

CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY
Docket 50-155
Request for Change to the Technical Specifications
License DPR-6

For the reasons hereinafter set forth, it is requested that the Technical Specifications contained in the Facility Operating License DPR-6, Docket 50-155, issued to Consumers Power Company on May 1, 1964, for the Big Rock Point Plant be changed as described in Section I below:

I. Changes

Section 6.4.1

Add a new section (e) which reads:

"(e) In-Plant Radio-Iodine Measurements Under Accident Conditions

Procedures for determining airborne radio-iodine concentrations in occupied areas shall be implemented and technicians shall be trained on an annual basis. Maintenance of the sampling equipment shall occur at least semi-annually and maintenance of the analytical equipment shall occur at least monthly."

Section 11.4.1.4.B

Change the wording for the core spray recirculation system operability check and add a new sentence as follows:

"Operability check of the core spray recirculation system through the test tank flow path. During the core spray recirculation system operability check reduce any leakage to as low as practical from components outside containment prior to returning system to service."

II. Discussion

The above proposed Technical Specifications changes are requested in response to NRC letters dated July 2, 1980 and January 7, 1981. The changes are associated with actions taken by Consumers Power Company in response to the Category "A" items of the Commission's recommendations resulting from TMI-2 Lessons Learned.

The proposed change request addresses the topics involving Systems Integrity and Iodine Monitoring from the NRC letters dated July 2, 1980 and January 7, 1981 in current Big Rock Point Technical Specifications format. It will be noted that the Systems Integrity proposal only affects the core spray recirculation system, because it is the only system penetrating containment that is required to operate during accident conditions. Systems Integrity specifics are provided by our submittal dated December 19, 1980 in response to NUREG-0737, "Clarification of TMI Action Plan Requirements".

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III. Conclusion

Based on the foregoing, both the Big Rock Point Plant Review Committee and the Safety and Audit Review Board have reviewed these changes and find them acceptable.

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Sworn and subscribed to before me this 5th day of March 1981.

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Dorothy H Bartkus, Notary Public
Jackson County, Michigan
My commission expires March 26, 1983.