

***Industrial Nuclear Company, Inc.  
Multi-Payload Shipping Container  
Model MPSC***

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# Agenda

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- ▶ ***Materials of Construction***
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# **Description of MPSC Package**

- ▶ **Enclosed, Right Circular Cylinder**
  - ▶ **22" OD x 25" High**
- ▶ **Stainless Steel Construction**
- ▶ **Two Payloads**
  - ◆ **Ten-Hole Source Changer (THSC)**
  - ◆ **Raw Material Shipping Container (RMSC)**
- ▶ **Gross Weight:**
  - ◆ **Approximately 680 lb w/ THSC payload**
  - ◆ **Approximately 745 lb w/ RMSC payload**



# MPSC Materials of Construction

## ▶ **Structural:**

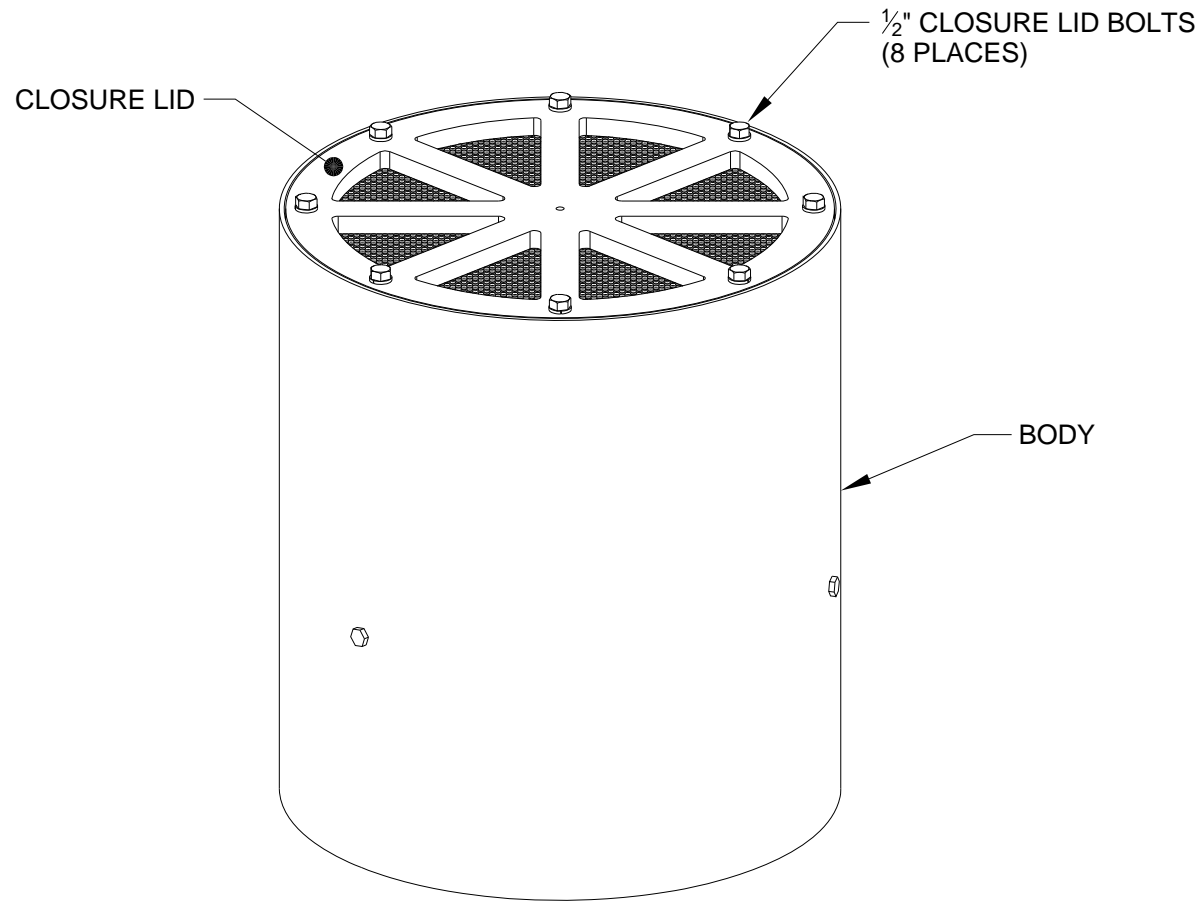
- ◆ **Type 304 stainless steel plate, bar, and pipe**
- ◆ **ASTM A320 L7 or L43 Alloy Steel Closure Lid Bolts**
  - **Outer Lid**
  - **Inner Lid**
- ◆ **Body - All welded construction**
- ◆ **Polyurethane foam for impact mitigation**

## ▶ **Gamma Shielding**

- ◆ **Provided by THSC and RMSC payloads**
- ◆ **Cast depleted uranium (DU)**

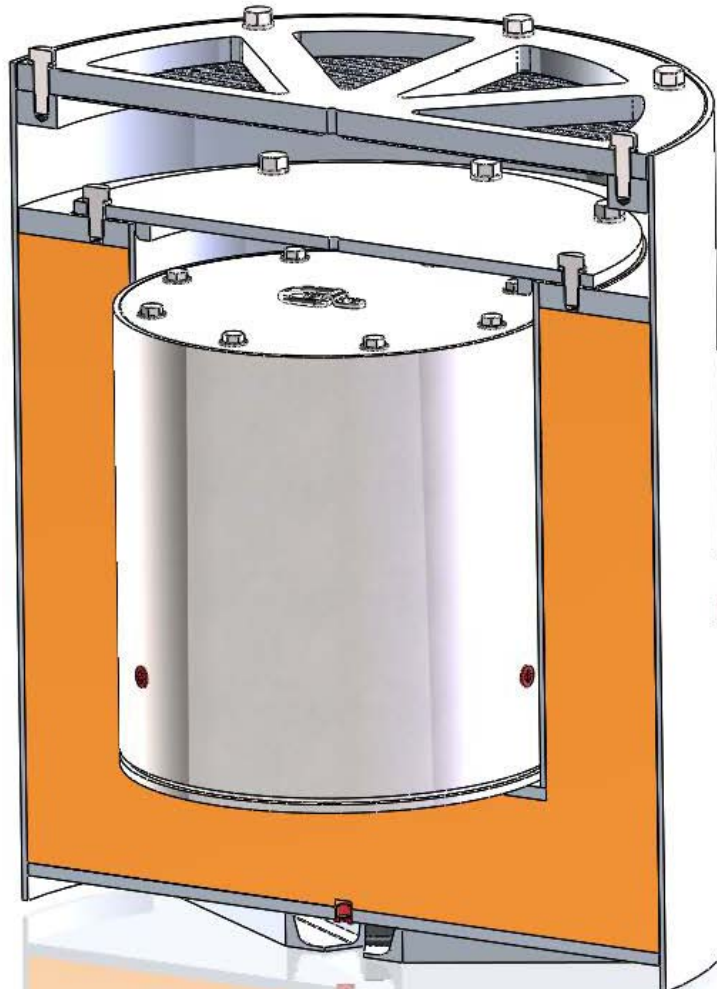


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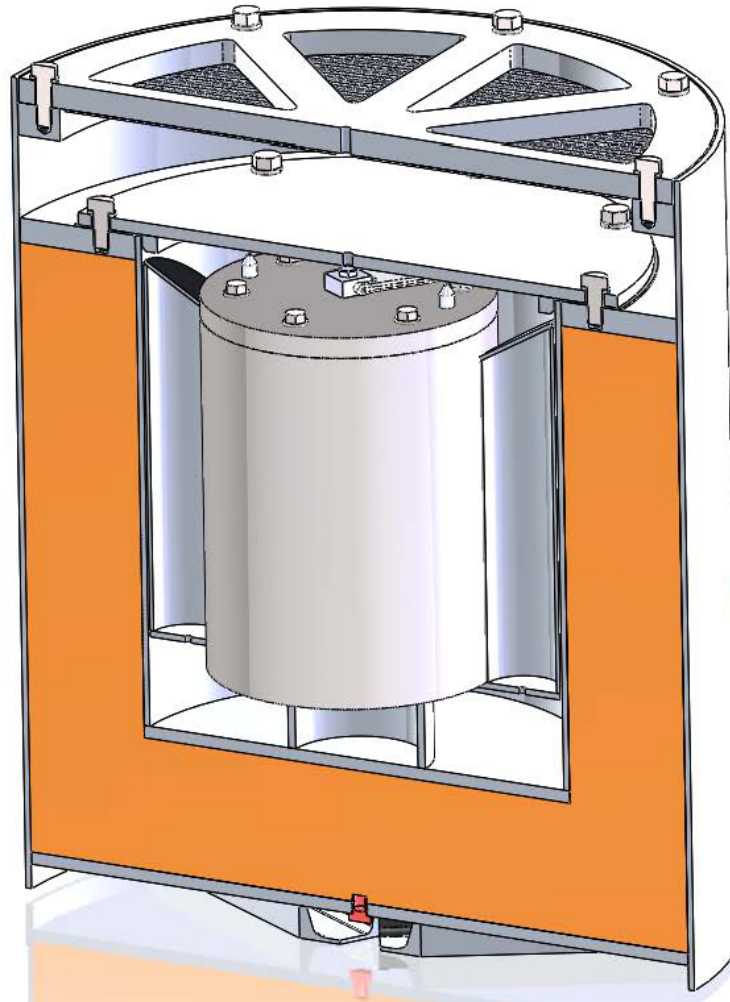
# *Description of MPSC Package (con't)*

## *THSC Payload*



# *Description of MPSC Package (con't)*

## *RMSC Payload*



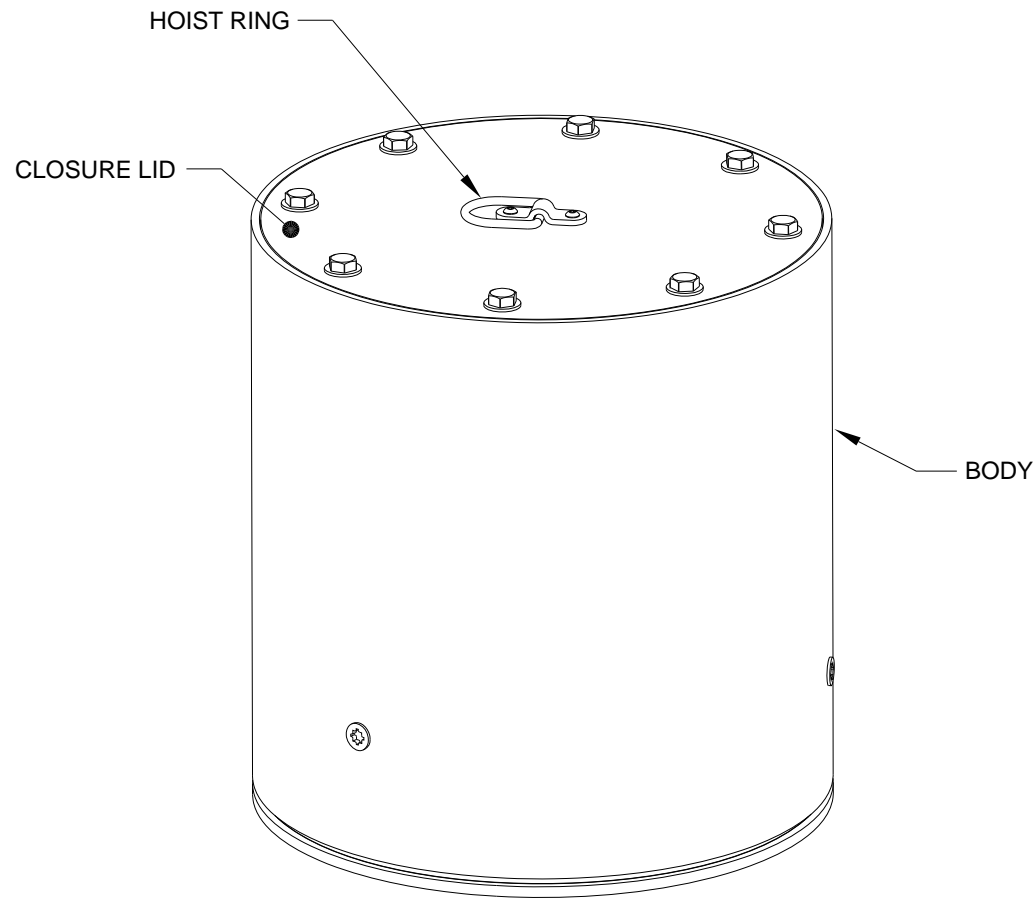
# *Description of THSC Payload*

- ▶ ***Enclosed, Right Circular Cylinder***
  - ◆ ***12-3/4" OD x 13-1/2" High***
- ▶ ***Welded Stainless Steel Construction***
- ▶ ***DU Gamma Shield***
- ▶ ***Titanium Source Tubes/Hub***
- ▶ ***Gross Weight: Approximately 327 lb***

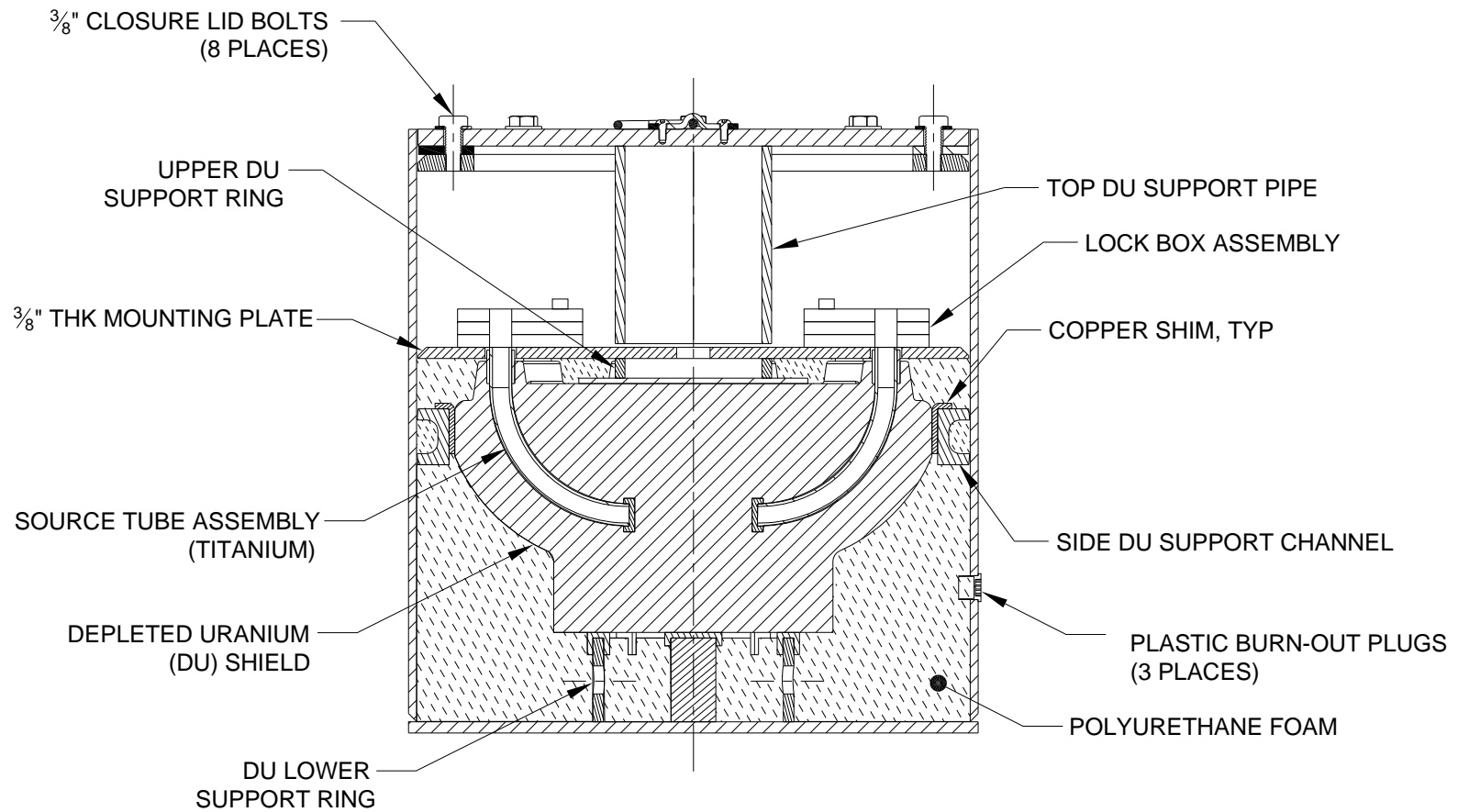




# Description of THSC Payload (con't)



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# THSC Materials of Construction

## ▶ **Structural:**

- ◆ *Type 304 stainless steel plate, bar, and pipe*
- ◆ *ASTM A320 L7 or L43 Alloy Steel Closure Lid Bolts*
- ◆ *All welded construction encasing gamma shields*
- ◆ *Copper shims between DU and stainless steel contact points*
- ◆ *Polyurethane foam for impact mitigation*
- ◆ *0.50" OD x 0.056" wall titanium source tubes*
- ◆ *Titanium hub*

## ▶ **Gamma Shielding**

- ◆ *Cast depleted uranium (DU)*
- ▶ *All materials have been previously used in currently NRC licensed source changers and radiation cameras*



# THSC Contents

## ▶ **Contents**

- ◆ *Iridium 192 (Ir-192) capsules*
- ◆ *Selenium 75 (Se-75) capsules*
- ◆ *Licensed as Special Form*

## ▶ **Contents limits**

- ◆ *1,500 Ci total limit*
- ◆ *Maximum 150 Ci per capsule*
- ◆ *Maximum of 10 capsules per package*

## ▶ **Decay Heat Limit: 11 watts**

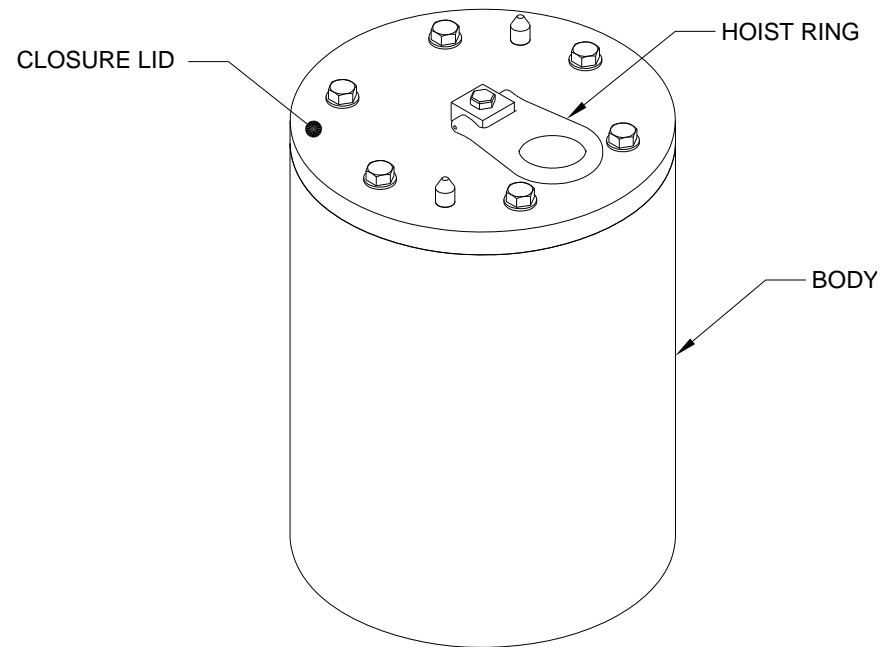


# *Description of RMSC Payload*

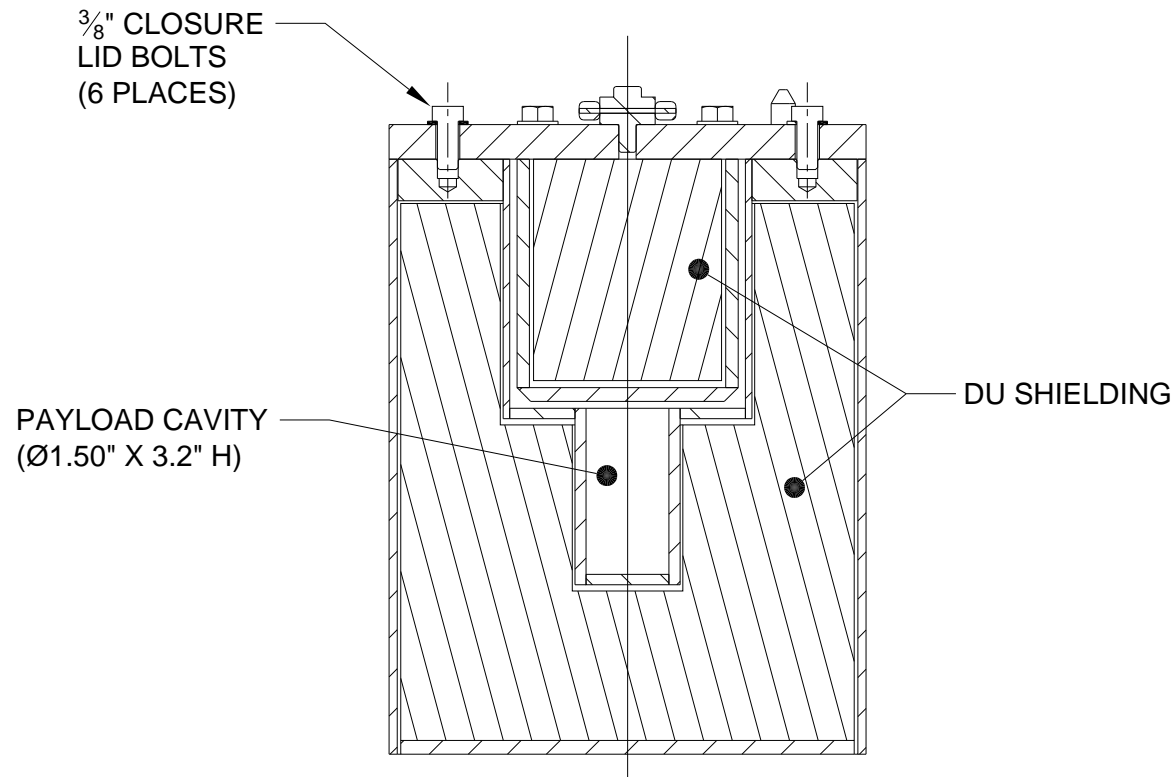
- ▶ ***Enclosed, Right Circular Cylinder***
  - ◆ ***8-5/8" OD x 11-3/8" High***
- ▶ ***Welded Stainless Steel Construction***
- ▶ ***DU Gamma Shield***
- ▶ ***Gross Weight: Approximately 367 lb***



# Description of RMSC Payload (con't)



# Description of RMSC Payload (con't)



# RMSC Materials of Construction

## ▶ **Structural:**

- ◆ *Type 304 stainless steel plate, bar, and pipe*
- ◆ *ASTM A320 L7 or L43 Alloy Steel Closure Lid Bolts*
- ◆ *All welded construction encasing gamma shields*
- ◆ *Copper shims between DU and stainless steel*
- ◆ *Polyurethane foam for impact mitigation*

## ▶ **Gamma Shielding**

- ◆ *Cast DU*





# RMSC Contents

## ▶ **Contents**

- ◆ ***Iridium 192 (Ir-192) capsules***
- ◆ ***Selenium 75 (Se-75) capsules***
- ◆ ***Licensed as Special Form***

▶ ***Radioactive Contents Limit: 12,000 Ci***

▶ ***Decay Heat Limit: 85 watts***



# MPSC Certification Test Plan

## ► Objectives

- ◆ *To demonstrate that, after a worst–case sequence of free and puncture drops, no degradation in shielding capability of payload packages occurs*
- ◆ *To demonstrate retention of special form capsules within the gamma shields*



# ***MPSC Certification Test Plan (con't)***

- ▶ ***Full-scale, prototypic CTUs***
- ▶ ***Demonstration basis: radiation dose rates comply with 10 CFR 71 radiation limits after full series of free and puncture drops***
  - ◆ ***No shielding credit for outer MPSC package***
  - ◆ ***Use of actual radioactive source capsules in THSC and RMSC payloads***
  - ◆ ***Post-test readings versus pre-test readings***
- ▶ ***Normal speed filming of free drops planned***
- ▶ ***Tests***
  - ◆ ***Free Drops***
  - ◆ ***Puncture Drops***



# ***MPSC Certification Test Plan (con't)***

## **▶ *Structural evaluations:***

### **◆ *NCT free drops, and HAC free & puncture drops, by test***

- *Total of two NCT free drops***
- *Total of five HAC free and four puncture drops***

### **◆ *All other NCT and HAC load cases by analysis***

## **▶ *Thermal NCT & HAC evaluations by analysis***



# ***MPSC Certification Test Plan (con't)***

## **▶ *Initial conditions***

- ◆ *For high-impact free drops, temperature will be cold (-20 °F):***
  - *Top down orientation***
- ◆ *For maximum deformation free drops, temperature will be NCT hot condition:***
  - *CG-over-corner***
  - *Side***
- ◆ *Puncture tests will be performed at ambient temperature***



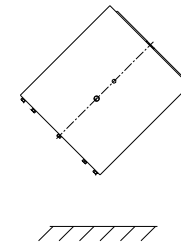
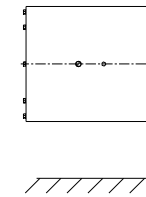
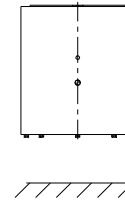
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- ▶ ***Two NCT, 4–ft free drops***
- ▶ ***Four HAC 30–ft free drops***
  - ◆ ***Two focused on impact***
  - ◆ ***Two focused on deformation***
- ▶ ***Four puncture drops***
  - ◆ ***Tentatively the same free drop orientations***
  - ◆ ***Final orientations to be determined based on observed free drop damage***
- ▶ ***Thermal Evaluation of Most Damaged CTU(s)***



# MPSC Certification Test Plan (con't)

<u>Free Drop Test</u>	<u>Purpose</u>
<p><b>Vertical, Top Down (cold); NCT &amp; HAC THSC &amp; RMSC Payloads</b></p>	<p><b>Max impact to dislodge gamma shields, source capsules</b></p>
<p><b>Side (hot) RMSC Payload</b></p>	<p><b>Impact to damage gamma shields, enclosure</b></p>
<p><b>Top Down, CG-over-Corner (hot) THSC &amp; RMSC Payloads</b></p>	<p><b>Max deformation to attempt to damage lock block assemblies, damage gamma shields</b></p>



# ***MPSC Certification Test Plan (con't)***

## **▶ *Data collection***

- ◆ *Temperature of polyurethane foam***
- ◆ *Normal speed film***

## **▶ *Measurements (pre– and post–test)***

- ◆ *Crush distance, puncture damage***
- ◆ *Radiation Dose Rates***
- ◆ *Photographs***





# ***MPSC Certification Test Plan (con't)***

## **▶ Acceptance Criteria**

- ◆ ***Radiation dose rates comply with 10 CFR §71.51(a)(2):***
  - ***THSC payload***
  - ***RMSC payload***
- ◆ ***No dislodgement of source capsules in THSC payload***
- ◆ ***No loss of gamma shielding in RMSC payload***

## **▶ Discussion**



# Schedule

- ▶ ***CTU fabrication completion – 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2016***
- ▶ ***Certification testing – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2016***
- ▶ ***Submittal of application to NRC for Type B(U)–96 certification – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2016***
- ▶ ***Planning on approximately 5 months to first round RAIs***



# ***MPSC Package***

## ▶ ***Summary***

