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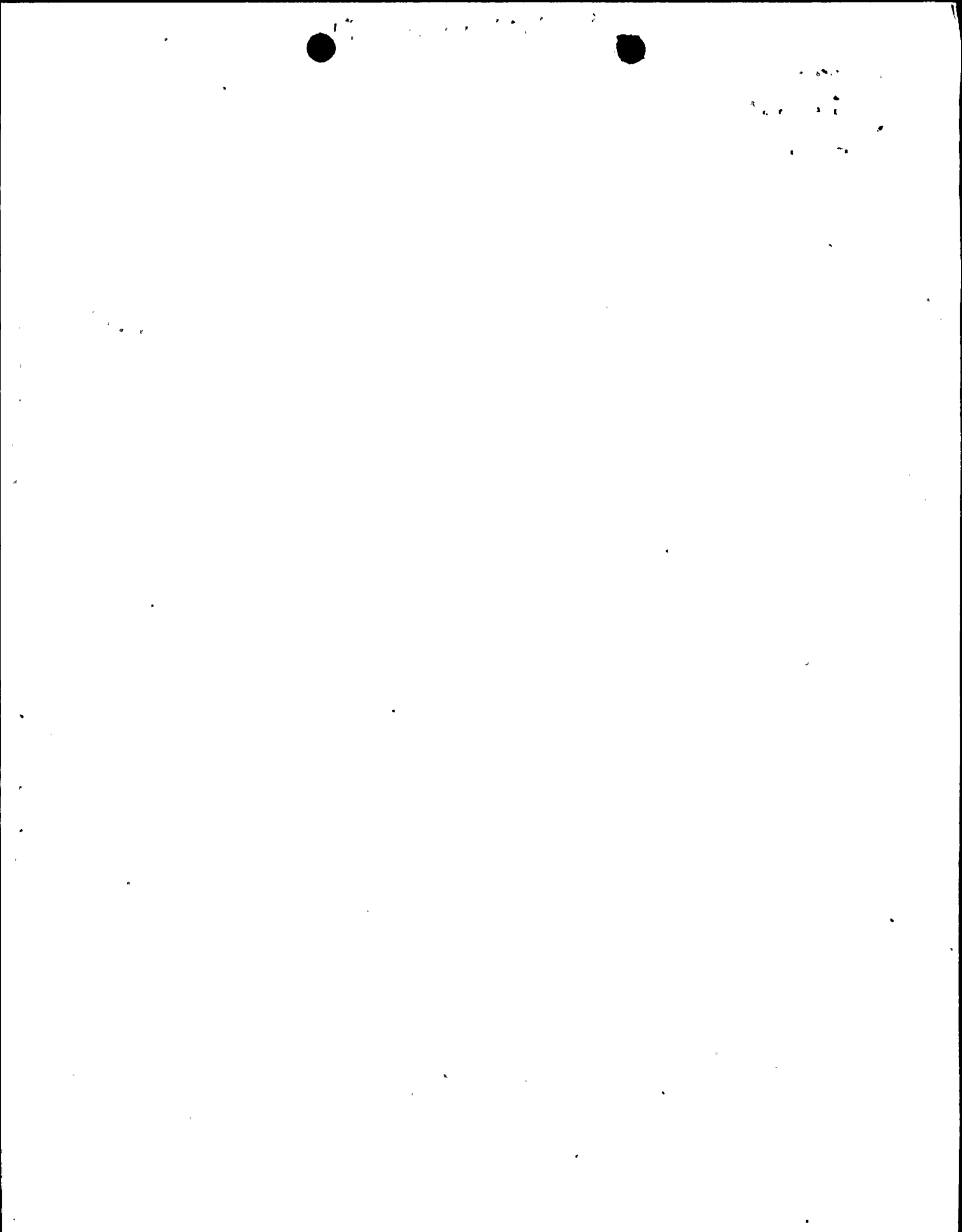
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RE: Nine Mile Point Unit 1  
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Gentlemen:

Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation (NMPC) hereby transmits an Application for Amendment to the Nine Mile Point Unit 1 (NMP1) Technical Specifications (TS) as set forth in Appendix A of Operating License DPR-63. The TS Bases have been revised consistent with the proposed changes to the TS and are included in this submittal for NRC Staff review and issuance with the TS Amendment.

It is requested that immediate attention be given to this application, and that it be approved by May 8, 1998 on an Emergency basis pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 50.91(a)(5). The rationale to support this request is provided by Attachment E.

Enclosed as Attachment A are the proposed changes to the NMP1 TS, as well as the changes to the Bases. Supporting information and analyses pursuant to 10 CFR 50.92 which demonstrate that the proposed changes do not involve a significant hazards consideration are included as Attachment B. The basis for concluding that this application meets the criteria of 10 CFR 51.22 for categorical exclusion from performing an environmental assessment is included as Attachment C. Also, to assist the NRC Staff with their review, hand mark-up copies of the TS and Bases pages are provided as Attachment D.

The proposed changes to the TS contained herein revise Sections 3.6.2 and 4.6.2, "Protective Instrumentation" to incorporate modifications to the initiation instrumentation for the Control Room Air Treatment System.

Also included in this application is a revision to the "Bases for 3.4.5 and 4.4.5 Control Room Air Treatment System." This revision updates the Bases to reflect the changes proposed for the Control Room Air Treatment System initiation circuitry.

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The Control Room Air Treatment System was declared inoperable on April 21, 1998 and NMP1 was shutdown in accordance with Specification 3.4.5 when it was determined that the inoperability condition could not be resolved in the allowed seven-day outage time. It has been determined that the modification to the initiation instrumentation for the Control Room Air Treatment System must be completed and the associated TS changes must be approved prior to declaring the system operable. Consequently, power operation of NMP1 cannot be resumed until this TS amendment application is approved.

Pursuant to 10 CFR 50.91(b)(1), NMPC has provided a copy of this license amendment application and the associated analysis regarding no significant hazards consideration to the appropriate state representative.

Very truly yours,



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