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June 18, 1979

Docket No. 50-336

Director of Nuclear Reactor Regulation Attn: Mr. R. Reid, Chief Operating Reactors Branch #4 U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D. C. 20555

Reference: (1) V. Stello, Jr., letter to All PWR Licensees dated May 25, 1979.

Gentlemen:

Millstone Nuclear Power Station, Unit No. 2 Feedwater Lines

In Reference (1), the NRC Staff requested, pursuant to 10CFR50.54(f), information regarding the design, fabrication history, and inspection of feedwater lines at Millstone Unit No. 2.

In response to that request, Northeast Nuclear Energy Company (NNECO) hereby provides Attachment 1, Information on Feedwater Lines. As stated in the Attachment, NNECO notes that the feedwater piping system inside containment has been qualified to applicable Code requirements. This, in conjunction with the acceptable operating history, confirms that Millstone Unit No. 2 can continue to operate safely in accordance with the requirements of DPR-65.

This response includes all information available regarding your request; therefore, NNECO has no plans to provide a 60-day supplement to this letter.

Very truly yours,

NORTHEAST NUCLEAR ENERGY COMPANY

Vice President

Attachment

### ATTACHMENT 1

MILLSTONE NUCLEAR POWER STATION, UNIT NO. 2

INFORMATION ON FEEDWATER LINES

JUNE, 1979

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### DESIGN

1. Provide as-built piping or isometric drawings of the feedwater line to steam generator sparger within containment. Show details of the design such as dimensions, pipe schedule, support type and locations, pipe restraints, and valve(s).

### RESPONSE

The piping isometric for the Millstone Unit No. 2 feedwater piping eystem inside containment is provided in enclosed drawing 2503-SKM-326. The design details for the steam generator feedwater nozzle are shown in the enclosed drawing.

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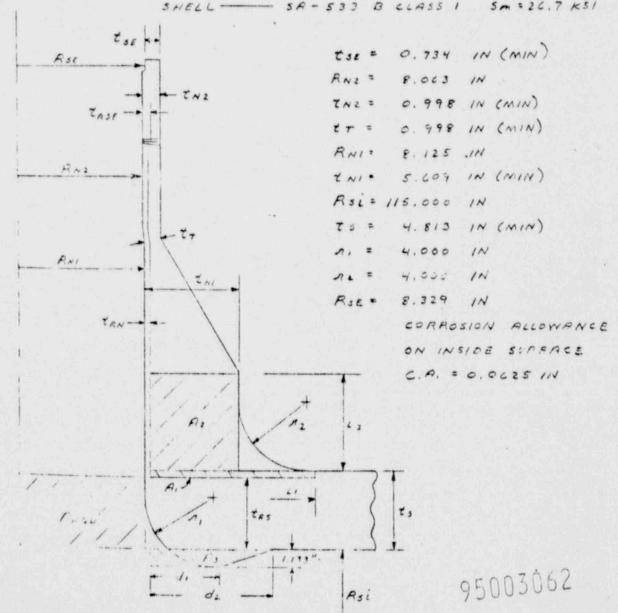
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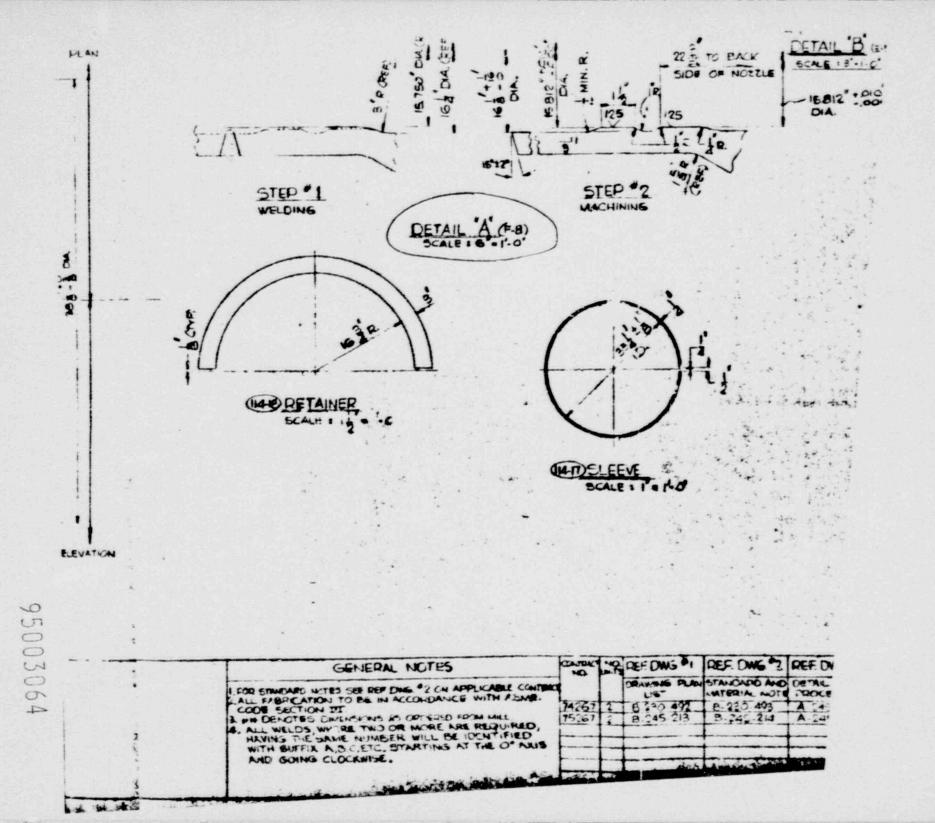
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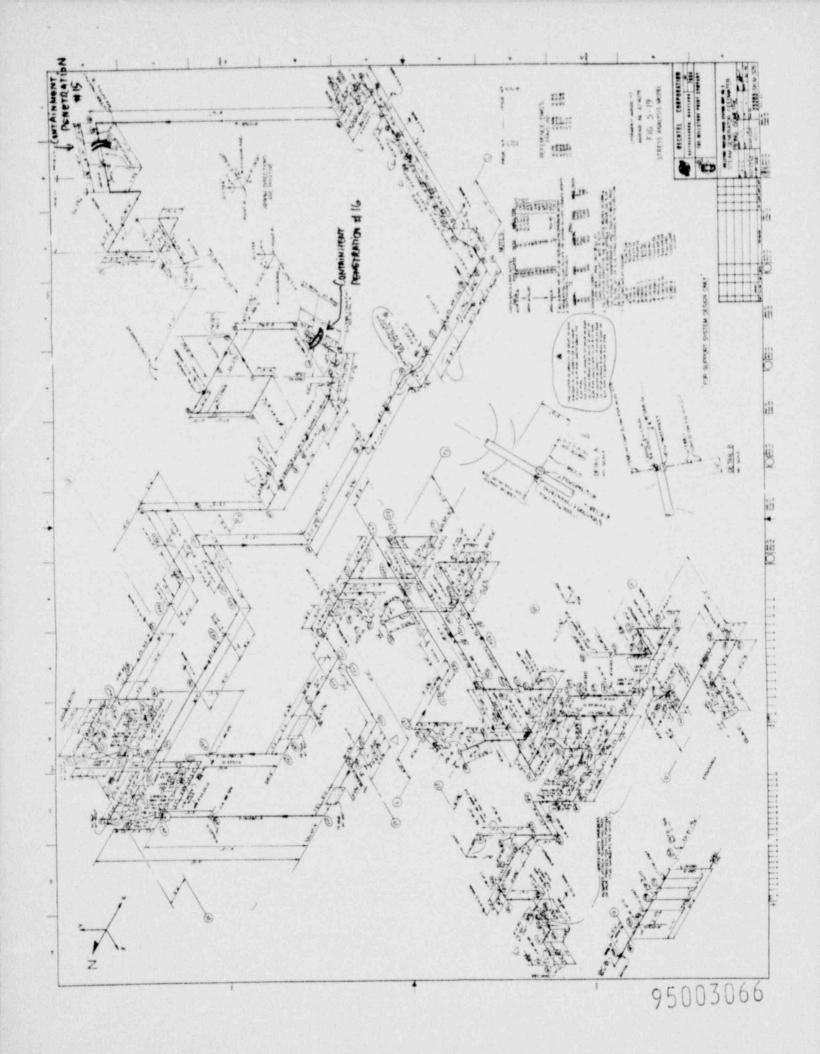
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2. Provide the results of any stress or fatigue analyses which was performed for this system.

### RESPONSE

The Millstone Unit to. 2 feedwater piping inside containment was designed to ANSI B31.7. Class II-1969. No fatigue analyses are required for Class II piping systems.

A copy of the stress analysis summary for thermal expansion, operating earthquake conditions, design basis earthquake conditions for the feedwater piping system inside containment, and a summary of forces and moments at both steam generator feedwater nossles for design basis conditions, is enclosed for information.



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### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### FABRICATION HISTORY

1. Supply a list of the materials for the steam generator sparger, steam generator feedwater nozzles, and feedwater piping within containment.

### RESPONSE

The list of materials is as follows:

7.	Steam	Generator	Feedwater	Nozzle	SA-508,	Class	2
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- 2. Steam Generator Feedwater Nozzle
  Safe End
  SA-508, Class 1
- 3. Steam Generator Sparyer ASTM-A-106, Grade B
- 4. Feedwater System:
  - (a) Piping
  - (b) Fittings

18" Schedule 60/ ASTM-A-106, Grade B

ASTM A-234, Grade WPB (Wall Thickness to Match Pipe)

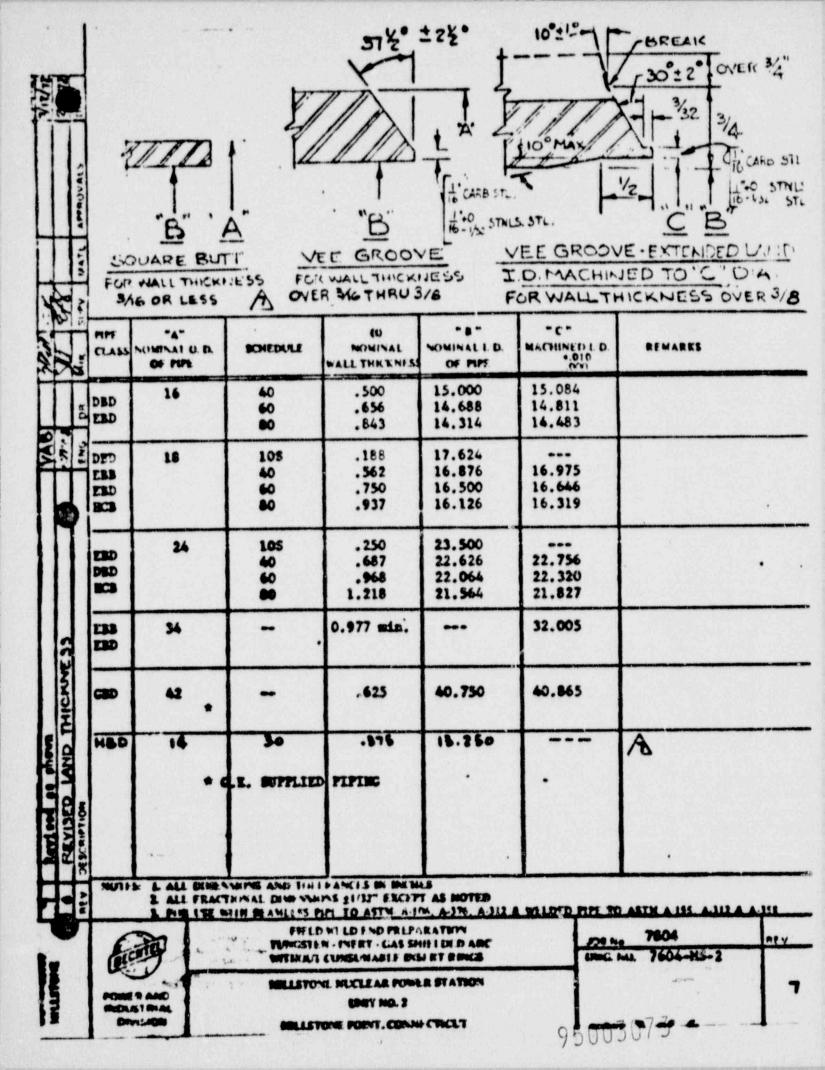
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### FABRICATION HISTORY

2. Provide the details of the welding process(es) used to make the nozsle-to-pipe, pipe-to-sparger, and piping welds. Include details of welding such as preheat, joint configuration (include with or without backing ring), and post weld treatment, if any.

### RESPONSE

- (a) The weld joint configuration for the feedwater piping and pipe-to-safe end welds is as shown on the enclosed drawing 7604-MS-2, Rev. 7, for pipe class EBB 18" Schedule 60 piping.
- (b) The specific welding procedure for the safe end to piping and feedwater piping welds "Welding Procedure Specification PI-AT-Lh (CVN)" is enclosed for information. The root pass of the butt welds was done by the Gas-Tungsten Arc process. The use of consummable inserts was optional. However, if used the consummable inserts were of the same material as the weld filler metal. Permanent backing rings were not used in the subject system welding.
- (c) Preheating of welds was in accordance with Paragraph 1, 2-731-2 of ANSI B31.7.
- (d) Post weld heat treatment for pressure piping welds was in accordance with Paragraph 1, 2-731 of ANSI B31.7.



ILE NIDZ -wer & Industrial Welding Procedure Specification Quality Control Servi ivision Prepared (77) PI-AT-Lh (CVN) Revision 0 Date 4/15/71 Manager of Engineering Authorized for use only when signed by the Division Manager of Engineering. This welding procedure specification must be used in conjunction with the General Welding Standard(s) GWS-FM Scope: Combination manual gas tungsten-arc and shielded metal-arc welding of impact quality carbon-steel piping materials using the open butt technique without an internal gas purge. This procedure is to be used where impact properties are required. Typical Joint Design ase Metal: Carbon steel Welded to Carbon steel to P# ASMF Sect. IX: P# 1 Welding Process: Gas turp " n-arc (GlA) and shielded metal-arc (SMA) S A5.18, Classifi-Filler Material SFA-5.18/ THICKNESS 3/16" THROUGH 3/8" cation E70S-2 and SFA-5. 1/AWS A5.1, Classification E7018 (Note 2) ASME Sect. IX: F# 4 & 6 Position(s) Qualified: All positions Thickness Range Qualified: (Note 3) As-welded: Min. 3/16" Max. 2-1/4" Postweld Heat Treated: Min. 3/16" Max. 2-1/4" Backing Material None Min. Preheat Temp. 60°F Interpass temperature 350°F max.

Postweld Heat Treat: (When required) one hour/

THICKNESS GREATER THAN 3/8"

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Travel Speed (in. /min)	1-6	1-6	2 - 11	2-11	2-11
Amperage Range	60-100	60-100	70-100	115-165	140-180
AC/DC, Polarity	DCSP	DCSP	DCRP	DCRP	DCRP
Voltage	10-16	10-16	22-28	22-28	22-28
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Backing Gas - cfh.	**Cone	None			
Electrode Diameter	3/32" or 1/8"	3/32" or 1/8"	3/32"	1/8"	5/32"
Tungsten Type	17-2% Thor.	1%-2% Thor.			
Filler Wire Diameter	1/8"	3/32" or 1/8"			

Additional Batructions

Note 1: File the top corner at about 45° to produce approximately a 1/32-inch land thickness.

Note 2: AWS A5.18 may be and when identical to ASME SFA-5.18. AWS A5.1 may be used when identica" ASM E SFA-5.1.

Note 3: See PIIT-500 for maximum allowable as-welded thickness permitted under the particular Code governing the fabrication. Page 1 of 2

# Welding Procedure Specification Pl-AT-Lh (CVN) Revision 0 Date 4/15/71 Additional Instructions (Continued from Page I)

Note 4: See Drawing GWS-FM-1 for special circumstances where higher preheat temperatures are required.

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### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### FABRICATION HISTORY

3. Provide the NDE performed during and after fabrication of the weld joints requested in Question 2.

### RESPONSE

For shop fabricated feedwater pipe, the NDE during and after fabrication of the weld joints was basically in conformance with the procedural and quality requirements set forth in the applicable section of B31.7 (1969) and Section IX of the ASME Code.

For field fabricated and installed feedwater pipe inside containment, the NDE during and after fabrication of the weld joints was performed in accordance with the requirements of ASME III (1971 Edition), Class II.

In addition to the above requirements, the following NDE was performed:

- (a) Each layer of welding was inspected for smoothness, slag inclusion, cracks, pin holes, undercut, and fusion to adjacent weld beads and base metal.
- (b) All butt welds in the feedwater piping system inside containment were 100% radiographed in accordance with the applicable code.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### FABRICATION HISTORY

4. Provide the Code edition to which the feedwater piping system was fabricated.

### RESPONSE

The shop fabrication of the feedwater system piping inside containment was done in accordance with the code for nuclear power piping ANSI B31.7-1969. The field fabrication and installation of the feedwater piping inside containment was done in accordance with ASME III (1971 edition), Class II.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### FABRICATION HISTORY

5. State the fracture toughness requirements, if any, for the feedwater piping system.

### RESPONSE

A Charpy V-notch NDTT temperature of +20°F was specified for the 18" Schedule 60 pipe class EBB (feedwater piping inside containment) piping. The minimum absorbed energy was in accordance with N-421 of the ASME III Code.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### PRESERVICE/INSERVICE INSPECTION AND OPERATING HISTORY

1. State whether the feedwater system welds received a preservice inspection in accordance with ASME Boiler & Pressure Vessel Code, Section XI.

### RESPONSE

A preservice examination of the two (2' steam generator feedwater nozzle to shell welds was conducted for information only in January 1975. These examinations were performed to the criteria of ASME Section XI, Winter, 1972 Addendum. No reportable indications were noted.

The balance of the feedwater system did not receive a preservice inspection as requirements to invoke the Summer 1975 Addendum to ASME XI did not become effective at Millstone Unit No. 2 until April 26, 1979.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### PRESERVICE/INSERVICE INSPECTION AND OPERATING HISTORY

2. Provide the extent of inservice inspection performed on the feedwater pipe to steam generator nozzle welds. Include the results of the examinations, any corrective actions taken, and causes of any failures.

### RESPONSE

There have been no inservice inspections of the Class 2 portions of the feedwater system to date.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### PRESERVICE/INSERVICE INSPECTION AND OPERATING HISTORY

3. Provide the schedule and extent of inservice inspection for the feedwater system for the next inspection interval.

### RESPONSE

Present plans call for volumetric examination of one 18" feedwater piping to steam generator nossle weld before July 1982 and two 18" piping welds before the end of the present (first) inspection interval in December 1985, per Category C-G, Summer 1975 Addenda.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### PRESERVICE/INSERVICE INSPECTION AND OPERATING HISTORY

4. Provide any history of water hammer or vibration in the feedwater system and design changes and/or actions taken to prevent these occurrences.

### RESPONSE

During the performance of T-INT-3000, Precore Hot Functional Test, a water hammer was observed coincident with a cooldown transient resulting from a pressurizer relief valve that lifted. This has been the only observed water hammer. The engineering solution consisted of installing standpipes in the feed ring of both steam generators. This fix was implemented between precore and postcore hot functionals and was satisfactorily tested during the Postcore Hot Functional Test. A further refinement of the modifications was made during December 1976 and January 1977. This consisted of removing all of the standpipes and blanking the holes. Thirty-six (36) three and one-half inch (3½") elbows were installed around the top of the feed rings. This modification was tested with feed rates up to 600 gpm after the feed ring had been uncovered for fifteen (15) minutes with no observed water hammer. These are the present restrictions as specified in Amendment No. 32 of our operating license.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

### PRESERVICE/INSERVICE INSPECTION AND OPERATING HISTORY

5. Provide a description of feedwater chemistry controls and a summary of chemistry data.

### RESPONSE

Feedwater chemistry controls for Millstone Unit No. 2 are summarized in Table 1. When the normal value is exceeded, the cause of the problem is investigated and corrected. Plant responses to exceeding a normal chemistry escalate, depend on the parameter and nature of the problem. Control values in chemistry conditions that require various actions including power reduction and shutdown are listed in Table 1.

Some chemistry parameters are monitored continuously by means of online analyzers, as indicated in Table 1. The other listed parameters are determined on a sampling basis.

Feedwater chemistry is also controlled indirectly by means of steam generator chemistry control. Thus, with some parameters, a fault feedwater condition would be detected in the steam generator prior to becoming detectable in the feedwater, due to the concentrating action that occurs in steam generators. On-line analyzers and chemistry controls for steam generator chemistry are provided in Table 1.

Typical chemistry data for Millstone Unit No. 2 is given in Table 2.

# INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR PEEDWATER LINES

CHEMISTRY CONTROLS AT MILLSTONE UNIT NO. 2

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SYSTEM	Feedwater		Steam	

When these values are exceeded, the cause of the problem is investigated and corrected.

increase, Actions based on exceeding these values are: chloride sampling, blowdown condenser leak isolation/repair, etc. 00

Shutdown or power-reduction requirement is based on exceeding these values. 3.

### INFORMATION REQUESTED ON PWR FEEDWATER LINES

## TABLE 2 TYPICAL CHEMISTRY DATA AT MILLSTONE UNIT NO. 2 (DATA FROM WEEK ENDING 1/06/79)

SYSTEM	PARAMETER	VALUE
Feedwater	pH Cat.Cond. wmhos/am Owygen, ppb Hydrazine, ppb Ammonia, ppb Copper, ppb Iron, ppb	8.95 0.05 3.0 8 201 6.1 2.7
Steam Generator	pH Cat.Cond. wnhos/cm Cond. wnhos/cm Sus.Sol., ppm Chloride, ppm Sodiwm, ppb Ammonia, ppm Copper, ppb Iron, ppb Silica, ppm	8.71 0.6 1.70 <0.010 <0.05 9.4 0.144 0.35 2.6 <1.0