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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS - THREE MILE ISLAND NUCLEAR GENERATING STATION - UNIT 1

Enclosed is the proposed text for the sections of the Technical Specifications for the Three Mile Island Nuclear Generating Station - Unit 1 on primary and secondary coolant activities.

The enclosed Technical Specifications limit the primary coolant activity to 0.5 $\mu\text{Ci}/\text{gram}$ due to I-131 equivalent, and to $36/E$ $\mu\text{Ci}/\text{gram}$ due to all nuclides excluding tritium with half-lives of more than 20 minutes. The I-131 equivalent concentration in the secondary coolant is limited to 0.01 $\mu\text{Ci}/\text{gram}$.

The primary coolant iodine concentration limit has been reduced by a factor of three to account for the effects of a possible iodine spiking phenomenon as a result of the accident. This factor will be reduced or eliminated once sufficient data have been accumulated to demonstrate that this reduction is not required. A λ/Q value of $9.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ sec}/\text{m}^3$ and a primary to secondary leakage of 1 gpm were used in these calculations.

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