) • Internal or external flooding event • High winds or tornado strike • FIRE • EXPLOSION • (site-specific hazards) • Other events with similar hazard characteristics as determined by the Shift Manager AND b. EITHER of the following: 1. Event damage has caused indications of degraded performance in at least one train of a SAFETY SYSTEM needed for the current operating mode. OR 2. The event has caused VISIBLE DAMAGE to a SAFETY SYSTEM component or structure needed for the current operating mode.	CA2 Initiating Condition: Hazardous event affecting SAFETY SYSTEM required for the current operating mode. Operating Mode Applicability: 5, 6 Emergency Action Levels (EAL): 1. The occurrence of ANY of the following hazardous events:	No Change X Difference Deviation 1) No additional site specific hazards noted 2) Changed the word "needed" to "required" in the IC and "required by Technical Specification" in the EAL to be consistent with terminology used by operators and minimize confusion.

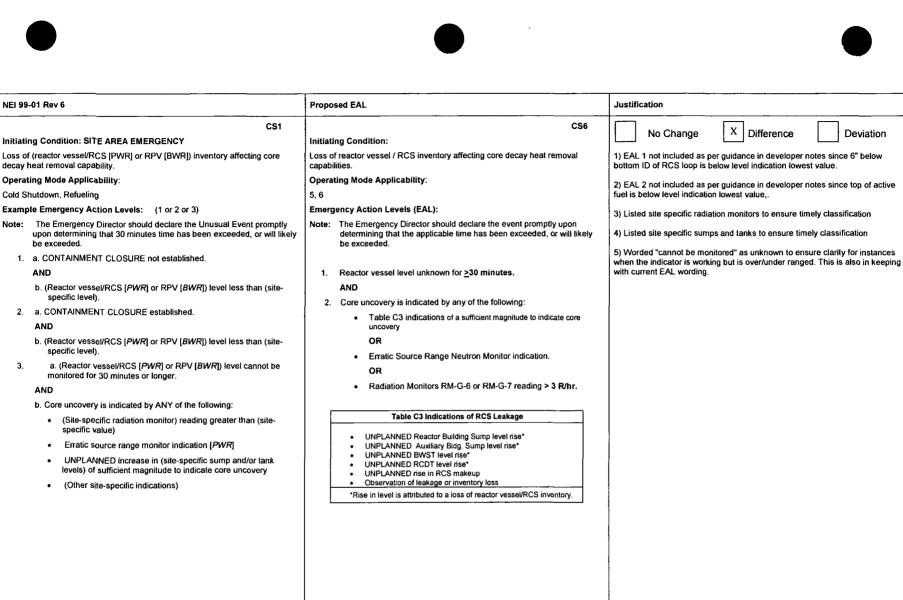


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CU5	Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation	
Loss of all onsite or offsite communications capabilities	Loss of all onsite or offsite communication capabilities.		
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:		1) Listed site specific communications methods to ensure timely classification
Cold Shutdown, Refueling, Defuled	5, 6, D		
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):		
Loss of ALL of the following onsite communication methods: (site-specific list of communications method Loss of ALL of the following ORO communications s) methods:	1. Loss of ALL Table C1 Onsite communications capability affer ability to perform routine operations. OR	cting the	
(site-specific list of communications methods)	2. Loss of ALL Table C1 Offsite communication capability affec	ting the	
3. Loss of ALL of the following NRC communications methods:	ability to perform offsite notifications.		
	OR		
(site-specific list of communications methods)	 Loss of ALL Table C1 NRC communication capability affectin ability to perform NRC notifications. 	ng the	
	Table C1 Communications Capability		
	System Onsite Offsite	NRC	
	Radios X		
	Plant page X		
	Plant Telephone System X		
	Sound Powered Phones X	<u> </u>	
	Commercial Telephones X X NARS X	<u>×</u>	
	ENS X	×	
	HPN X	x	
	Satellite phones X	x	
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CA3				CA5			CA5	No Change X Difference Deviation	
Initiating Condition: ALERT				Initia	ting Condition:				No Change X Difference Deviation
Inability to maintain the plant in cold shutdown.				Inabi	Inability to maintain plant in cold shutdown.				
Or	erating Mode Applic	ability:		Ope	rating Mode Ap	plicability:			 Listed site specific Technical Specification cold shutdown temperature limit to ensure timely classification.
Co	ld Shutdown, Refuelin	g		5,6					·
Ex	ample Emergency Ad	tion Levels: (1 or 2)		Eme	rgency Action L	evels (EAL):			2) Listed site specific pressure reading to enhance timely classification.
No		Director should declare the Aler the applicable has been exceed		Note		ncy Director should declare the hat the applicable time has be		e	3) Added wording relating the temp and press rise to a loss of decay heat removal capability as per the developer notes for PWR's
	Technical Specifi	crease in RCS temperature to gr cation cold shutdown temperatu cified in the following table.) rise in RCS temperature > 26 for > Table C2 duration.	10°F due to loss of decay	1	
		CS pressure increase greater that AL does not apply during water-		2	. UNPLANNED	DRCS pressure rise > 10 psig ss of decay heat removal. (Thi lant conditions.)			
	Table: RCS Heat-up	Duration Thresholds			Table C2 RCS Heat-up Duration Thresholds				
	RCS Status	Containment Closure Status	Heat-up Duration		RCS Status	Containment Closure Status	Heat-up Duration		
	Intact (but not RCS Reduced Inventory [PWR])	Not Applicable	60 minutes*		Intact Not Intact	Not Applicable	60 minutes*		
	Not Intact (or at	Established	20 minutes*			Established	20 minutes*		
	reduced inventory [PWR])	Not Established	0 minutes		OR				
	* If an RCS heat rem	oval system is in operation within being reduced, the EAL is not ap	n this time frame and		Reduced Inventory	Not Established	0 minutes		
						at removal system is in operati S temperature is being reduce			







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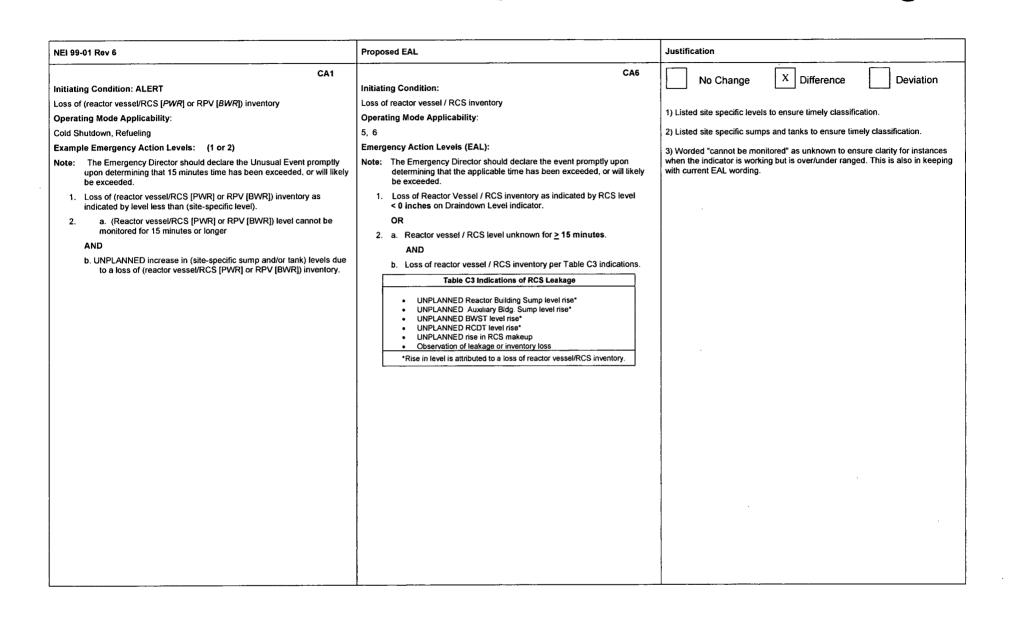
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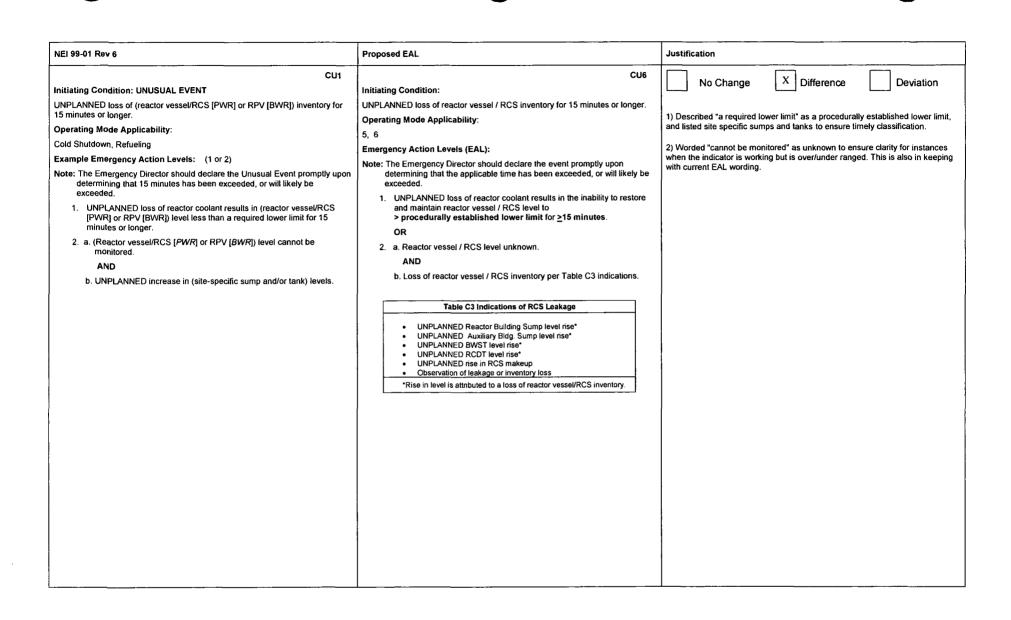
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HG1 Initiating Condition: GENERAL EMERGENCY	HG1	No Change X Difference Deviation
HOSTILE ACTION resulting in loss of physical control of the facility.	HOSTILE ACTION resulting in loss of physical control of the facility.	1) List site security shift supervision as Security Force.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 Added descriptors to better explain each safety function and allow for a timely classification.
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
 a. A HOSTILE ACTION is occurring or has occurred within the PROTECTED AREA as reported by the (site-specific security shift supervision). 	 A notification from the Security Force that a HOSTILE ACTION is occurring or has occurred within the PROTECTED AREA. 	
AND	AND	
b. EITHER of the following:	2. a. ANY Table H1 safety function cannot be controlled or maintained.	
 ANY of the following safety functions cannot be controlled or maintained. 	OR	
Reactivity control Core cooling [<i>PWR</i>] / RPV water level [<i>BWR</i>] RCS heat removal	Damage to spent fuel has occurred or is IMMINENT	
OR	Table H1 Safety Functions Reactivity Control	
2. Damage to spent fuel has occurred or is IMMINENT	 RCS Heat Removal (ability to maintain heat sink) 	



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HS1 Initiating Condition: SITE AREA EMERGENCY	HS1 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
HOSTILE ACTION within the Protected Area.	HOSTILE ACTION within the Protected Area.	1) List site security shift supervision as Security Force.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
A HOSITLE ACTION is occurring or has occurred within the PROTECTED AREA as reported by the (site-security shift supervision).	A notification from the Security Force that a HOSTILE ACTION is occurring or has occurred within the PROTECTED AREA.	







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HA1 Initiating Condition: ALERT	HA1 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
HOSTILE ACTION within the OWNER CONTROLLED AREA or airborne attack threat within 30 minutes.	HOSTILE ACTION within the OWNER CONTROLLED AREA or airborne attack threat within 30 minutes.	1)List site security shift supervision as Security Force.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
 A HOSTILE ACTION is occurring or has occurred within the OWNER CONTROLLED AREA as reported by the (site-specific security shift supervision). 	1. A validated notification from NRC of an aircraft attack threat < 30 minutes from the site.	
2. A validated notification from NRC of an aircraft attack threat within 30	OR	
minutes of the site.	2. Notification by the Security Force that a HOSTILE ACTION is occurring or has occurred within the OWNER CONTROLED AREA.	

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HU1 Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT	HU1 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Confirmed SECURITY CONDITION or threat.	Confirmed SECURITY CONDITION or threat.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	 List site security shift supervision as Security Force. Further described credible security threat through listing a site specific
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	procedure.
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
 A SECURITY CONDITION that does not involve a HOSTILE ACTION as reported by the (site-specific security shift supervision). 	 Notification of a credible security threat directed at the site as determined per SY-AA-101-132, Security Assessment and Response to Unusual Activities. 	
2. Notification of a credible security threat directed at the site.	OR	
 A validated notification from the NRC providing information of an aircraft threat. 	 A validated notification from the NRC providing information of an aircraft threat. OR Notification by the Security Force of a SECURITY CONDITION that does <u>not</u> involve a HOSTILE ACTION. 	





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HS6	Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation		
Inability to control a key safety function from outside the Control Room.	Inability to control a key safety function from outside the Control Room.	1) EAL uses the site specific Control Room evacuation procedures to		
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	effectively list all of the alternate locations, panels, and stations requested by the developer notes. This would be the procedures the Control Room would enter should such an event occur, this allows for greater clarity as to when this EAL would each then if occur, the alternate the term of the term of the term.		
	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	this EAL would apply than if each panel and station used in alternate shutdown were to be listed,		
 Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 and 2) Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that (site-specific number of minutes) has been exceeded. 1. An event has resulted in plant control being transferred from the Control Room to (site-specific remote shutdown panels and local control stations). 2. Control of ANY of the following key safety functions is not reestablished within (site-specific number of minutes). Reactivity control Core cooling [<i>PWR</i>] / RPV water level [<i>BWR</i>] RCS heat removal 	 Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded. 1. A Control Room evacuation has resulted in plant control being transferred from the Control Room. available the Control Room. AND 2. Control of ANY Table H1 key safety function is not reestablished in < 15 minutes. Table H1 Safety Functions Reactivity Control (ability to shut down the reactor and keep it shutdown) Core Cooling (ability to cool the core) RCS Heat Removal (ability to maintain heat sink) 	 Added descriptors to better explain each safety function and allow for a timely classification. Changed "An event" to" A Control Room evacuation" to remove confusion if partial plant control was transferred to outside the control room with the control room still manned, due to testing or equipment failure. 		





NEI 99-01 Rev 6	Proposed EAL	Justification
HA6 Initiating Condition: ALERT	HA2 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Control Room evacuation resulting in transfer of plant control to alternate locations.	Control Room evacuation resulting in transfer of plant control to alternate locations.	1) EAL uses the site specific Control Room evacuation procedures to effectively
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	list all of the alternate locations, panels, and stations requested by the developer notes. This would be the procedures the Control Room would enter should such an event occur, this allows for greater clarity as to when this EAL would apply than if one handle and the such a set of the such as the such as the set of the such as the set of
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	each panel and station used in alternate shutdown were to be listed, 2) Changed "An event" to" A Control Room evacuation" to remove confusion if
Example Emergency Action Levels: An event has resulted in plant control being transferred from the Control Room to (site-specific remote shutdown panels and local control stations).	Emergency Action Levels (EAL): A Control Room evacuation has resulted in plant control being transferred from the Control Room to alternate locations per OP-TM-EOP-020, Cooldown from Outside the Control Room.	partial plant control was transferred to outside the control room with the control room still manned, due to testing or equipment failure.



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HU4 Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT	HU3 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
FIRE potentially degrading the level of safety of the plant.	FIRE potentially degrading the level of safety of the plant.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	1) Listed site specific list of plant rooms or areas that contain SAFETY SYSTEM equipment to ensure timely classification.
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3 or 4)	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Note: The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	Note: The Emergency Director should declare the event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.	
 A. A FIRE is NOT extinguished within 15-minutes of ANY of the following FIRE detection indications: Report from the field (i.e., visual observation) Receipt of multiple (more than 1) fire alarms or indications Field verification of a single fire alarm AND The FIRE is located within ANY of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas) Receipt of a single fire alarm (i.e., no other indications of a FIRE). AND The FIRE is located within ANY of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas) The FIRE is located within ANY of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas) The FIRE is located within ANY of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas) AND The FIRE is located within ANY of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas) AND The existence of a FIRE is not verified within 30-minutes of alarm receipt. A FIRE within the plant or ISFSI (for plants with an ISFSI outside the plant Protected Area] PROTECTED AREA not extinguished within 60-minutes of the initial report, alarm or indication. A FIRE within the plant or ISFSI (for plants with an ISFSI outside the plant Protected Area] PROTECTED AREA that requires firefighting support by an offsite fire response agency to extinguish. 		

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nitiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT	HU2 Initiating Condition:	HU4 X No Change Difference Deviation
Seismic event greater than OBE levels.	Seismic event greater than OBE levels.	 1) Listed site specific indication to determining OBE limits have been met of
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	exceeded to ensure timely classification.
NI	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels:	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
Seismic event greater than Operating Basis Earthquake (OBE) as in a. (site-specific indication that a seismic event met or exceeded Ol		ed by seismic shold Seismic







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HA5 Initiating Condition: ALERT	Initiating	Condition:	HA5		X No Change Difference Deviation
Gaseous release impeding access to equipment necessary for normal plant operations, cooldown or shutdown.		release impeding access to ec or shutdown.	uipment necessary for normal plant o	operations,	1) Listed plant specific rooms and areas with entry related mode applicability to ensure timely classification.
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operatin	g Mode Applicability:			
All	1, 2, 3, 4,	5, 6, D			
 Example Emergency Action Levels: Note: If the equipment in the listed room or area was already inoperable, or out of service, before the event occurred, then no emergency classification is warranted. a. Release of a toxic, corrosive, asphyxiant or flammable gas into any of the following plant rooms or areas: (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas with entry-related mode 	Note: If the series war	vice, before the event occurred ranted.	n or area was already inoperable, or c d, then no emergency classification is iant or flammable gas in ANY Table I		
applicability identified)			Table H3 Related Mode Applicability]	
AND		Area	Entry Related Mode Applicability	1	
 Entry into the room or area is prohibited or impeded. 		Reactor Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6	1	
		Intermediate Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6		
		Auxiliary Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6		
		Fuel Handling Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6		
		*Areas required to	establish shutdown cooling]	
	AND 2. Entry	into the room or area is prohib	iled or impeded		



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HU3 Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT	HU6 Initiating Condition:	No Change X Difference Deviation
Hazardous Event	Hazardous Event	1) Included river water level as part of the site-specific list of natural or
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	technological hazard events. The EAL values selected are the current Approved UE EAL values.
All Example Emergency Action Levels: (1 or 2 or 3 or 4)	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	 Changed the word "needed" to "required by Technical Specifications" in the EAL to be consistent with terminology used by operators and minimize confusion.
Note: EAL #3 does not apply to routine traffic impediments such as fog, snow,	Emergency Action Levels (EAL):	
ice, or vehicle breakdowns or accidents. I. A tomado strike within the PROTECTED AREA.	Note: EAL #4 does not apply to routine traffic impediments such as fog, snow, ice, or vehicle breakdowns or accidents.	
 Internal room or area flooding of a magnitude sufficient to require manual or automatic electrical isolation of a SAFETY SYSTEM component needed for the current operating mode. 	1. Tornado strike within the PROTECTED AREA. OR	
 Movement of personnel within the PROTECTED AREA is impeded due to an offsite event involving hazardous materials (e.g., an offsite chemical spill or toxic gas release). 	 Internal room or area flooding of a magnitude sufficient to require manual or automatic electrical isolation of a SAFETY SYSTEM component required by Technical Specifications for the current operating mode. OR 	
 A hazardous event that results in on-site conditions sufficient to prohibit the plant staff from accessing the site via personal vehicles. 	 Movement of personnel within the PROTECTED AREA is impeded due to an offsite event involving hazardous materials (e.g., an offsite chemical spill or toxic gas release). 	
5. (Site-specific list of natural or technological hazard events)	OR	
	 A hazardous event that results in on-site conditions sufficient to prohibit the plant staff from accessing the site via personal vehicles. 	
	OR 5. Abnormal river water level at the intake Pump and Screen House, as indicated by EITHER:	
	a. > 300 ft. el. (high level) OR	
	b. < 274 ft. el. (low level)	

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HG8 Initiating Condition: GENERAL EMERGENCY	NG7 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director warrant declaration of a General Emergency.	Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director warrant declaration of a General Emergency.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels: Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which involve actual or IMMINENT substantial core degradation or melting with potential for loss of containment integrity or HOSTILE ACTION that results in an actual loss of physical control of the facility. Releases can be reasonably expected to exceed EPA Protective Action Guideline exposure levels off-site for more than the immediate site area.	Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which involve actual or IMMINENT substantial core degradation or melting with potential for loss of containment integrity or HOSTILE ACTION that results in an actual loss of physical control of the facility. Releases can be reasonably expected to exceed EPA Protective Action Guideline exposure levels off-site for more than the immediate site area.	



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HS8 Initiating Condition: SITE AREA EMERGENCY	HS7 Initiating Condition:	X No Change. Difference Deviation
Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director warrant declaration of a Site Area Emergency.	Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director warrant declaration of a Site Area Emergency.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
A)	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels: Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which involve actual or likely major failures of plant functions needed for protection of the public or HOSTILE ACTION that results in intentional damage or malicious acts; (1) toward site personnel or equipment that could lead to the likely failure of or; (2) that prevent effective access to equipment needed for the protection of the public. Any releases are not expected to result in exposure levels which exceed EPA Protective Action Guideline exposure levels beyond the site boundary.	Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which involve actual or likely major failures of plant functions needed for protection of the public or HOSTILE ACTION that results in intentional damage or malicious acts; (1) toward site personnel or equipment that could lead to the likely failure of or; (2) that prevent effective access to equipment needed for the protection of the public. Any releases are not expected to result in exposure levels which exceed EPA Protective Action Guideline exposure levels beyond the site boundary.	



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HA6 Initiating Condition: ALERT	HA7 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director warrant declaration of an Alert.	Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director warrant declaration of an Alert.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels: Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which involve an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant or a security event that involves probable life threatening risk to site personnel or damage to site equipment because of HOSTILE ACTION. Any releases are expected to be limited to small fractions of the EPA Protective Action Guideline exposure levels.	Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which involve an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant or a security event that involves probable life threatening risk to site personnel or damage to site equipment because of HOSTILE ACTION. Any releases are expected to be limited to small fractions of the EPA Protective Action Guideline exposure levels.	
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HU7 Initiating Condition: UNUSUAL EVENT	HU7 Initiating Condition:	X No Change Difference Deviation
Other conditions existing which in the judgment of the Emergency director warrant declaration of an UNUSUAL EVENT.	Other conditions existing which in the judgment of the Emergency director warrant declaration of an UNUSUAL EVENT.	
Operating Mode Applicability:	Operating Mode Applicability:	
All	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D	
Example Emergency Action Levels: Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which indicate a potential degradation of the level of safety of the plant or indicate a security threat to facility protection has been initiated. No releases of radioactive material requiring offsite response or monitoring are expected unless further degradation of safety systems occurs.	Emergency Action Levels (EAL): Other conditions exist which in the judgment of the Emergency Director indicate that events are in progress or have occurred which indicate a potential degradation of the level of safety of the plant or indicate a security threat to facility protection has been initiated. No releases of radioactive material requiring offsite response or monitoring are expected unless further degradation of safety systems occurs.	
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E-HU1		No Change X Difference Deviation
Damage to a loaded cask CONFINEMENT BOUNDARY.		TMI Station does not have an ISFSI,
Operating Mode Applicability:		
All		
Example Emergency Action Levels:		
Damage to a loaded cask CONFINEMENT BOUNDARY as indicated by an on- contact radiation reading greater than (2 times the site-specific cask specific technical specification allowable radiation level) on the surface of the spent fuel cask.		
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Initiating Condition:

Release of gaseous radioactivity resulting in offsite dose greater than 1000 mRrem TEDE or 5000 mRrem thyroid CDE.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Notes:

- The Emergency Director should declare the General Emergency event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, assume that the release duration has exceeded 15 minutes.
- <u>Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established.</u> If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.
- The pre-calculated effluent monitor values presented in EAL #1 should be used for emergency classification assessments until the results from a dose assessment using actual meteorology are available.

(1) Reading on ANY of the following radiation monitors greater than the reading shown for 15 minutes or longer:

(site-specific monitor list and threshold values)

1. Readings on ANY Table R1 Effluent Monitor > Table R1 value for > 15 minutes.

<u>OR</u>

2. Dose assessment Using actual meteorology indicates doses at or beyond (sitespecific dose receptor point) the site boundary of EITHER:

a. > 1000 mRem TEDE

OR

b. > 5000 mRem CDE Thyroid

<u>OR</u>

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Field survey results indicate **EITHER** of the following at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point):

<u>Closed window dose rates greater than 1,000 mR/hr expected to continue for</u> <u>60 minutes or longer.</u>

Analyses of field survey samples indicate thyroid CDE greater than 5,000 mrem for one hour of inhalation.

3. Field survey results at or beyond the site boundary indicate EITHER:

a. Gamma (closed window) dose rates >1000 mR/hr are expected to continue for > 60 minutes.

<u>OR</u>

b. Analyses of field survey samples indicate > 5000 mRem CDE Thyroid for 60 minutes of inhalation.

Table R1 Effluent Monitor Thresholds		
Effluent Monitor	General Emergency	
RM-G-25 (Cond Offgas)	<u>9.53 E+06 mR/hr</u>	
RM-A-8GH (Station Vent)	<u>3.09 E+05 cpm</u>	
RM-G-24 (RB Purge)	5.55 E+05 mR/hr	
RM-A-14 (ESF Vent)	6.66 E+02 uCi/cc	

Basis:

This IC addresses a release of gaseous radioactivity that results in projected or actual offsite doses greater than or equal to the EPA Protective Action Guides (PAGs). It includes both monitored and un-monitored releases. Releases of this magnitude will require implementation of protective actions for the public.

Radiological effluent EALs are also included to provide a basis for classifying events and conditions that cannot be readily or appropriately classified on the basis of plant conditions alone. The inclusion of both plant condition and radiological effluent EALs more fully addresses the spectrum of possible accident events and conditions.

The TEDE dose is set at the EPA PAG of 1000 mRrem while the 5000 mRrem thyroid CDE was established in consideration of the 1:5 ratio of the EPA PAG for TEDE and thyroid CDE.

Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established. If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have

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stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.

Basis Reference(s):

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AG1
- 2. EP-EAL-0609 Revision 1, Criteria for Choosing Radiological Gaseous Effluent EAL Threshold Values, Three Mile Island
- 3. EP-AA-112-500 Emergency Environmental Monitoring
- 4. FSAR Section 11.4 Radiation Monitoring System
- 5. EP-AA-110-200 Dose Assessment
- 6. EP-AA-110-201 On Shift Dose Assessment

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Initiating Condition:

Release of gaseous radioactivity resulting in offsite dose greater than 100 mRrem TEDE or 500 mRrem thyroid CDE.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Notes:

- The Emergency Director should declare the Site Area Emergency event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, assume that the release duration has exceeded 15 minutes.
- <u>Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established.</u> If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.
- The pre-calculated effluent monitor values presented in EAL #1 should be used for emergency classification assessments until the results from a dose assessment using actual meteorology are available.
- (1) Reading on ANY of the following radiation monitors greater than the reading shown for 15 minutes or longer:

(site-specific monitor list and threshold values)

- (2) Dose assessment using actual meteorology indicates doses greater than 100 mrem TEDE or 500 mrem thyroid CDE at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point).
- (3) Field survey results indicate **EITHER** of the following at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point):
 - Closed window dose rates greater than 100 mR/hr expected to continue for 60 minutes or longer.

• Analyses of field survey samples indicate thyroid CDE greater than 500 mrem for one hour of inhalation.

1. Readings on ANY Table R1 Effluent Monitor > Table R1 value for > 15 minutes.

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2. Dose assessment using actual meteorology indicates doses at or beyond the site boundary of EITHER:

a. > 100 mRem TEDE

<u>OR</u>

b. > 500 mRem CDE Thyroid

<u>OR</u>

3. Field survey results at or beyond the site boundary indicate EITHER:

a. Gamma (closed window) dose rates >100 mR/hr are expected to continue for > 60 minutes.

<u>OR</u>

Analyses of field survey samples indicate > 500 mRem CDE Thyroid for 60 minutes of inhalation.

Table R1 Effluent Monitor Thresholds			
Effluent Monitor Site Area Emergency			
RM-G-25 (Cond Offgas)		9.53 E+05 mR/hr	
RM-A-8GH (Station Vent)		<u>3.09 E+04 cpm</u>	
RM-G-24 (RB Purge)	ell L	5.55 E+04 mR/hr	
RM-A-14 (ESF Vent)		6.66 E+01 uCi/cc	

Basis:

This IC addresses a release of gaseous radioactivity that results in projected or actual offsite doses greater than or equal to 10% of the EPA Protective Action Guides (PAGs). It includes both monitored and un-monitored releases. Releases of this magnitude are associated with the failure of plant systems needed for the protection of the public.

Radiological effluent EALs are also included to provide a basis for classifying events and conditions that cannot be readily or appropriately classified on the basis of plant conditions alone. The inclusion of both plant condition and radiological effluent EALs more fully addresses the spectrum of possible accident events and conditions.

The TEDE dose is set at 10% of the EPA PAG of 1000 mRrem while the 500 mRrem thyroid CDE was established in consideration of the 1:5 ratio of the EPA PAG for TEDE and thyroid CDE.

Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to

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the environment is established. If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC <u>RAG1</u>.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AS1
- 2. EP-EAL-0609 Revision 1, Criteria for Choosing Radiological Gaseous Effluent EAL Threshold Values, Three Mile Island
- 3. EP-AA-112-500 Emergency Environmental Monitoring
- 4. FSAR Section 11.4 Radiation Monitoring System
- 5. EP-AA-110-200 Dose Assessment
- 6. EP-AA-110-201 On Shift Dose Assessment

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Initiating Condition:

Release of gaseous or liquid radioactivity resulting in offsite dose greater than 10 mRrem TEDE or 50 mRrem thyroid CDE.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Notes:

- The Emergency Director should declare the Alert event promptly upon determining that the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, assume that the release duration has exceeded 15 minutes.
- <u>Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the</u> <u>environment is established.</u> If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.
- The pre-calculated effluent monitor values presented in EAL #1 should be used for emergency classification assessments until the results from a dose assessment using actual meteorology are available.
- (1) Reading on ANY of the following radiation monitors greater than the reading shown for 15 minutes or longer:

(site-specific monitor list and threshold values)

- (2) Dose assessment using actual meteorology indicates doses greater than 10 mrem TEDE or 50 mrem thyroid CDE at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point).
- (3) Analysis of a liquid effluent sample indicates a concentration or release rate that would result in doses greater than 10 mrem TEDE or 50 mrem thyroid CDE at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point) for one hour of exposure.
- (4) Field survey results indicate **EITHER** of the following at or beyond (site-specific dose receptor point):
 - Closed window dose rates greater than 10 mR/hr expected to continue for 60 minutes or longer.
 - Analyses of field survey samples indicate thyroid CDE greater than 50 mrem for one hour of inhalation.

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1. Readings on ANY Table R1 Effluent Monitor > Table R1 value for > 15 minutes.

<u>OR</u>

2. Dose assessment using actual meteorology indicates doses at or beyond the site boundary of **EITHER**:

a. > 10 mRem TEDE

<u>OR</u>

b. > 50 mRem CDE Thyroid

<u>OR</u>

- 3. Analysis of a liquid effluent sample indicates a concentration or release rate that would result in doses greater than **EITHER** of the following at or beyond the site boundary
 - a. 10 mRem TEDE for 60 minutes of exposure

OR

b. 50 mRem CDE Thyroid for 60 minutes of exposure

<u>OR</u>

4. Field survey results at or beyond the site boundary indicate EITHER:

a. Gamma (closed window) dose rates > 10 mR/hr are expected to continue for > 60 minutes.

<u>OR</u>

b. Analyses of field survey samples indicate > 50 mRem CDE Thyroid for 60 minutes of inhalation.

Table R1 Effl	uent Monitor Thresholds	or Thresholds	
Effluent Monitor	Alert	******	
RM-G-25 (Cond Offgas)	9.53 E+04 mR/hr		
RM-A-8GH (Station Vent)	3.09 E+03 cpm		
RM-G-24 (RB Purge)	5.55 E+03 mR/hr		
RM-A-14 (ESF Vent)	6.66 E+00 uCi/cc		

TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis RECOGNITION CATEGORY ABNORMAL RAD LEVELS / RADIOLOGICAL EFFLUENTS

Basis:

This IC addresses a release of gaseous or liquid radioactivity that results in projected or actual offsite doses greater than or equal to 1% of the EPA Protective Action Guides (PAGs). It includes both monitored and un-monitored releases. Releases of this magnitude represent an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant as indicated by a radiological release that significantly exceeds regulatory limits (e.g., a significant uncontrolled release).

Radiological effluent EALs are also included to provide a basis for classifying events and conditions that cannot be readily or appropriately classified on the basis of plant conditions alone. The inclusion of both plant condition and radiological effluent EALs more fully addresses the spectrum of possible accident events and conditions.

The TEDE dose is set at 1% of the EPA PAG of 1000 mRrem while the 50 mRrem thyroid CDE was established in consideration of the 1:5 ratio of the EPA PAG for TEDE and thyroid CDE.

Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established. If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC RAS1.

Basis Reference(s):

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AA1
- 2. OP 1101-2.1 Radiation Monitoring System Setpoints
- 3. FSAR Section 11.4 Radiation Monitoring System
- 4. OP-TM-MAP-C0101, Radiation Level HI
- 5. EP-EAL-0609 Revision 1, Criteria for Choosing Radiological Gaseous Effluent EAL Threshold Values, Three Mile Island
- 6. EP-EAL-0616, Revision 0, Three Mile Island Criteria for Choosing Radiological Liquid Effluent EAL Threshold Values
- 7. EP-EAL-0622, Revision 0, Three Mile Island Criteria for Choosing Radiological Gaseous Effluent EAL Threshold Values for Waste Gas Decay Tanks



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ABNORMAL RAD LEVELS / RADIOLOGICAL EFFLUENTS

Initiating Condition:

Release of gaseous or liquid radioactivity greater than 2 times the <u>ODCM (site-specific</u> effluent release controlling document) limits for 60 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Notes:

- The Emergency Director should declare the Unusual Event event promptly upon determining that 60 minutes the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- If an ongoing release is detected and the release start time is unknown, assume that the release duration has exceeded 60 minutes.
- <u>Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established.</u> If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.
- (1) Reading on **ANY** effluent radiation monitor greater than 2 times the (site-specific effluent release controlling document) limits for 60 minutes or longer:

(site-specific monitor list and threshold values corresponding to 2 times the controlling document limits)

- (2) Reading on **ANY** effluent radiation monitor greater than 2 times the alarm setpoint established by a current radioactivity discharge permit for 60 minutes or longer.
- (3) Sample analysis for a gaseous or liquid release indicates a concentration or release rate greater than 2 times the (site-specific effluent release controlling document) limits for 60 minutes or longer.
 - Reading on any of the following effluent monitors > 2 times alarm setpoint established by a current radioactive release discharge permit for ≥ 60 minutes.
 i. RM-L-6, Radwaste Discharge
 - ii. RM-L-12, IWTS / IWFS Discharge
 - iii. RM-A-7, Waste Gas Decay Tank Discharge
 - iv. Discharge Permit specified monitor

OR

2. Readings on ANY Table R1 Effluent Monitor > Table R1 value for > 60 minutes. OR

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3. Confirmed sample analyses for gaseous or liquid releases indicate concentrations or release rates > 2 times ODCM Limit with a release duration of > 60 minutes.

Table R1 Effluent Monitor Thresholds		
Effluent Monitor	Unusual Event	
RM-G-25 (Cond Offgas)	1.09 E+03 mR/hr	
RM-A-8GH (Station Vent)	7.03 E+01 cpm	
RM-G-24 (RB Purge)	6.34 E+01 mR/hr	
RM-A-14 (ESF Vent)	7.60 E-02 uCi/cc	

Basis:

This IC addresses a potential decrease in the level of safety of the plant as indicated by a low-level radiological release that exceeds regulatory commitments for an extended period of time (e.g., an uncontrolled release). It includes any gaseous or liquid radiological release, monitored or un-monitored, including those for which a radioactivity discharge permit is normally prepared.

Nuclear power plants incorporate design features intended to control the release of radioactive effluents to the environment. Further, there are administrative controls established to prevent unintentional releases, and to control and monitor intentional releases. The occurrence of an extended, uncontrolled radioactive release to the environment is indicative of degradation in these features and/or controls.

Radiological effluent EALs are also included to provide a basis for classifying events and conditions that cannot be readily or appropriately classified on the basis of plant conditions alone. The inclusion of both plant condition and radiological effluent EALs more fully addresses the spectrum of possible accident events and conditions.

Classification based on effluent monitor readings assumes that a release path to the environment is established. If the effluent flow past an effluent monitor is known to have stopped due to actions to isolate the release path, then the effluent monitor reading is no longer valid for classification purposes.

Releases should not be prorated or averaged. For example, a release exceeding 4 times release limits for 30 minutes does not meet the EAL.

EAL #1 Basis:

EAL #2 - This EAL addresses radioactivity releases that cause effluent radiation monitor readings to exceed 2 times the limit established by a radioactivity discharge permit. This EAL will typically be associated with planned batch releases from non-continuous release pathways (e.g., radwaste, waste gas).

The effluent monitors listed are those normally used for planned discharges. If a discharge is performed using a different flowpath or effluent monitor other than those

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listed (e.g., a portable or temporary effluent monitor), then the declaration criteria will be based on the monitor specified in the Discharge Permit.

EAL #2 Basis:

EAL #1 - This EAL addresses normally occurring continuous radioactivity releases from monitored gaseous or liquid effluent pathways.

EAL #3 Basis:

EAL #3 - This EAL addresses uncontrolled gaseous or liquid releases that are detected by sample analyses or environmental surveys, particularly on unmonitored pathways (e.g., spills of radioactive liquids into storm drains, heat exchanger leakage in river water systems, etc.).

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC **RAA1**.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AU1
- 2. OP 1101-2.1 Radiation Monitoring System Setpoints
- 3. FSAR Section 11.4 Radiation Monitoring System
- 4. Offsite Dose Calculation (ODCM)
- 5. OP-TM-MAP-C0101, Radiation Level HI
- 6. EP-EAL-0609 Revision 1, Criteria for Choosing Radiological Gaseous Effluent EAL Threshold Values, Three Mile Island

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Initiating Condition:

Significant lowering of water level above, or damage to, irradiated fuel.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

(1) Uncovery of irradiated fuel in the REFUELING PATHWAY.

(2) Damage to irradiated fuel resulting in a release of radioactivity from the fuel as indicated by **ANY** of the following radiation monitors:

(site-specific listing of radiation monitors, and the associated readings, setpoints and/or alarms)

- (3) Lowering of spent fuel pool level to (site-specific Level 2 value). [See Developer Notes]
 - 1. Uncovery of irradiated fuel in the REFUELING PATHWAY.
 - OR
 - 2. Damage to irradiated fuel resulting in a release of radioactivity from the fuel as indicated by **ANY** Table R2 Radiation Monitor reading >1000 mRem/hr

Table R2 Radiation Monitors		
RMS	Area Monitored	Mode
<u>RM-G-9</u>	FHB Bridge Rad Monitor	ALL
<u>RM-G-6</u>	RB Auxiliary Bridge Rad Monitor	<u>5, 6</u>
<u>RM-G-7</u>	RB Main Bridge Rad Monitor	<u>5, 6</u>

Basis:

<u>REFUELING PATHWAY: all the cavities, tubes, canals and pools through which</u> <u>irradiated fuel may be moved or stored, but not including the reactor vessel below the</u> <u>flange.</u>

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IMMINENT: The trajectory of events or conditions is such that an EAL will be met within a relatively short period of time regardless of mitigation or corrective actions.

This IC addresses events that have caused IMMINENT or actual damage to an irradiated fuel assembly., or a significant lowering of water level within the spent fuel pool (see *Developer Notes*). These events present radiological safety challenges to plant personnel and are precursors to a release of radioactivity to the environment. As such, they represent an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant.

This IC applies to irradiated fuel that is licensed for dry storage up to the point that the loaded storage cask is sealed. Once sealed, damage to a loaded cask causing loss of the CONFINEMENT BOUNDARY is classified in accordance with IC E-HU1.

Escalation of the emergency would be based on either Recognition Category A or C ICs.

EAL #1 Basis:

EAL #1

This EAL escalates from <u>RAU2</u> in that the loss of level, in the affected portion of the REFUELING PATHWAY, is of sufficient magnitude to have resulted in uncovery of irradiated fuel. Indications of irradiated fuel uncovery may include direct or indirect visual observation (e.g., reports from personnel or camera images), as well as significant changes in water and radiation levels, or other plant parameters. Computational aids may also be used (e.g., a boil-off curve). Classification of an event using this EAL should be based on the totality of available indications, reports and observations.

While an area radiation monitor could detect an increaserise in a dose rate due to a lowering of water level in some portion of the REFUELING PATHWAY, the reading may not be a reliable indication of whether or not the fuel is actually uncovered. To the degree possible, readings should be considered in combination with other available indications of inventory loss.

A drop in water level above irradiated fuel within the reactor vessel may be classified in accordance Recognition Category C during the Cold Shutdown and Refueling modes.

EAL #2 Basis:

EAL #2

This EAL addresses a release of radioactive material caused by mechanical damage to irradiated fuel. Damaging events may include the dropping, bumping or binding of an assembly, or dropping a heavy load onto an assembly. A rise in readings on radiation monitors should be considered in conjunction with in-plant reports or observations of a potential fuel damaging event (e.g., a fuel handling accident).

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Escalation of the emergency would be based on either Recognition Category R A or C ICs.

EAL #3

Spent fuel pool water level at this value is within the lower end of the level range necessary to prevent significant dose consequences from direct gamma radiation to personnel performing operations in the vicinity of the spent fuel pool. This condition reflects a significant loss of spent fuel pool water inventory and thus it is also a precursor to a loss of the ability to adequately cool the irradiated fuel assembles stored in the pool.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via ICs AS1 or AS2 (see AS2 Developer Notes).

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AA2
- 2. Operating Procedure OP-TM-MAP-C0105 RCS Draindown LVL HI/LO
- 3. OP-TM-MAP-C0101, Radiation Level HI
- 4. UFSAR, Section 14.2.2.1 "Fuel Handling Accident"
- 5 Technical Specification 3.8.11 (Reactor Cavity Level)
- 6. Operating Procedure OP 1101-2.1 Radiation Monitoring System Setpoints

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Initiating Condition:

UNPLANNED loss of water level above irradiated fuel.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

(1) a. UNPLANNED water level drop in the REFUELING PATHWAY as indicated by ANY of the following:

(site-specific level indications).

AND

UNPLANNED rise in area radiation levels as indicated by **ANY** of the following radiation monitors.

(site-specific list of area radiation monitors)

a. UNPLANNED water level drop in the REFUELING PATHWAY.

AND

b. UNPLANNED Area Radiation Monitor reading rise on ANY radiation monitors in Table R2.

	Table R2 Radiation Monitors		
RMS	Area Monitored	Mode	
<u>RM-G-9</u>	FHB Bridge Rad Monitor	ALL	
<u>RM-G-6</u>	RB Auxiliary Bridge Rad Monitor	<u>5, 6</u>	
<u>RM-G-7</u>	RB Main Bridge Rad Monitor	<u>5, 6</u>	

Basis:

<u>UNPLANNED:</u> A parameter change or an event that is not 1) the result of an intended evolution or 2) an expected plant response to a transient. The cause of the parameter change or event may be known or unknown.

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<u>REFUELING PATHWAY: all the cavities, tubes, canals and pools through which</u> <u>irradiated fuel may be moved or stored, but not including the reactor vessel below the</u> <u>flange.</u>

This IC addresses a <u>decrease loss</u> in water level above irradiated fuel sufficient to cause elevated radiation levels. This condition could be a precursor to a more serious event and is also indicative of a minor loss in the ability to control radiation levels within the plant. It is therefore a potential degradation in the level of safety of the plant.

A water level <u>decrease loss</u> will be primarily determined by indications from available level instrumentation. Other sources of level indications may include reports from plant personnel (e.g., from a refueling crew) or video camera observations (if available) or from any other temporarily installed monitoring instrumentation. A significant drop in the water level may also cause an increaserise in the radiation levels of adjacent areas that can be detected by monitors in those locations.

The effects of planned evolutions should be considered. For example, a refueling bridge area radiation monitor reading may increaserise due to planned evolutions such as lifting of the reactor vessel head or movement of a fuel assembly. Note that this EAL is applicable only in cases where the elevated reading is due to an UNPLANNED loss of water level.

A drop in water level above irradiated fuel within the reactor vessel may be classified in accordance Recognition Category C during the Cold Shutdown and Refueling modes.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC <u>RAA2</u>.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AU2
- 2. UFSAR, Section 14.2.2.1 "Fuel Handling Accident"
- 3. OP-TM-MAP-C0105 RCS Draindown
- 4. OP 1202-12, Excessive Radiation Levels
- 5. OP 1101-2.1 Radiation Monitoring System Setpoints
- 6. Technical Specification 3.8.11 (Reactor Cavity Level)

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Initiating Condition:

Radiation levels that impede access to equipment necessary for normal plant operations, cooldown or shutdown.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, D

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** If the equipment in the <u>listed</u>-room or area <u>listed in Table R4</u> was already inoperable, or out of service, before the event occurred, then no emergency classification is warranted
- (1) Dose rate greater than 15 mR/hr in ANY of the following areas:
 - Control Room
 - Central Alarm Station
 - (other site specific areas/rooms)
- (2) An UNPLANNED event results in radiation levels that prohibit or impede access to any of the following plant rooms or areas:
 - (site-specific list of plant rooms or areas with entry-related mode applicability identified)
 - 1. Dose rate greater than> 15 mR/hr in ANY of the areas contained in Table R3:



Main Control Room

• Central Alarm Station – (by survey)

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2. UNPLANNED event results in radiation levels that prohibit or significantly impede access to any of the following Table R4 plant rooms or areas:

Table R4 Areas with Entry Related Mode Applicability		
Area	Entry Related Mode Applicability	
Reactor Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6	
Intermediate Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6	
Auxiliary Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6	
Fuel Handling Building*	Modes 4, 5, and 6	
*Areas required to esta	blish shutdown cooling	

Basis:

<u>UNPLANNED:</u> A parameter change or an event that is not 1) the result of an intended evolution or 2) an expected plant response to a transient. The cause of the parameter change or event may be known or unknown.

This IC addresses elevated radiation levels in certain plant rooms/areas sufficient to preclude or impede personnel from performing actions necessary to <u>transition the plant</u> from normal plant operation to cooldown and shutdown as specified in normal plant proceduresmaintain normal plant operation, or to perform a normal plant cooldown and shutdown. As such, it represents an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant. The Emergency Director should consider the cause of the increased radiation levels and determine if another IC may be applicable.

Table R4 is a list of plant rooms or areas with entry-related mode applicability that contain equipment which require a manual/local action necessary to transition the plant from normal plant operation to cooldown and shutdown as specified in normal operating procedures (establish shutdown cooling), where if this action is not completed the plant would not be able to attain and maintain cold shutdown. This Table does not include rooms or areas for which entry is required solely to perform actions of an administrative or record keeping nature (e.g., normal rounds or routine inspections).

Rooms and areas listed in EAL #1 do not need to be included in EAL #2, including the Control Room.

For EAL #2, an Alert declaration is warranted if entry into the affected room/area is, or may be, procedurally required during the plant operating mode in effect and the elevated radiation levels preclude the ability to place shutdown cooling in service at the time of the elevated radiation levels. The emergency classification is not contingent upon whether entry is actually necessary at the time of the increased radiation levels. Access should be considered as impeded if extraordinary measures are necessary to facilitate entry of

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personnel into the affected room/area (e.g., installing temporary shielding <u>beyond that</u> <u>required by procedures</u>, requiring use of non-routine protective equipment, requesting an extension in dose limits beyond normal administrative limits).

An emergency declaration is not warranted if any of the following conditions apply.

- The plant is in an operating mode different than the mode specified for the affected room/area (i.e., entry is not required during the operating mode in effect at the time of the elevated radiation levels). For example, the plant is in Mode 1 when the radiation increaserise occurs, and the procedures used for normal operation, cooldown and shutdown do not require entry into the affected room until Mode 4.
- The increased radiation levels are a result of a planned activity that includes compensatory measures which address the temporary inaccessibility of a room or area (e.g., radiography, spent filter or resin transfer, etc.).
- The action for which room/area entry is required is of an administrative or record keeping nature (e.g., normal rounds or routine inspections).
- The access control measures are of a conservative or precautionary nature, and would not actually prevent or impede a required action.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via Recognition Category <u>RA</u>, C or F ICs.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, AA3
- 2. FSAR Section 5.01 Class I Structures, Components, and Systems
- 3. OP-TM-MAP-C0101, Radiation Level HI

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Initiating Condition:

Reactor coolant activity greater than Technical Specification allowable limits.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

(1) (Site-specific radiation monitor) reading greater than (site-specific value).

(2) Sample analysis indicates that a reactor coolant activity value is greater than an allowable limit specified in Technical Specifications.

1. Letdown Monitor RM-L-1 alert alarm (high or low channel).

<u>OR</u>

2. Sample analysis indicates that:

a. Dose Equivalent I-131 specific coolant activity > 60.0 uCi/gm.

OR

b. Dose Equivalent XE-133 specific coolant activity > 797.0 uCi/gm.

Basis:

This IC addresses a reactor coolant activity value that exceeds an allowable limit specified in Technical Specifications. This condition is a precursor to a more significant event and represents a potential degradation of the level of safety of the plant.

Conditions that cause the specified monitor to alarm that are not related to fuel clad degradation should not result in the declaration of an Unusual Event.

This EAL addresses site-specific radiation monitor readings that provide indication of a degradation of fuel clad integrity.

An Unusual Event is only warranted when actual fuel clad damage is the cause of the elevated coolant sample activity (as determined by laboratory confirmation). Fuel clad damage should be assumed to be the cause of elevated Reactor Coolant activity unless another cause is known.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via ICs FA1 or the Recognition Category <u>RA</u> ICs.

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- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SU3
- 2. Operating Procedure 1101-2.1 Radiation Monitoring System Setpoints
- 3. FSAR Section 11.4.4, Liquid Monitoring Subsystem
- 4. OP-TM-MAP-C0101, Radiation Level HI
- 5. Technical Specifications 3.1.4, Reactor Coolant System Activity

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Loss of ANY Two Barriers AND Loss or Potential Loss of the third barrier.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Refer to Fission Product Barrier Loss and Potential Loss threshold values to determine barrier status.

Basis:

Fuel Cladding, RCS and Containment comprise the fission product barriers.

At the General Emergency classification level each barrier is weighted equally.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3

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Initiating Condition:

Loss or Potential Loss of ANY two barriers.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Refer to Fission Product Barrier Loss and Potential Loss threshold values to determine barrier status.

Basis:

Fuel Cladding, RCS and Containment comprise the fission product barriers.

At the Site Area Emergency classification level, each barrier is weighted equally.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

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Initiating Condition:

ANY Loss or ANY Potential Loss of either Fuel Clad or RCS.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Refer to Fission Product Barrier Loss and Potential Loss threshold values to determine barrier status.

Basis:

Fuel Cladding, RCS and Containment comprise the fission product barriers.

At the Alert classification level, Fuel Cladding and RCS barriers are weighted more heavily than the Containment barrier. Unlike the Containment barrier, loss or potential loss of either the Fuel Cladding or RCS barrier may result in the relocation of radioactive materials or degradation of core cooling capability. Note that the loss or potential loss of Containment barrier in combination with loss or potential loss of either Fuel Cladding or RCS barrier results in declaration of a Site Area Emergency under EAL FS1.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3

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Initiating Condition:

RCS or SG Tube Leakage

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

POTENTIAL LOSS

A. RCS/reactor vessel level less than (site specific value).

1. RCITS hot leg instruments indicate 0 inches after lowering trend.

AND

2. In-core thermocouples are unavailable.

AND

3. ALL RCP's are secured.

Basis:

There is no Loss threshold associated with RCS or SG Tube Leakage.

Potential Loss Threshold Basis:

This reading indicates a reduction in reactor vessel water level sufficient to allow the onset of heat-induced cladding damage.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. FSAR 7.3.2.2.c.10.d
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-008, RCS Superheated
- 4. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules Guides and Graphs

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Inadequate Heat Removal

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

A. Core Exit Thermocouple readings greater than (site specific temperature value)

1. <u>T_{clad} > 1400°F</u>

Potential Loss

A. Core exit thermocouple readings greater than (site specific temperature value).

B. Inadequate RCS heat removal capability via steam generators as indicated by (site specific indications).

2. > 25°F Superheat

OR

3. HPI-PORV Cooling in effect

Basis:

Loss Threshold #1 Basis

Loss 2.A

This reading indicates temperatures within the core are sufficient to cause significant superheating of reactor coolant.

Potential Loss Threshold #2 Basis

Potential Loss 2.A

This reading indicates temperatures within the core are sufficient to allow the onset of heat-induced cladding damage.

Potential Loss Threshold #3 Basis

Potential Loss 2.B

This condition indicates an extreme challenge to the ability to remove RCS heat using the steam generators (i.e., loss of an effective secondary-side heat sink). This condition represents a potential loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier. In accordance with EOPs, there may be unusual accident conditions during which operators intentionally reduce the

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heat removal capability of the steam generators; during these conditions, classification using threshold is not warranted.

Meeting this threshold results in a Site Area Emergency because this threshold is identical to RCS Barrier <u>RC2</u> Potential Loss threshold-<u>2</u>.A; both will be met. This condition warrants a Site Area Emergency declaration because inadequate RCS heat removal may result in fuel heat-up sufficient to damage the cladding and <u>increaseraise</u> RCS pressure to the point where mass will be lost from the system.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. OS-24 Attachment D
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-004, Lack of Primary to Secondary Heat Transfer
- 4. OP-TM-EOP-008, RCS Superheated
- 5. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 6. OS-24, Conduct of Operations during Abnormal and Emergency Events

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Initiating Condition:

Containment Radiation / RCS Activity

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

1A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (site specific value)

(RM-G-22 or RM-G-23) reading > 1.95E+03 R/hr.

<u>OR</u>

<u>2B. (Site-specific indications that reactor coolant activity is greater than 300uCi/gm dose equivalent I-131)</u> Coolant activity as sampled > **300uCi/gm** Dose Equivalent I-131

Basis:

Loss Threshold #1 Basis

Loss 3.A

The radiation monitor reading corresponds to an instantaneous release of all reactor coolant mass into the containment, assuming that reactor coolant activity equals 300μ Ci/gm dose equivalent I-131. Reactor coolant activity above this level is greater than that expected for iodine spikes and corresponds to an approximate range of 2% to 5% fuel clad damage. Since this condition indicates that a significant amount of fuel clad damage has occurred, it represents a loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.

The radiation monitor reading in this threshold is higher than that specified for RCS Barrier <u>RC3</u> Loss <u>T</u>threshold <u>3.A</u>-since it indicates a loss of both the Fuel Clad Barrier and the RCS Barrier. Note that a combination of the two monitor readings appropriately escalates the emergency classification level to a Site Area Emergency.

Loss Threshold #2 Basis

Loss 3.B

This threshold indicates that RCS radioactivity concentration is greater than 300 μ Ci/gm dose equivalent I-131. Reactor coolant activity above this level is greater than that expected for iodine spikes and corresponds to an approximate range of 2% to 5% fuel clad damage. Since this condition indicates that a significant amount of fuel clad damage has occurred, it represents a loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.

It is recognized that sample collection and analysis of reactor coolant with highly elevated activity levels could require several hours to complete. Nonetheless, a sample-related threshold is included as a backup to other indications



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There is no <u>Fuel Clad Barrier</u> Potential Loss threshold associated with RCS Activity / Containment Radiation.

Basis Reference(s):

5.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. OP-TM-MAP-C0101, Radiation Level HI
- 3. FSAR Section 11.4.4, Liquid Monitoring System Description
- 4. Calculation C3640-98-034, Prediction of the Response of RM-G-6 and 7 to Fuel Damage
 - Core Damage Assessment Methodology (CDAM)

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Emergency Director Judgment.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

1A. Any condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.

POTENTIAL LOSS

2A. Any condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Fuel Clad Barrier.

Basis:

Loss Threshold #1 Basis

Loss 6.A

This threshold addresses any other factors that may be used by the Emergency Director in determining whether the Fuel Clad Barrier is lost.

Potential Loss Threshold #2 Basis

Potential Loss 6.A

This threshold addresses any other factors that may be used by the Emergency Director in determining whether the Fuel Clad Barrier is potentially lost. The Emergency Director should also consider whether or not to declare the barrier potentially lost in the event that barrier status cannot be monitored.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

RCS or SG Tube Leakage

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

<u>LOSS</u>

A.<u>1.An Aa</u>utomatic or manual ECCS (SI)ESAS actuation is required by EITHER of the following:

<u>a</u>1. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage

OR

<u>b</u>2. Steam Generator tube RUPTURE.

POTENTIAL LOSS

2. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage > 150gpm.

<u>OR</u>

- 3. HPI-PORV Cooling in effect. OR
- 4. a. RCS Pressure > 2450 psig.

AND

b. RCS Pressure not lowering.

Operation of a standby charging (makeup) pump is required by **EITHER** of the following:1. UNISOLABLE RCS leakage

OR

SG tube leakage.

B. . RCS cooldown rate greater than (site specific pressurized thermal shock citeria/limits defined by site specific indications)

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3. RCS Integrity Red entry conditions met.

Basis:

UNISOLABLE: An open or breached system line that cannot be isolated, remotely or locally.

RUPTURE(D): The condition of a steam generator in which primary-to-secondary leakage is of sufficient magnitude to require a safety injection.

FAULTED: The term applied to a steam generator that has a steam leak on the secondary side of sufficient size to cause an uncontrolled drop in steam generator pressure or the steam generator to become completely depressurized.

Loss Threshold #1 Basis

Loss 1.A

This threshold is based on an UNISOLABLE RCS leak of sufficient size to require an automatic or manual actuation of the Emergency Core Cooling System (ECCS). This condition clearly represents a loss of the RCS Barrier.

This threshold is applicable to unidentified and pressure boundary leakage, as well as identified leakage. It is also applicable to UNISOLABLE RCS leakage through an interfacing system. The mass loss may be into any location – inside containment, to the secondary-side (i.e., steam generator tube leakage) or outside of containment.

A steam generator with primary-to-secondary leakage of sufficient magnitude to require a safety injection is considered to be RUPTURED. If a RUPTURED steam generator is also FAULTED outside of containment, the declaration escalates to a Site Area Emergency since the Containment Barrier <u>CT1</u> Loss threshold <u>1.A</u> will also be met.

Potential Loss Threshold #2 Basis

Potential Loss 1.A

This threshold is based on an UNISOLABLE RCS leak that results in the inability to maintain pressurizer level within specified limits by operation of a normally used charging (makeup) pump, but an ECCS (SI) actuation has not occurred. The threshold is met when an operating procedure, or operating crew supervision, directs that a standby charging (makeup) pump be placed in service to restore and maintain pressurizer level.

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This threshold is applicable to unidentified and pressure boundary leakage, as well as identified leakage. It is also applicable to UNISOLABLE RCS leakage through an interfacing system. The mass loss may be into any location – inside containment, to the secondary-side (i.e., steam generator tube leakage) or outside of containment.

If a leaking steam generator is also FAULTED outside of containment, the declaration escalates to a Site Area Emergency since the Containment Barrier Loss threshold <u>CT</u>1.A-will also be met.

Potential Loss Threshold #3 Basis

Potential Loss 1.B

This condition indicates an extreme challenge to the integrity of the RCS pressure boundary due to pressurized thermal shock – a transient that causes rapid RCS cooldown while the RCS is in Mode 3 or higher (i.e., hot and pressurized).

Basis Reference(s):

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-010 Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs

3. OP-TM-EOP-002 Loss of 25°F Subcooled Margin

- 4. OP-TM-MAP-D031, MU Flow HI
- 5. OP-TM-EOP-005, OTSG Tube Leakage

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Initiating Condition:

Inadequate Heat Removal

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

POTENTIAL LOSS

Α.

HPI-PORV Cooling in effect

Inadequate RCS heat removal capability via steam generators as indicated by (site specific indications)

Basis:

There is no Loss threshold associated with Inadequate Heat Removal.

Potential Loss Threshold Basis

Potential Loss 2.A

HPI-PORV Cooling in effect indicates a Lack of Primary to Secondary Heat Transfer capability.

This condition indicates an extreme challenge to the ability to remove RCS heat using the steam generators (i.e., loss of an effective secondary-side heat sink). This condition represents a potential loss of the RCS Barrier. In accordance with EOPs, there may be unusual accident conditions during which operators intentionally reduce the heat removal capability of the steam generators; during these conditions, classification using threshold is not warranted.

Meeting this threshold results in a Site Area Emergency because this threshold is identical to Fuel Clad Barrier FC2 Potential Loss <u>T</u>threshold <u>2.B#3</u>; both will be met. This condition warrants a Site Area Emergency declaration because inadequate RCS heat removal may result in fuel heat-up sufficient to damage the cladding and increaseraise RCS pressure to the point where mass will be lost from the system.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-004, Lack of Primary to Secondary Heat Transfer

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Containment Radiation / RCS Activity

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (RM-G-22 or RM-G-23) reading > 25 R/hr.

_(site specific value).

Basis:

Loss Threshold Basis

Loss 3.A

The radiation monitor reading corresponds to an instantaneous release of all reactor coolant mass into the containment, assuming that reactor coolant activity equals Technical Specification allowable limits. This value is lower than that specified for Fuel Clad Barrier FC3 Loss <u>T</u>threshold <u>3.A#1</u> since it indicates a loss of the RCS Barrier only.

There is no <u>RCS</u> Potential Loss threshold associated with RCS Activity / Containment Radiation.

Basis Reference(s):

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. EP-EAL-0611, Criteria for Choosing Containment Radiation Monitor Reading Indicative of Loss of RCS Barrier



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RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Emergency Director Judgment.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

1A. Any condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the RCS Barrier.

POTENTIAL LOSS

<u>2</u>B. Any condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the RCS Barrier.

Basis:

Loss Threshold #1 Basis

Loss 6.A

This threshold addresses any other factors that may be used by the Emergency Director in determining whether the RCS Barrier is lost.

Potential Loss Threshold #2 Basis

Potential Loss 6.A

This threshold addresses any other factors that may be used by the Emergency Director in determining whether the RCS Barrier is potentially lost. The Emergency Director should also consider whether or not to declare the barrier potentially lost in the event that barrier status cannot be monitored.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3



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RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

RCS or SG Tube Leakage

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

A. A leaking or RUPTURED SG is FAULTED outside of containment.

1. SG tube leakage > 150gpm

AND

2. SG is FAULTED outside of containment.

Basis:

<u>RUPTURE(D): The condition of a steam generator in which primary-to-secondary leakage is of sufficient magnitude to require a safety injection.</u>

FAULTED: The term applied to a steam generator that has a steam leak on the secondary side of sufficient size to cause an uncontrolled drop in steam generator pressure or the steam generator to become completely depressurized.

Loss Threshold Basis

Loss 1.A

This threshold addresses a leaking or RUPTURED Steam Generator (SG) that is also FAULTED outside of containment. The condition of the SG, whether leaking or RUPTURED, is determined in accordance with the thresholds for RCS Barrier <u>RC1</u> Potential Loss <u>Threshold 2.b</u> 1.A and Loss <u>Threshold 1.b</u>.A, respectively. This condition represents a bypass of the containment barrier.

FAULTED is a defined term within the NEI 99-01 methodology; this determination is not necessarily dependent upon entry into, or diagnostic steps within, an EOP. For example, if the pressure in a steam generator is decreasing uncontrollably [*part of the FAULTED definition*] and the faulted steam generator isolation procedure is not entered because EOP user rules are dictating implementation of another procedure to address a higher priority condition, the steam generator is still considered FAULTED for emergency classification purposes.

The FAULTED criterion establishes an appropriate lower bound on the size of a steam release that may require an emergency classification. Steam releases of this size are readily observable with normal Control Room indications. The lower bound for this aspect of the containment barrier is analogous to the lower bound criteria specified in IC

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<u>R</u>SU3 for the fuel clad barrier (i.e., RCS activity values) and IC <u>M</u>SU<u>6</u>4 for the RCS barrier (i.e., RCS leak rate values).

This threshold also applies to prolonged steam releases necessitated by operational considerations such as the forced steaming of a leaking or RUPTURED steam generator directly to atmosphere to cooldown the plant, or to drive an auxiliary (emergency) feed water pump. These types of conditions will result in a significant and sustained release of radioactive steam to the environment (and are thus similar to a FAULTED condition). The inability to isolate the steam flow without an adverse effect on plant cooldown meets the intent of a loss of containment.

Steam releases associated with the expected operation of a SG power operated relief valve or safety relief valve do not meet the intent of this threshold. Such releases may occur intermittently for a short period of time following a reactor trip as operators process through emergency operating procedures to bring the plant to a stable condition and prepare to initiate a plant cooldown. Steam releases associated with the unexpected operation of a valve (e.g., a stuck-open safety valve) do meets this threshold.

Following an SG tube leak or rupture, there may be minor radiological releases through a secondary-side system component (e.g., air ejectors, glad seal exhausters, valve packing, etc.). These types of releases do not constitute a loss or potential loss of containment but should be evaluated using the Recognition Category <u>RA</u> ICs.

The emergency classification levels resulting from primary-to-secondary leakage, with or without a steam release from the FAULTED SG, are summarized below.



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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION Affected SG is FAULTED **Outside of Containment?** P-to-S Leak Rate Yes No No classification No classification Less than or equal to 25 gpm (or other value per SU4 Developer Notes) Unusual Event per Unusual Event per Greater than 25 gpm (or other value per SU4 SU4MU6 SU4MU6 **Developer Notes**) Greater than 150 gpm. The capacity of one makeup pump in the normal Site Area Emergency Alert per FA1 charging mode is exceeded per FS1 Requires operation of a standby charging (makeup) pump (RCS Barrier Potential Loss)

Requires an automatic or manual ECCS (SI) actuation (RCS Barrier Loss) Site Area Emergency per FS1

Alert per FA1

There is no Potential Loss threshold associated with RCS or SG Tube Leakage.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-005, OTSG Tube Leakage
- 4. OP-TM-EOP-001, Reactor Trip

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Inadequate Heat Removal

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

POTENTIAL LOSS

A. 1. (Site specific criteria for entry into core cooling restoration procedure) AND

2. Restoration procedure not effective within 15 minutes.

1. T_{clad} > 1800°F

AND

2. EOP Restoration procedures not effective in < 15 minutes.

Basis:

IMMINENT: The trajectory of events or conditions is such that an EAL will be met within a relatively short period of time regardless of mitigation or corrective actions.

There is no Loss threshold associated with Inadequate Heat Removal.

Potential Loss Threshold Basis

Potential Loss 2.A

This condition represents an IMMINENT core melt sequence which, if not corrected, could lead to vessel failure and an increased potential for containment failure. For this condition to occur, there must already have been a loss of the RCS Barrier and the Fuel Clad Barrier. If implementation of a procedure(s) to restore adequate core cooling is not effective (successful) within 15 minutes, it is assumed that the event trajectory will likely lead to core melting and a subsequent challenge of the Containment Barrier.

The restoration procedure is considered "effective" if core exit thermocouple readings are decreasing and/or if reactor vessel level is increasing. Whether or not the procedure(s) will be effective should be apparent within 15 minutes. The Emergency Director should escalate the emergency classification level as soon as it is determined that the procedure(s) will not be effective.

Severe accident analyses (e.g., NUREG-1150) have concluded that function restoration procedures can arrest core degradation in a significant fraction of core damage scenarios, and that the likelihood of containment failure is very small in these events. Given this, it is appropriate to provide 15 minutes beyond the required entry point to determine if procedural actions can reverse the core melt sequence.

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Basis Reference(s):

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-008, RCS Superheated
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 4. OP-TM-EOP-006, LOCA Cooldown

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

RECOGNITION CATEGORY FISSION PRODUCT BARRIER DEGRADATION

Initiating Condition:

Containment Radiation / RCS Activity

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

POTENTIAL LOSS

A. Containment radiation monitor reading greater than (RM-G-22 or RM-G-23) reading > 4.40E+03 R/hr.(site specific value).

Basis:

There is no Loss threshold associated with RCS Activity / Containment Radiation.

Potential Loss Threshold Basis

Potential Loss 3.A

The radiation monitor reading corresponds to an instantaneous release of all reactor coolant mass into the containment, assuming that 20% of the fuel cladding has failed. This level of fuel clad failure is well above that used to determine the analogous Fuel Clad Barrier Loss and RCS Barrier Loss thresholds.

NUREG-1228, Source Estimations During Incident Response to Severe Nuclear Power Plant Accidents, indicates the fuel clad failure must be greater than approximately 20% in order for there to be a major release of radioactivity requiring offsite protective actions. For this condition to exist, there must already have been a loss of the RCS Barrier and the Fuel Clad Barrier. It is therefore prudent to treat this condition as a potential loss of containment which would then escalate the emergency classification level to a General Emergency.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. Core Damage Assessment Methodology (CDAM)

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Initiating Condition:

Containment Integrity or Bypass

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

1A. Containment isolation is required AND EITHER of the following:

<u>a</u>1. UNPLANNED <u>decrease-lowering</u> in containment pressure or rise in radiation monitor readings outside of containment in the Emergency Directors judgment that indicate a loss of containment integrity.

OR

b2. UNISOLABLE pathway from containment to the environment exists.

OR

2B. Indication of RCS leakage outside of containment



POTENTIAL LOSS

<u>3A. Containment Red entry conditions metReactor Building pressure > 55 psig and rising.</u>

OR

<u>4B. Explosive mixture exists inside containment. Hydrogen Concentration in</u> Containment > 4%.

OR

<u>5</u>C. <u>a</u>1. <u>Containment Reactor Building pressure greater than (site specific pressure setpoint) > 30 psig</u>

AND

<u>b</u>2. Less than one full train of (site specific system or equipment) is operating per design for **15 minutes** or longer. <u>Reactor Building Emergency Cooling is less</u> than **ANY** one of the following conditions.

SPRAY	COOLERS
2	<u>0</u>
<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
1	1

Basis:

FAULTED: The term applied to a steam generator that has a steam leak on the secondary side of sufficient size to cause an uncontrolled drop in steam generator pressure or the steam generator to become completely depressurized.

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<u>UNPLANNED: A parameter change or an event that is not 1) the result of an intended</u> <u>evolution or 2) an expected plant response to a transient. The cause of the parameter</u> <u>change or event may be known or unknown.</u>

UNISOLABLE: An open or breached system line that cannot be isolated, remotely or locally.

LossThreshold #1 Basis:

Loss 4.A

These thresholds address a situation where containment isolation is required and one of two conditions exists as discussed below. Users are reminded that there may be accident and release conditions that simultaneously meet both loss thresholds <u>1.a</u>4.A.1 and <u>1.b</u>4.A.2.

<u>1.a</u>4.A.1 – Containment integrity has been lost, i.e., the actual containment atmospheric leak rate likely exceeds that associated with allowable leakage (or sometimes referred to as design leakage). Following the release of RCS mass into containment, containment pressure will fluctuate based on a variety of factors; a loss of containment integrity condition may (or may not) be accompanied by a noticeable drop in containment pressure. Recognizing the inherent difficulties in determining a containment leak rate during accident conditions, it is expected that the Emergency Director will assess this threshold using judgment, and with due consideration given to current plant conditions, and available operational and radiological data (e.g., containment pressure, readings on radiation monitors outside containment, operating status of containment pressure control equipment, etc.).

Refer to the middle piping run of Figure 9-F-4. Two simplified examples are provided. One is leakage from a penetration and the other is leakage from an in-service system valve. Depending upon radiation monitor locations and sensitivities, the leakage could be detected by any of the four monitors depicted in the figure.

Another example would be a loss or potential loss of the RCS barrier, and the simultaneous occurrence of two FAULTED locations on a steam generator where one fault is located inside containment (e.g., on a steam or feedwater line) and the other outside of containment. In this case, the associated steam line provides a pathway for the containment atmosphere to escape to an area outside the containment.

Following the leakage of RCS mass into containment and a rise in containment pressure, there may be minor radiological releases associated with allowable (design) containment leakage through various penetrations or system components. These releases do not constitute a loss or potential loss of containment but should be evaluated using the Recognition Category RA ICs.

<u>1.b</u>4.A.2 – Conditions are such that there is an UNISOLABLE pathway for the migration of radioactive material from the containment atmosphere to the environment. As used here, the term "environment" includes the atmosphere of a room or area, outside the containment, that may, in turn, communicate with the outside-the-plant atmosphere

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(e.g., through discharge of a ventilation system or atmospheric leakage). Depending upon a variety of factors, this condition may or may not be accompanied by a noticeable drop in containment pressure.

Refer to the top piping run of Figure 9-F-4. In this simplified example, the inboard and outboard isolation valves remained open after a containment isolation was required (i.e., containment isolation was not successful). There is now an UNISOLABLE pathway from the containment to the environment.

The existence of a filter is not considered in the threshold assessment. Filters do not remove fission product noble gases. In addition, a filter could become ineffective due to iodine and/or particulate loading beyond design limits (i.e., retention ability has been exceeded) or water saturation from steam/high humidity in the release stream.

Leakage between two interfacing liquid systems, by itself, does not meet this threshold.

Refer to the bottom piping run of Figure 9-F-4. In this simplified example, leakage in an RCP seal cooler is allowing radioactive material to enter the Auxiliary Building. The radioactivity would be detected by the Process Monitor. If there is no leakage from the closed water cooling system to the Auxiliary Building, then no threshold has been met. If the pump or system piping developed a leak that allowed steam/water to enter the Auxiliary Building, then <u>loss</u> threshold <u>24.B</u> would be met. Depending upon radiation monitor locations and sensitivities, this leakage could be detected by any of the four monitors depicted in the figure and cause threshold <u>1.a4.A.1</u> to be met as well.

Following the leakage of RCS mass into containment and a rise in containment pressure, there may be minor radiological releases associated with allowable (design) containment leakage through various penetrations or system components. Minor releases may also occur if a containment isolation valve(s) fails to close but the containment atmosphere escapes to a closed system. These releases do not constitute a loss or potential loss of containment but should be evaluated using the Recognition Category RA ICs.

The status of the containment barrier during an event involving steam generator tube leakage is assessed using <u>Containment Barrier CT1</u> Loss <u>**T**t</u>hreshold</u><u>**1**.A</u>.

Loss Threshold #2 Basis:

Loss 4.B

Containment sump, temperature, pressure and/or radiation levels will <u>increaserise</u> if reactor coolant mass is leaking into the containment. If these parameters have not increased, then the reactor coolant mass may be leaking outside of containment (i.e., a containment bypass sequence). <u>IncreaseRaise</u>s in sump, temperature, pressure, flow and/or radiation level readings outside of the containment may indicate that the RCS mass is being lost outside of containment.

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Unexpected elevated readings and alarms on radiation monitors with detectors outside containment should be corroborated with other available indications to confirm that the source is a loss of RCS mass outside of containment. If the fuel clad barrier has not been lost, radiation monitor readings outside of containment may not increaserise significantly; however, other unexpected changes in sump levels, area temperatures or pressures, flow rates, etc. should be sufficient to determine if RCS mass is being lost outside of the containment.

Refer to the middle piping run of Figure 9-F-4. In this simplified example, a leak has occurred at a reducer on a pipe carrying reactor coolant in the Auxiliary Building. Depending upon radiation monitor locations and sensitivities, the leakage could be

detected by any of the four monitors depicted in the figure and cause <u>loss</u> threshold <u>1.a</u>4.A.1 to be met as well.

To ensure proper escalation of the emergency classification, the RCS leakage outside of containment must be related to the mass loss that is causing the RCS <u>Barrier RC1</u> Loss <u>Threshold 1.a</u> and/or Potential Loss threshold <u>2.a</u>1.A to be met.

Potential Loss Threshold #3 Basis

Potential Loss 4.A

If containment pressure exceeds the design pressure, there exists a potential to lose the Containment Barrier. To reach this level, there must be an inadequate core cooling condition for an extended period of time; therefore, the RCS and Fuel Clad barriers would already be lost. Thus, this threshold is a discriminator between a Site Area Emergency and General Emergency since there is now a potential to lose the third barrier.

Potential Loss Threshold #4 Basis

Potential Loss 4.B

The existence of an explosive mixture means, at a minimum, that the containment atmospheric hydrogen concentration is sufficient to support a hydrogen burn (i.e., at the lower deflagration limit). A hydrogen burn will raise containment pressure and could result in collateral equipment damage leading to a loss of containment integrity. It therefore represents a potential loss of the Containment Barrier.

Potential Loss Threshold #5 Basis

Potential Loss 4.C

This threshold describes a condition where containment pressure is greater than the setpoint at which containment energy (heat) removal systems are designed to automatically actuate, and less than one full train of equipment is capable of operating per design. The 15-minute criterion is included to allow operators time to manually start equipment that may not have automatically started, if possible. This threshold represents a potential loss of containment in that containment heat removal/depressurization systems (e.g., containment sprays, ice condenser fans, etc.,



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but not including containment venting strategies) are either lost or performing in a degraded manner

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3
- 2. FSAR Section 6.6 Reactor Building Pressure-Time Response
- 3. Technical Specifications 3.5.3, Engineered Safeguards Protection System Actuation Setpoints
- 4. FSAR Section 6.3.3, Actuation
- 5. FSAR Section 6.5.3, Hydrogen Generation
- 6. OP-TM-EOP-006, LOCA Cooldown
- 7. 1302-5.25 Reactor Building Sump Level
- 8. FSAR Section 5.2 Reactor Building
- 9. FSAR Section 9.2, Chemical Addition and Sampling System
- 10. OP-TM-EOP-002, Loss of 25⁰F Subcooling Margin
- 11. OP-TM-EOP-006, LOCA Cooldown
- 12. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides and Graphs
- 13. OP-TM-MAP-D0301, High Make-up Flow

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Initiating Condition:

Emergency Director Judgment.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Fission Product Barrier (FPB) Threshold:

LOSS

1A. Any condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Loss of the Containment Barrier.

POTENTIAL LOSS

<u>2B.</u> Any condition in the opinion of the Emergency Director that indicates Potential Loss of the Containment Barrier.

Basis:

Loss Threshold #1 Basis

Loss 6.A

This threshold addresses any other factors that may be used by the Emergency Director in determining whether the Containment Barrier is lost.

Potential Loss Threshold #2 Basis

Potential Loss 6.A

This threshold addresses any other factors that may be used by the Emergency Director in determining whether the Containment Barrier is potentially lost. The Emergency Director should also consider whether or not to declare the barrier potentially lost in the event that barrier status cannot be monitored.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, Table 9-F-3

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Initiating Condition:

Prolonged loss of all Off-site and all On-Site AC power to emergency busses.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** The Emergency Director should declare the <u>General Emergencyevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>(site-specific hours)</u> the applicable time has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- <u>1</u>-a. Loss of ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC power to (site-specific emergency buses)Emergency 4KV buses.

AND

2. Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses.

<u>AND</u>

<u>3</u>b. **EITHER** of the following:

a. Restoration of at least one emergency <u>Emergency 4KV</u> bus in <u>< 4 hours is</u> <u>notless than (site-specific hours) is not</u> likely.

<u>OR</u>

b. > 25°F superheat

• (Site-specific indication of an inability to adequately remove heat from the core)

Basis:

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

This IC addresses a prolonged loss of all power sources to AC emergency buses. A loss of all AC power compromises the performance of all SAFETY SYSTEMS requiring electric power including those necessary for emergency core cooling, containment heat removal/pressure control, spent fuel heat removal and the ultimate heat sink. A prolonged loss of these buses will lead to a loss of <u>one or moreany</u> fission product

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barriers. In addition, fission product barrier monitoring capabilities may be degraded under these conditions.

The EAL should require declaration of a General Emergency prior to meeting the thresholds for IC FG1. This will allow additional time for implementation of offsite protective actions.

Escalation of the emergency classification from Site Area Emergency will occur if it is projected that power cannot be restored to at least one AC emergency bus by the end of the analyzed station blackout coping period. Beyond this time, plant responses and event trajectory are subject to greater uncertainty, and there is an increased likelihood of challenges to multiple fission product barriers.

The estimate for restoring at least one emergency bus should be based on a realistic appraisal of the situation. Mitigation actions with a low probability of success should not be used as a basis for delaying a classification upgrade. The goal is to maximize the time available to prepare for, and implement, protective actions for the public.

The emergency busses of the affected unit can be powered from the unaffected unit through the crosstie breakers. Unit crosstie is considered an adequate source of offsite power when evaluating this EAL.

The EAL will also require a General Emergency declaration if the loss of AC power results in parameters that indicate an inability to adequately remove decay heat from the core.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SG1
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-010 Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 3. FSAR Section 8.2.2 Unit Distribution System
- 4. FSAR Section 8.2.3 Sources of Auxiliary Power
- 5. FSAR Section 8.5 Station Blackout
- 6. Technical Specification Section 3.7, Unit Electric Power System
- 7. 1107-1 Normal Electrical System
- 8. 1107-2A Emergency Electrical 4KV and 480 Volt
- 9. OP-TM-AOP-020 Loss Of Station Power
- 10. 1107-3 Diesel Generator
- 11. 1107-9 SBO Diesel Generator
- 12. OP-TM-EOP-008 RCS Superheated
- 13. OS-24, Conduct of Operation during Abnormal and Emergency Events

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Initiating Condition:

Loss of all offsite and all onsite AC power to emergency busses for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** The Emergency Director should declare the <u>Site Area Emergencyevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time</u> <u>15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- Loss of ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC Power to (site-specific emergency buses) Emergency 4KV buses for 15 minutes or longer.

<u>AND</u>

2. Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses.

<u>AND</u>

3. Failure to restore power to at least one Emergency 4KV bus in < 15 minutes from the time of loss of both offsite and onsite AC power.

Basis:

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

This IC addresses a total loss of AC power that compromises the performance of all SAFETY SYSTEMS requiring electric power including those necessary for emergency core cooling, containment heat removal/pressure control, spent fuel heat removal and the ultimate heat sink. In addition, fission product barrier monitoring capabilities may be degraded under these conditions. This IC represents a condition that involves actual or likely major failures of plant functions needed for the protection of the public.

The emergency busses of the affected unit can be powered from the unaffected unit through the crosstie breakers. Unit crosstie is considered an adequate source of offsite power when evaluating this EAL.

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Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary power losses.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via ICs <u>RAG1</u>, FG1<u>, or MSG1</u>, <u>or MG2</u>.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SS1
- 2. FSAR Section 8.2.3, Sources of Auxiliary Power
- 3. Technical Specification Section 3.7, Unit Electric Power System
- 4. 1107-1 Normal Electrical System
- 5. 1107-2A Emergency Electrical 4KV and 480 Volt
- 6. OP-TM-AOP-020 Loss Of Station Power
- 7. 1107-3 Diesel Generator
- 8. 1107-9 SBO Diesel Generator
- 9. FSAR Section 8.2.2, Unit Distribution System
- 10. FSAR Section 8.5, Station Blackout

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Initiating Condition:

Loss of all but one AC power source to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** The Emergency Director should declare the <u>eventAlert</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time 15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- <u>AC power capability to Emergency 4KV buses reduced to only one of the following</u> power sources for > 15 minutes.
 - Auxiliary Transformer 1A
 - Auxiliary Transformer 1B
 - Emergency Diesel Generator EG-Y-1A
 - Emergency Diesel Generator EG-Y-1B
 - SBO Diesel Generator EG-Y-4

a. AC power capability to (site-specific emergency buses) is reduced to a single power source for 15 minutes or longer.

AND

<u>2b.</u> Any additional single power source failure will result in a loss of <u>all ALL</u> AC power to SAFETY SYSTEMS.

Basis:

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

This IC describes a significant degradation of offsite and onsite AC power sources such that any additional single failure would result in a loss of all AC power to SAFETY SYSTEMS. In this condition, the sole AC power source may be powering one, or more than one, train of safety-related equipment. This IC provides an escalation path from IC $\underline{MSU1}$.

An "AC power source" is a source recognized in AOPs and EOPs, and capable of supplying required power to an emergency bus. Some examples of this condition are presented below.

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- A loss of all offsite power with a concurrent failure of all but one emergency power source (e.g., an onsite diesel generator).
- A loss of all offsite power and loss of all emergency power sources (e.g., onsite diesel generators) with a single train of emergency buses being back-fed from the unit main generator.
- A loss of emergency power sources (e.g., onsite diesel generators) with a single train of emergency buses being back-fed from an offsite power source.

Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary losses of power.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC MSS1.

Basis Reference(s):

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SA1
- 2. FSAR Section 8.2.3, Sources of Auxiliary Power
- 3. FSAR Section 8.5, Station Blackout
- 4. Technical Specification Section 3.7, Unit Electric Power System
- 5. 1107-1 Normal Electrical System
- 6. 1107-2A Emergency Electrical 4KV and 480 Volt
- 7. OP-TM-AOP-020 Loss Of Station Power
- 8. 1107-3 Diesel Generator
- 9. 1107-9 SBO Diesel Generator
- 10. FSAR Section 8.2.2, Unit Distribution System



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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Initiating Condition:

Loss of all offsite AC power capability to emergency buses for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Note: The Emergency Director should declare the <u>Unusual Eventevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time 15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.

1. Loss of **ALL** offsite AC power capability to <u>Emergency 4KV buses</u> (site-specific emergency buses) for > 15 minutes or longer.

Basis:

This IC addresses a prolonged loss of offsite power. The loss of offsite power sources renders the plant more vulnerable to a complete loss of power to AC emergency buses. This condition represents a potential reduction in the level of safety of the plant.

For emergency classification purposes, "capability" means that an offsite AC power source(s) is available to the emergency buses, whether or not the buses are powered from it.

The emergency busses of the affected unit can be powered from the unaffected unit through the crosstie breakers. Unit crosstie is considered an adequate source of offsite power when evaluating this EAL.

Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary losses of offsite power.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC MSA1.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SU1
- 2. FSAR Section 8.2.3, Sources of Auxiliary Power
- 3. Technical Specification Section 3.7, Unit Electric Power System
- 4. 1107-1 Normal Electrical System
- 5. 1107-2A Emergency Electrical 4KV and 480 Volt
- 6. OP-TM-AOP-020 Loss Of Station Power
- 7. 1107-3 Diesel Generator
- 8. 1107-9 SBO Diesel Generator

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9. FSAR Section 8.2.2, Unit Distribution System

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Initiating Condition:

Loss of all AC and Vital DC power sources for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** The Emergency Director should declare the <u>General Emergencyevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time 15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- 1. Loss of ALL offsite AC power to Emergency 4KV buses.

AND

2. Failure of EG-Y-1A, EG-Y-1B Emergency Diesel Generators and EG-Y-4 SBO Diesel Generator to supply power to Emergency 4KV buses.

AND

3. Voltage is < 105 VDC on125 VDC Distribution System 1A and 1B.

AND

- ALL AC and Vital DC power sources have been lost for > 15 minutes.
 - 1. a. Loss of ALL offsite and ALL onsite AC power to (site-specific emergency buses) for 15 minutes or longer.

AND

b. Indicated voltage is less than (site-specific bus voltage value) on ALL (site-specific Vital DC busses) for 15 minutes or longer.

Basis:

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

This IC addresses a concurrent and prolonged loss of both AC and Vital DC power. A loss of all AC power compromises the performance of all SAFETY SYSTEMS requiring electric power including those necessary for emergency core cooling, containment heat removal/pressure control, spent fuel heat removal and the ultimate heat sink. A loss of Vital DC power compromises the ability to monitor and control SAFETY SYSTEMS. A sustained loss of both AC and DC power will lead to multiple challenges to fission product barriers.

Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary power losses. The 15-minute emergency declaration clock begins at the point when both all EALs thresholds are met.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SG8
- 2. FSAR Section 8.2.2.6, 250/125 VDC System
- 3. 1107-2C Vital DC Electrical System
- 4. OP-TM-AOP-023, A DC System Failure
- 5. OP-TM-AOP-024, B DC System Failure
- 6. FSAR Section 8.2.2, Unit Distribution System
- 7. FSAR Section 8.2.3, Sources of Auxiliary Power
- 8. Technical Specification Section 3.7, Unit Electric Power System
- 9. 1107-1 Normal Electrical System
- 10. 1107-2A Emergency Electrical 4KV and 480 Volt
- 11. OP-TM-AOP-020 Loss Of Station Power
- 12. 1107-3 Diesel Generator
- 13. 1107-9 SBO Diesel Generator
- 14. FSAR Section 8.5, Station Blackout

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Initiating Condition:

Loss of all vital DC power for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Note: The Emergency Director should declare the <u>Site Area Emergencyevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time 15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.

Indicated vVoltage is < 105 VDC less than (site-specific bus voltage value) _on 125 VDC Distribution System 1A and 1B ALL (site-specific Vital DC busses) for >15 minutes or longer.

Basis:

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

This IC addresses a loss of Vital DC power which compromises the ability to monitor and control SAFETY SYSTEMS. In modes above Cold Shutdown, this condition involves a major failure of plant functions needed for the protection of the public.

Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary power losses.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via ICs <u>RAG1</u>, FG1 or <u>MSG38</u>.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SS8
- 2. FSAR Section 8.2.2.6, 250/125 VDC System
- 3. 1107-2C Vital DC Electrical System
- 4. OP-TM-AOP-023, A DC System Failure
- 5. OP-TM-AOP-024, B DC System Failure

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Initiating Condition:

Inability to shutdown the reactor causing a challenge to core cooling or RCS heat removal.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

 Automatic or Manual <u>T</u>trip did <u>not</u> shutdown the reactor <u>as indicated by Reactor</u> <u>Power > 5%</u>.

AND

 All_ALL manual actions to shutdown the reactor have been unsuccessful <u>as</u> indicated by Reactor Power > 5%.

AND

3. EITHER of the following conditions exist:

<u>a. T_{clad} > 1400°F.</u>

<u>OR</u>

b. HPI-PORV Cooling in effect

a. (Site-specific indication of an inability to adequately remove heat from the core)

OR

b. (Site-specific indication of an inability to adequately remove heat from the RCS)

Basis:

This IC addresses a failure of the RPS to initiate or complete an automatic or manual reactor trip that results in a reactor shutdown, <u>all subsequent operator manual actions</u>, <u>both inside and outside the Control Room including driving in control rods and boron injection</u>, <u>all subsequent operator actions to manually shutdown the reactor</u> are unsuccessful, and continued power generation is challenging the capability to adequately remove heat from the core and/or the RCS. This condition will lead to fuel

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damage if additional mitigation actions are unsuccessful and thus warrants the declaration of a Site Area Emergency.

In some instances, the emergency classification resulting from this IC/EAL may be higher than that resulting from an assessment of the plant responses and symptoms against the Recognition Category F ICs/EALs. This is appropriate in that the Recognition Category F ICs/EALs do not address the additional threat posed by a failure to shutdown the reactor. The inclusion of this IC and EAL ensures the timely declaration of a Site Area Emergency in response to prolonged failure to shutdown the reactor.

A reactor shutdown is determined in accordance with applicable Emergency Operating Procedure criteria.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC RAG1 or FG1.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SS5
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-004, Lack of Primary-to-Secondary Heat Transfer
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 4. OP-TM-EOP-001, Reactor Trip
- 5. 1102-4 Power Operation
- 6. OP-TM-641-000- Reactor Protection System (RPS/DSS)

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Initiating Condition:

Automatic or manual trip fails to shutdown the reactor, and subsequent manual actions taken at the reactor control consoles are not successful in shutting down the reactor.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1,2

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** A manual action is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core, and does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies.
- An a<u>A</u>utomatic or manual <u>T</u>trip did <u>not</u> shutdown the reactor <u>as indicated by Reactor</u> <u>Power > 5%.</u>

AND

2. Manual actions taken at the <u>reactor control consolesConsole Center</u> are <u>not</u> successful in shutting down the reactor <u>as indicated by Reactor Power > 5%</u>.

Basis:

This IC addresses a failure of the RPS to initiate or complete an automatic or manual reactor trip that results in a reactor shutdown, and subsequent operator manual actions taken at the <u>Console Center reactor control consoles</u> to shutdown the reactor are also unsuccessful. This condition represents an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant. An emergency declaration is required even if the reactor is subsequently shutdown by an action taken away from the reactor control consoles since this event entails a significant failure of the RPS.

A manual action at the <u>Console Center reactor control consoles</u> is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core (e.g., initiating a manual reactor trip. This action does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies. If this action(s) is unsuccessful, operators would immediately pursue additional manual actions at locations away from the <u>Console Center reactor control consoles</u> (e.g., locally opening breakers). Actions taken at back-panels or other locations within the Control Room, or any location outside the Control Room, are not considered to be "at the <u>Console Centerreactor control consoles</u>".

The plant response to the failure of an automatic or manual reactor trip will vary based upon several factors including the reactor power level prior to the event, availability of the condenser, performance of mitigation equipment and actions, other concurrent plant conditions, etc. If the failure to shutdown the reactor is prolonged enough to cause a challenge to the core cooling or RCS heat removal safety functions, the emergency

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classification level will escalate to a Site Area Emergency via IC $\underline{MSS35}$. Depending upon plant responses and symptoms, escalation is also possible via IC FS1. Absent the plant conditions needed to meet either IC $\underline{MSS35}$ or FS1, an Alert declaration is appropriate for this event.

It is recognized that plant responses or symptoms may also require an Alert declaration in accordance with the Recognition Category F ICs; however, this IC and EAL are included to ensure a timely emergency declaration.

A reactor shutdown is determined in accordance with applicable Emergency Operating Procedure criteria.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SA5
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-004, Lack of Primary-to-Secondary Heat Transfer
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 4. OP-TM-EOP-001, Reactor Trip
- 5. 1102-4 Power Operation
- 6. OP-TM-641-000- Reactor Protection System (RPS/DSS)

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Initiating Condition:

Automatic or manual trip fails to shutdown the reactor.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2

1.

2.

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** A manual action is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core, and does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies.
 - An aAutomatic <u>T</u>trip did not shutdown the reactor as indicated by Reactor Power > 5%.

AND

b. <u>A sS</u>ubsequent manual action taken at the <u>reactor control consolesConsole</u> <u>Center</u> is successful in shutting down the reactor.

OR

a. <u>A mManual T</u>trip did not shutdown the reactor<u>as indicated by Reactor</u> <u>Power > 5%</u>.

AND

- b. **EITHER** of the following:
 - 1. A subsequent manual action taken at the reactor control consoles is successful in shutting down the reactor.

OR

A sSubsequent automatic <u>T</u>trip is successful in shutting down the reactor.

This IC addresses a failure of the RPS to initiate or complete an automatic or manual reactor trip that results in a reactor shutdown, and either a subsequent operator manual

Basis:

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action taken at the <u>Console Center reactor control consoles</u> or an automatic trip is successful in shutting down the reactor. This event is a precursor to a more significant condition and thus represents a potential degradation of the level of safety of the plant.

EAL #1 Basis

Following the failure on an automatic reactor trip, operators will promptly initiate manual actions at the <u>Console Center reactor control consoles</u> to shutdown the reactor (e.g., initiate a manual reactor trip). If these manual actions are successful in shutting down the reactor, core heat generation will quickly fall to a level within the capabilities of the plant's decay heat removal systems.

EAL #2 Basis

If an initial manual reactor trip is unsuccessful, operators will promptly take manual action at another location(s) on the reactor control consoles to shutdown the reactor (e.g., initiate a manual reactor trip using a different switch). Depending upon several factors, the initial or subsequent effort to manually trip the reactor, or a concurrent plant condition, may lead to the generation of an automatic reactor trip signal. If a subsequent manual or automatic trip is successful in shutting down the reactor, core heat generation will quickly fall to a level within the capabilities of the plant's decay heat removal systems.

A manual action at the <u>Console Center reactor control consoles</u> is any operator action, or set of actions, which causes the control rods to be rapidly inserted into the core (e.g., initiating a manual reactor trip). This action does not include manually driving in control rods or implementation of boron injection strategies. Actions taken at back-panels or other locations within the Control Room, or any location outside the Control Room, are not considered to be "at the Console Center reactor control consoles".

The plant response to the failure of an automatic or manual reactor trip will vary based upon several factors including the reactor power level prior to the event, availability of the condenser, performance of mitigation equipment and actions, other concurrent plant conditions, etc. If subsequent operator manual actions taken at the <u>Console Center</u> reactor control consoles are also unsuccessful in shutting down the reactor, then the emergency classification level will escalate to an Alert via IC <u>MSA35</u>. Depending upon the plant response, escalation is also possible via IC FA1. Absent the plant conditions needed to meet either IC <u>MSA35</u> or FA1, an Unusual Event declaration is appropriate for this event.

A reactor shutdown is determined in accordance with applicable Emergency Operating Procedure criteria.

Should a reactor trip signal be generated as a result of plant work (e.g., RPS setpoint testing), the following classification guidance should be applied.

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- If the signal <u>generated as a result of plant work</u> causes a plant transient that <u>created</u> <u>a real condition that</u> should have included an automatic reactor trip and the RPS fails to automatically shutdown the reactor, then this IC and the EALs are applicable, and should be evaluated.
- If the signal <u>generated as a result of plant work</u> does not cause a plant transient <u>but</u> <u>should have generated an RPS trip signal</u> and the trip failure is determined through other means (e.g., assessment of test results), then this IC and the EALs are not applicable and no classification is warranted.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SU5
- 2. OP-TM-EOP-010, Emergency Procedure Rules, Guides And Graphs
- 3. OP-TM-EOP-001, Reactor Trip
- 4. 1102-4 Power Operation
- 5. OP-TM-641-000- Reactor Protection System (RPS/DSS)

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Initiating Condition:

UNPLANNED loss of Control Room indications for 15 minutes or longer with a significant transient in progress.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- Note: The Emergency Director should declare the eventAlert promptly upon determining that the applicable time 15 minutes has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
 - a. An UNPLANNED event results in the inability to monitor ANY one or more 1. Table M1of the following parameters from within the Control Room for >15 minutes or longer.

[see table below]

[PWR parameter list]	pieces and a second	
Reactor Power	Table M1 Control Room Parameters	
	Reactor Power	
RCS Level	PZR Level	
RCS Pressure	RCS Pressure	
In Core/Core Exit	In Core/Core Exit Temperature	
Temperature	 Level in at least one OTSG 	
Levels in at least (site specific number) steam generators	OTSG Emergency Feed Water Flow	

AND

b. Any Table M2 of the following transient events in progress.

- Automatic or Manual runback greater than 25% thermal reactor power
- Electrical load rejection greater than 25% full electrical load
- Reactor trip
- ECCS (SI) actuation

Steam Generator Auxiliary or **Emergency Feed Water Flow**

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Table M2 Significant Transients

- Automatic Turbine Runback >25% thermal reactor power
- Electrical Load Rejection >25% full electrical load
- Reactor Trip
- ESAS Actuation
 - Thermal Power oscillations > 10%

Basis:

UNPLANNED: A parameter change or an event that is not 1) the result of an intended evolution or 2) an expected plant response to a transient. The cause of the parameter change or event may be known or unknown.

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

This IC addresses the difficulty associated with monitoring rapidly changing plant conditions during a transient without the ability to obtain SAFETY SYSTEM parameters from within the Control Room. During this condition, the margin to a potential fission product barrier challenge is reduced. It thus represents a potential substantial degradation in the level of safety of the plant.

As used in this EAL, an "inability to monitor" means that values for <u>one or moreany</u> of the listed parameters cannot be determined from within the Control Room. This situation would require a loss of all of the Control Room sources for the given parameter(s). For example, the reactor power level cannot be determined from any analog, <u>computer point</u>, digital and recorder source within the Control Room.

An event involving a loss of plant indications, annunciators and/or display systems is evaluated in accordance with 10 CFR 50.72 (and associated guidance in NUREG-1022) to determine if an NRC event report is required. The event would be reported if it significantly impaired the capability to perform emergency assessments. In particular, emergency assessments necessary to implement abnormal operating procedures, emergency operating procedures, and emergency plan implementing procedures addressing emergency classification, accident assessment, or protective action decision-making.

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This EAL is focused on a selected subset of plant parameters associated with the key safety functions of reactivity control, core cooling and RCS heat removal. The loss of the ability to determine one or moreany of these parameters from within the Control Room is considered to be more significant than simply a reportable condition. In addition, if all indication sources for one or moreany of the listed parameters are lost, then the ability to determine the values of other SAFETY SYSTEM parameters may be impacted as well. For example, if the value for reactor vessel level cannot be determined from the indications and recorders on a main control board, the SPDS or the plant computer, the availability of other parameter values may be compromised as well.

Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary losses of indication.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via ICs FS1 or IC RAS1.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SA2

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Initiating Condition:

UNPLANNED loss of Control Room indications for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

Note: The Emergency Director should declare the <u>Unusual Eventevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time 15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.

a. An UNPLANNED event results in the inability to monitor one or more ANY Table M1 parameters from within the Control Room for > 15 minutes.

	Table M1 Control Room Parameters
	Reactor Power
aja.	RCS Level
- 200 - 200	RCS Pressure
	 In Core/Core Exit Temperature
ġ.	Level in at least one OTSG.
2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	 OTSG Emergency Feed Water Flow

1. of the following parameters from within the Control Room for 15 minutes or longer.

	2. [BWR parameter list]	3. [PWR parameter l ist]
5- 1 1 1 1	4. Reactor Power 5.	6. Reactor Power 7.
	8. RPV Water Level	9. RCS Level
	10. RPV Pressure	11.RCS Pressure
	12. Primary Containment Pressure	13. In-Core/Core Exit Temperature
111 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	14.Suppression Pool Level	15. Levels in at least (site-specific number) steam generators
	16.Suppression Pool Temperature	17.Steam Generator Auxiliary or

	TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS		
	2. [BWR parameter	3. [PWR parameter	
	list]	l ist]	
		Emergency Feed Water Flow	

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Basis:

<u>UNPLANNED:</u> A parameter change or an event that is not 1) the result of an intended evolution or 2) an expected plant response to a transient. The cause of the parameter change or event may be known or unknown.

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

This IC addresses the difficulty associated with monitoring normal plant conditions without the ability to obtain SAFETY SYSTEM parameters from within the Control Room. This condition is a precursor to a more significant event and represents a potential degradation in the level of safety of the plant.

As used in this EAL, an "inability to monitor" means that values for <u>one or moreany</u> of the listed parameters cannot be determined from within the Control Room. This situation would require a loss of all of the Control Room sources for the given parameter(s). For example, the reactor power level cannot be determined from any analog, digital and recorder source within the Control Room.

An event involving a loss of plant indications, annunciators and/or display systems is evaluated in accordance with 10 CFR 50.72 (and associated guidance in NUREG-1022) to determine if an NRC event report is required. The event would be reported if it significantly impaired the capability to perform emergency assessments. In particular, emergency assessments necessary to implement abnormal operating procedures, emergency operating procedures, and emergency plan implementing procedures addressing emergency classification, accident assessment, or protective action decision-making.

This EAL is focused on a selected subset of plant parameters associated with the key safety functions of reactivity control, core cooling and RCS heat removal. The loss of the ability to determine one or moreany of these parameters from within the Control Room is considered to be more significant than simply a reportable condition. In addition, if all indication sources for one or moreany of the listed parameters are lost, then the ability to determine the values of other SAFETY SYSTEM parameters may be impacted as well. For example, if the value for reactor vessel level cannot be determined from the indications and recorders on a main control board, the SPDS or the plant computer, the availability of other parameter values may be compromised as well.

Fifteen minutes was selected as a threshold to exclude transient or momentary losses of indication.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC MSA42.

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RECOGNITION CATEGORY SYSTEM MALFUNCTIONS

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SU2

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TABLE TMI 3-2: EAL Technical Basis

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Initiating Condition:

Hazardous event affecting a SAFETY SYSTEM needed required for the current operating mode.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

(1) <u>1. a.</u> The occurrence of **ANY** of the following hazardous events:

- Seismic event (earthquake)
- Internal or external flooding event
- High winds or tornado strike
- FIRE
- EXPLOSION
- (site-specific hazards)
- Other events with similar hazard characteristics as determined by the Shift Manager

AND

- 2.b. EITHER of the following:
 - <u>a.1.</u> Event damage has caused indications of degraded performance in at least one train of a SAFETY SYSTEM <u>needed required by</u> <u>Technical Specifications</u> for the current operating mode.

OR

b.2. The event has caused VISIBLE DAMAGE to a SAFETY SYSTEM component or structure_neededrequired by Technical Specifications for the current operating mode.

Basis:

FIRE: Combustion characterized by heat and light. Sources of smoke such as slipping drive belts or overheated electrical equipment do not constitute FIRES. Observation of flame is preferred but is NOT required if large quantities of smoke and heat are observed.

EXPLOSION: A rapid, violent and catastrophic failure of a piece of equipment due to combustion, chemical reaction or overpressurization. A release of steam (from high energy lines or components) or an electrical component failure (caused by short circuits, grounding, arcing, etc.) should not automatically be considered an explosion. Such

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events may require a post-event inspection to determine if the attributes of an explosion are present.

SAFETY SYSTEM: A system required for safe plant operation, cooling down the plant and/or placing it in the cold shutdown condition, including the ECCS. These are typically systems classified as safety-related.

VISIBLE DAMAGE: Damage to a component or structure that is readily observable without measurements, testing, or analysis. The visual impact of the damage is sufficient to cause concern regarding the operability or reliability of the affected component or structure.

This IC addresses a hazardous event that causes damage to a SAFETY SYSTEM, or a structure containing SAFETY SYSTEM components, needed_required_for the current operating mode, "required", i.e. required to be operable by Technical Specifications for the current operating mode. This condition significantly reduces the margin to a loss or potential loss of a fission product barrier, and therefore represents an actual or potential substantial degradation of the level of safety of the plant. Manual or automatic electrical isolation of safety equipment due to flooding, in and of itself, does not constitute degraded performance and is classified under HU6.

EAL 1.b.1#2.a Basis

<u>This EAL</u> addresses damage to a SAFETY SYSTEM train that is <u>required to be</u> <u>operable by Technical Specifications for the current operating mode, and is</u> in <u>service/</u>operation since indications for it will be readily available. The indications of degraded performance should be significant enough to cause concern regarding the operability or reliability of the SAFETY SYSTEM train.

EAL 1.b.2#2.b Basis

<u>This EAL</u> addresses damage to a SAFETY SYSTEM component that is-<u>required to be</u> <u>operable by Technical Specifications for the current operating mode, and is not in</u> <u>service/operation or readily apparent through indications alone, or as well as damage</u> to a structure containing SAFETY SYSTEM components. Operators will make this determination based on the totality of available event and damage report information. This is intended to be a brief assessment not requiring lengthy analysis or quantification of the damage.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via IC FS1 or **RAS1**.

If the EAL conditions of MA5 are not met then assess the event via HU3, HU4, or HU6.

Basis Reference(s):

1. NEI 99-01, Rev 6 SA9

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Initiating Condition:

RCS leakage for 15 minutes or longer.

Operating Mode Applicability:

1, 2, 3, 4

Emergency Action Level (EAL):

- **Note:** The Emergency Director should declare the <u>Unusual Eventevent</u> promptly upon determining that <u>the applicable time 15 minutes</u> has been exceeded, or will likely be exceeded.
- RCS unidentified or pressure boundary leakage greater than
 <u>10 gpm for > 15 minutes. (site-specific value) for 15 minutes or longer.</u>

<u>OR</u>

2. RCS identified leakage greater than <u>>25 gpm for > 15 minutes.(site-specific value)</u> for 15 minutes or longer.

<u>OR</u>

3. Leakage from the RCS to a location outside containment <u>>25 gpm for > 15 minutes</u>. greater than 25 gpm for 15 minutes or longer.

Basis:

UNISOLABLE: An open or breached system line that cannot be isolated, remotely or locally.

This IC addresses RCS leakage which may be a precursor to a more significant event. In this case, RCS leakage has been detected and operators, following applicable procedures, have been unable to promptly isolate the leak. This condition is considered to be a potential degradation of the level of safety of the plant.

EAL #1 and EAL #2 Basis

<u>These EALs</u> are focused on a loss of mass from the RCS due to "unidentified leakage", "pressure boundary leakage" or "identified leakage" (as these leakage types are defined in the plant Technical Specifications).

EAL #3 Basis

<u>This EAL</u> addresses a RCS mass loss caused by an UNISOLABLE leak through an interfacing system.

These EALs thus apply to leakage into the containment, a secondary-side system (e.g., steam generator tube leakage) or a location outside of containment.

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The leak rate values for each EAL were selected because they are usually observable with normal Control Room indications. Lesser values typically require time-consuming calculations to determine (e.g., a mass balance calculation). EAL #1 uses a lower value that reflects the greater significance of unidentified or pressure boundary leakage.

The release of mass from the RCS due to the as-designed/expected operation of a relief valve does not warrant an emergency classification. An emergency classification

would be required if a mass loss is caused by a relief valve that is not functioning as designed/expected (e.g., a relief valve sticks open and the line flow cannot be isolated).

The 15-minute threshold duration allows sufficient time for prompt operator actions to isolate the leakage, if possible.

Escalation of the emergency classification level would be via ICs of Recognition Category <u>RA</u> or F.

- 1. NEI 99-01 Rev 6, SU4
- 2. OP-TM-220-251 RCS Leak Rate Determination
- 3. OP-TM-220-252, Primary To Secondary Leakrate Determination
- 4. OP-TM-PRF1-0405 RB Sump Level HI
- 5. UFSAR 6.4.3, Bases of Leakage Estimate
- 6. UFSAR 6.4.4, Design Basis Leakage
- 7. OP-TM-AOP-050, Reactor Coolant Leakage
- 8. Technical Specification 3.1.6, Leakage and Table 4.1-2, Minimum Equipment Test Frequency

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