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SUBJECT: TMI RADIATION PROTECTION PLAN

I have reviewed the proposed Radiation Protection Plan and have the following general comments:

#### 1. Organization

The licensee should provide an organization chart which provides tracable lines of authority and responsibility for the various functions required to support Unit 1 and Unit 2 operations and Unit 2 recovery. The organization chart must reflect the chain of command throughout the licensee organization with responsibilities for major functional areas in radiation protection and the interactions of the waste management group with the rest of the station radiation protection activities. Minimum qualifications of personnel for each major functional group should be listed. Major functional areas should include (but not necessarily be limited to) the following:

Personnel Dosimetry - External Dose Assessment Personnel Dosimetry - Internal Dose Assessment Health Physics Operations/Monitoring Radiological Engineering Radiological Audits Health Physics Training Technical Support - Procedure Preparation Respiratory Protection Radioactive Material Control Radiological Surveys Laboratory/Counting support Environmental Monitoring Radwaste release authorization

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The plan should indicate the minimum qualifications of personnel responsible for each functional area. Since the Radiation Protection organization supporting Unit 1 operations is to be separate from the total radiation protection organization, the Unit 1 Radiation Protection organization should meet the minimum technical specification requirements for the qualifications of personnel in Reg. Guide 1.8. The Unit 2 radiation protection

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recovery organization under the Manager - i caste, should be under the direction of a person with qualifications a. least as stringant as those required for a Radiation Protection manager in Reg. Guide 1.8. The lines of authority and responsibility between these two organizations should be clarified.

#### 2. Committment to ALARA

The radiation protection plan does not include any procedure for the implementation of an ALARA program. A model ALARA program to be implemented at operating reactors is appended to these comments. The intent of this model program should be included. As a minimum a review and sign off for ALARA considerations should be required by an element of the Radiation Protection organization perferably the Radiological Engineering function.

### 3. Applicability of Procedures

Either as a separate section or intergrated into the plan, it is include the applicability of existing radiation protection procedures or modification: to those procedure necessitated by the recovery organization.

### 4. Specific Comments

Specific comments on the plan, are enclosed on the marked up copy.

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# RADIATION PROTECTION - ------

#### Introduction

This Fire describes the standards, policies, and instructions for providing radiation protection at the Three Mile Island Nuclear Station.

The primary purpose of the Metropolitan Edison Radiation Protection . is to maintain the radiation exposure as low as reasonably achievable and to provide for the protection of plant personnel and visitors against unnecessary exposure to radiation and radioactive materials. These objectives are best achieved through administrative exposure control procedures, adequate work planning, and safe practices in all activities related to plant operations and maintenance.

All standards expressed in this *Pier* are in accordance with specific provisions of the Code of Federal Regulations and the recommendations of the ICRP; International Commission of Radiation Protection.

It is intended that this manual be used for Three Mile Island Nuclear Station Unit 2.

## RADIATION EXPOSURE POLICY

Metropolitan Edison Company will institute the policy to keep personnel radiation exposure within the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and Pennsylvania State Regulations, and beyond that, to keep the exposures as low as reasonably achievable. In addition, Three Mile Island Nuclear Station will discharge radioactive effluents, liquid and gaseous, within the limits of the NRC and Pennsylvania State Regulations and will keep releases of radioactive material as low as reasonably achievable. Administrative control procedures are adopted to serve this end. These procedures are generally based on the conditions prevailing during routine plant operations. They serve three important functions:

- 1. To control the individual's accumulated radiation exposure.
- To distribute the exposure among plant personnel as evenly as practical.
- To use the Rad-Waste Treatment facilities to ensure compliance with Federal and State regulations.

Each individual is required to keep his radiation exposure as low as practicable consistent with discharging his duties, and to observe all rules adopted for his safety and that of others. The ultimate success of the radiation protection program depends in a large measure on the degree of cooperation that can be expected from station personnel. Radiation Safety is everybody's responsibility and as such is a cooperative effort involving every member of the station organization.

#### 1.0 RADIOLOGICAL CONTROLS, LIMITS AND PRECAUTIONS

This section prescribes the maximum permissible external and internal radiation exposure as set forth in the NRC regulations "Standards for Protection Against Radiation" (10CFR20) and regulations of the State of Pennsylvania Part 433. The exposure limits and regulations in this manual shall be applicable to all persons within the restricted area bounded by the security fence of Metropolitan Edison Company's Three Mile Island Nuclear Station.

1.1 Maximum Permissible Exposure

The maximum permissible occupational radiation exposure for individuals 19 years of age or older will be limited to the following:

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- 1.1.1 The maximum quarterly exposure to the whole body, head and trunk, blood forming organs, gonads, and lens of the eye shall be limited to 1½ rem.
- 1.1.2 The maximum quarterly exposure to the skin of the whole body shall be limited to 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>2</sub> rem.
- 1.1.3 The maximum quarterly exposure to the hands and forearms, feet and ankles shall be limited to 18 3/4 rem.
- 1.1.4 Met-Ed may permit an individual in a restricted area to receive a dose to the whole body greater than that permitted in paragraph 1.1.1 provided:
  - During any calendar quarter the dose to the whole body from radioactive material and other sources of radiation in the licensee's possession shall not exceed 3 rem; and
  - 2. The dose to the whole body, when added to the accumulated occupational dose to the whole body, shall not exceed 5 (N-18) rem where "N" equals the individual's age in years at his last birthday; and

- 3. Metropolitan Edison Company has determined the individual's accumulated occupational dose to the whole body, on Form NRC-4, or on a clear and legible record containing all the information required in that form.
- 1.1.5 Exposure to Minors

Metropolitan Edison Company shall not possess, use or transfer licensed material in such a manner as to cause any individual within a restricted area, who is under 19 years of age, to exceed 10 percent of the limits specified in paragraph 1.1.1, 1.1.2 and 1.1.3. Metropolitan Edison Company shall not possess, use or transfer licensed material in such a manner as to cause any individual within a restricted area, who is under 19 years of age to be exposed to airborne radioactive material possessed by the licensee in an average concentration in excess of the limits specified in Appendix B, Table II of 10CFR20. For purposes of this paragraph, concentrations may be averaged over periods not greater than seven consecutive days.

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- 1.2 Administrative Exposure Limits
- 1.2.1 In order to maintain the occupational exposure of personnel within the limits established in IOCFR20, it is necessary to apply certain restrictions to the rate of dose accumulation over the period for which the limits are applicable.
- 1.2.2 The weekly administrative exposure limit (seven consecutive days, Monday through Sunday) established for this purpose is:
  - Exposure of the whole body and critical organs shall be limited to 3CO MREM/week. (Seven consecutive days)

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- A whole body exposure about 300 MREM in any week (seven consecutive days) will require authorization from the Radiation Protection Supervisor/Foreman.
- 1.2.3 The calendar quarterly (3 month period of time) expsoure limit is:
  - 1. As specified in paragraph 1.1.
  - A whole body exposure above 1000 mrem in any calendar quarter will require written authorization from the Radiation Protection Supervisor to assure compliance with paragraph 1.1.4.
  - 3. A whole body exposure above 2000 mrem in any quarter will require written authorization from the Radiation Protection Supervisor and Unit Superintendent to assure compliance with paragraph 1.1.4.

1.3 Maximum Permissible Concentrations in Air

1.3.1 Exposure to airborne radioactive materials shall not exceed the exposure that would result from inhalation for 40 hr/week for thirteen (13) weeks at uniform concentrations of radioactive material in air specified on Appendix B, Table I, Column I, 10CFR20.

- 1.3.2 For radioactive materials designated "Sub" in the "Isotope" column of Appendix B, Table I, Column 1 of 10CFR20, the concentration value specified shall be based upon exposure to the material as an external source. Individual exposures to these materials shall be accounted for as part of the limitation on individual dose in 10CFR20, 101.
- 1.3.3 Credit will be taken for use of respiratory protective equipment as a part of the respiratory protective program. The program will be conducted in accordance with the requirements of section 1.8 of this manual.
- 1.4 Emergency and Accidental Exposure
- 1.4.1 Although an emergency situation transcends the normal requirements of limiting exposure, there are suggested levels for exposure which may be accepted in emergencies. It is considered that an emergency dose of 100 rem to the whole body for saving a life and 25 rem to the whole body for saving equipment may be acceptable under unusual circumstances. It should be pointed out that every reasonable effort must be made to minimize exposure, even in emergencies.

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# 1.5 Classification of Areas

1.5.1 Restricted Area

A restricted area is defined as any area access to which is controlled by the licensee for purposes of protection of individuals from exposure to radiation and radioactive materials. "Restricted Areas" shall not include any area used as residential

that a major portion of the body could receive in any one (1) hour a dose in excess of five (5) mrem or in any five consecutive days a dose in excess of one hundred (100) mrem are classified Radiation Areas.

1.5.6 High Radiation Area

Areas accessible to personnel in which there exists radiation at such levels that a major portion of the body could receive in any one hour a dose in excess of one hundred (100) mrem are classified as High Radiation Areas.

Any area in which radiation levels are 1.0 rem/hr or greater shall be locked to prevent unauthorized entry.

1.5.7 Airborne Radioactivity Area

An Airborne Radioactivity Area is any area in which airborne radioactive materials exist in concentrations in excess of the limits for restricted areas as tabulated in Appendix B, Table 1, Column 1, 10CFR20, or in which concentrations exist which averaged over the number of hours in any one week during which individuals are in the area exceed 25% of these values.

1.5.8 Access Control Point

The access control point serves as a boundary line between the clean and the controlled areas of the plant. This point is located

in the Service Building, elevation 305' for Unit II. Radiation Detection monitors are located here to be used, for the detection of contamination, by all individuals leaving the controlled area.

- 1.6 Area Contamination Limits
- 1.6.1 Contaminated Area

Loose surface contamination Beta-Gamma > 1000 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup>

Alpha > 100 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup>

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Fixed Contamination

1.6.2 Clean Area

Loose surface contamination Beta-Gamma < 1000 DPM/100cm

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Fixed Contamination

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100 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup>

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1.6.3 Controlled Area

Same as that of a clean area except where contaminated areas exist.

#### 1.7 Equipment Control

All equipment used within the confines of the Controlled Area shall be monitored for contamination prior to being released from the controlled area. If the equipment is less than or equal to the clean area limits, paragraph 1.6.2 the Radiation Protection Department personnel will place a "green tag" on the equipment according to H.P. Procedures and the equipment may be taken from the controlled area.

All equipment that is greater than the limits set aside for a clean area, paragraph 1.6.2, will be marked according to applicable H.P. Procedures and retained within the confines of the controlled area until decontaminated.

# 1.7.1 Regulated Equipment

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- Equipment of a portable nature, such as hand tools, small pumps and motors of such design which makes decontamination

impractical may be considered regulated equipment and may be routinely stored in areas set aside for control of contaminated equipment. The control and use of regulated equipment will be governed by the Radiation Protection Department through Health Physics Procedures.

#### 1.8 Respiratory Protection

The control and supervision of the use of respiratory equipment is the responsibility of the Radiation Protection Department. Respiratory protective devices may be required in any situation arising from plant operations where any airborne radioactivity conditions are potential or existent. In such cases the air will be monitored by Radiation Protection Personnel and the necessary protection devices specified according to the concentration and type of airborne contaminents present. It is the responsibility of the individual and his supervisor to notify Radiation Protection Personnel when working with radioactive materials that are likely to become airborne. Every precaution should be taken to keep the air contamination to a minimum through use of proper plant ventilation equipment and prior decontamination of equipment and work areas.

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#### 1.8.1 Training

Appropriate persons shall initially receive adequate instruction in respirator use prior to such use in an Airborne Radioactive Area.

1.8.1.1 Respiratory training shall include the instruction that each respiratory user may leave the area at any time for relief from respirator use in case of equipment malfunction, physical or psychological discomfort, or any other condition that might cause reduction in the protection afforded the wearer.

- 1.8.1.2 A respiratory protection program shall be maintained which will be adequate to assure that the requirements of this section and the requirements of 10CFR20 are met. The program is outlined as follows:
  - a. Procedures for adequate Air Sampling and surveys sufficient to identify the hazard and to permit proper selection of respiratory protective equipment.

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- b. Written procedu es for training personnel in the proper use of respiratory equipment.
- c. Written procedures for maintenance to assure full effectiveness of respiratory protective equipment, including testing, issuance, cleaning and decontamination, inspection, repair and storage.
- d. Protection factors for Respiratory Equipment will be as specified in the Technical Specifications.
- e. Bio-Assays and/or whole body counts of individuals and other surveys, as appropriate, to evaluate individual exposures.
- 1.8.2 The licensee will use respiratory equipment tested and certified by the Bureau of Mines/National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.

1.9 Medical and Bio-Assay Examinations

1.9.1 Medical Procedures

All prospective full-time Met Ed employees must pass the regular company medical examination. In addition all personnel of the Three Mile Island full time operating staff who have occasion to work in the Restricted Area of the Nuclear facility

will be given a base line Bio-Assay examination as well as medical and Bio-Assay examinations upon termination of employment. The results of these examinations will be compiled in each individuals medical record.

- 1.9.2 The Three Mile Island Bio-Assay and Whole Body Examinations are detailed in Health Physics Procedure 1628.
- 1.10 Exemptions to Title 10CFR20
- 1.10.1 The Radiation Protection program shall comply with the requirements of 10CFR20 with the following exception:

The following applies to high radiation areas in Unit II auxiliary and fuel handling buildings, chemical cleaning building and containment only:

In lieu of the "control device" or "alarm signal" required by paragraph 20.203(c)(2) of 10 CFR 20, each high radiation area in which the intensity of radiation is 1000 mrcm/hr or less shall be barricaded and conspicuously posted as a high radiation area and entrance thereto shall be controlled by requiring issuance of a Radiation Work Permit.

(Health Physics personnel shall be exempt from the RWP issuance) requirement during the performance of their assigned radiation protection duties, provided they comply with approved radiation protection procedures for entry into high radiation areas.) Any individual or group of individuals permitted to enter such areas shall be provided with or accompanied by one or more of the following:

 A radiation monitoring device which continuously indicates the radiation dose rate in the crea. D. A radiation monitoring device which continuously integrates the radiation dose rate in the area and alarms when a preset integrated dose is received. Entry into such areas with this monitoring device may be made after the dose rate level in the area has been established and personnel have been made knowledgeable of them.

An individual qualified in radiation protection procedures who is equipped with a radiation dose rate monitoring device. This individual shall be responsible for providing positive control over the activities within the area and shall perform periodic radiation surveillance at the frequency specified by the Supervisor - Radiation Protection in the Radiation Work Permit.

The requirements of 4.10.1 above shall also apply to each high radiation area in those specified buildings in which the intensity of radiation is greater than 1000 mrem/hr; however, cubicles and rooms within the applicable buildings presently equipped with lockable doors or gates and which contain radiation areas greater than 1000 mrem/hr shall be maintained locked and posted with radiation levels. Keys shall be maintained under the administrative control of the Shift Supervisor or Shift Foreman on duty and/or the Supervisor - Radiation Protection.

High radiation areas measuring greater than 1000 mrem/hr in corridors or other areas not presently lockable shall be barricaded and conspicuously posted. A plot of all such barricades shall be maintained at each point controlling entrance to that building and personnel shall be briefed on their location prior to permitting entry

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Positive control over personnel entry and exit from these buildings shall be maintained for each individual entry and exit by qualified radiation protection technicians stationed continuously at the access point(s) except when that entrance is locked and secured. Selected low radiation areas on each end of these buildings shall be conspicuously identified for short term waiting areas to be used when not required in the areas of higher radiation. Recent .

Entry into the Unit II containment is prohibited unless sp. ifically approved in writing by the NRC.

## 2.0 MONITORING PROCEDURES

All individuals who are subject to occupational radiation exposure and while within the Three Mile Island Control Areas are required to have in their possession personnel monitoring devices capable of measuring the dose received from external sources of ionizing radiation.

2.0.1 Responsibility

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It is the responsibility of the Radiation Protection Department to establish and maintain the personnel monitoring program consistent with the requirements of 10CFR20. It is the responsibility of the individual to wear the Thermo Luminescent Dosimeter (TLD) and the self reading dosimeter in the prescribed manner and assure their safe keeping. The loss or damage of any personnel monitoring device will require the immediate notification of the Radiation Protection Department.

2.0.2 The official and permanent record of accumulative external dose received by individuals will be obtained principally from the interpretation of the TLD. The direct reading dosimeter will provide day to day indication of external radiation exposure.

TLD Issue

Any person who enters the control area under such circumstances that he receives, or is likely to receive a does in any calendar quarter in access of 25 percent of the applicable value specified in section 1.1.? through 1.1.3 will be issued Beta-Gamma ( $\beta_Y$ ) TLD to wear at all times while in Control Area. A neutron sensitive device in addition to the Beta-Gamma ( $\beta_Y$ ) sensitive TLD will be issued to personnel whenever a significant neutron exposure is possible.

2.2 Dosimeter Issue

A self reading dosimeter will be worn by all personnel when entering the controlled areas of the plant. Dosimeters will be read, recordedand re-zeroed regularly by each individual. A form for recording individual dosimeter readings will be kept at the Access Control Point. Dosimeter records will furnish the exposure data for the administrative control of radiation, exposure. Any individual whose dosimeter indicates an off scale reading shall report his event to the Radiation Protection Department immediately.

2.3 Wearing of Personnel Monitoring Devices

The Personnel Monitoring Devices are to be worn on the front of the clothing adjacent to each other and in a plainly visible position. It shall be required that each individual examine his dosimeter periodically while in a radiation area. No individual should allow the 0-200 mR dosimeter reading to exceed 175 mR regardless of any prescribed exposure allowance without having his dosin ter recharged and the readings recorded. Precautions should be taken to prevent the contamination of personnel monitoring devices when entering contaminated areas.

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2.3.1 In the event that any person loses, misplaces, or damages his TLD or self reading dosimeter, the person involved shall immediately contact H.P. and complete a Lost or Damaged Dosimeter Report, to document the investigation of unknown exposure. A replacement dosimeter and TLD will be issued as required.

2.4 TLD Processing Frequency

The TLDs will normally be processed at monthly intervals. The TLD of any individual will be processed immediately if an over exposure has occurred or is suspected.

2.5 Personnel Exposure Investigations

Whenever a situation occurs involving the suspected or known exposure of personnel to radiation in excess of permissible limits specified in Title 10C'R Part 20, the incident shall be promptly investigated and personnel exposures evaluated. This may require special Bio-Assays, Whole Body Count, Radiation Surveys, Air Samples and TLD Analysis. Reporting requirements shall be in accordance with 10CFR20.

Personnel involved in a radiation incident and whose exposure is not known <u>shall</u> not be assigned to <u>Control</u> Area work until their exposures have been evaluated.

2.6 Protective Clothing

All personnel entering a contaminated area are required to wear certain items of protective clothing. These items to be worn will depend on the duties of the individual and on existing plant conditions, and will be specified on the Radiation Work Permit. Protective clothing should not be worn outside of the controlled area.

- 2.7 Protective Clothing
- 2.7.1 Whenever loose surface contamination is encountered above the limits specified for a clean area, some form of protective clothing is required to be worn by those working in or on the affected area. Protective clothing will only be used as authorized by the Radiation Protection Department.

- \*2.7.2 The type of protective clothing that is required to be worn will be specified by the Radiation Protection Department on the radiation work permit issued for that area. Substitutions for the required clothing may not be made by an individual without the concurrence of the Radiation Protection Department.
- 2.7.3 All protective clothing will be provided, by the Radiation Protection Department, at pre-determined locations in the controlled area.
- 2.7.4 Specific methods required for the dressing, wearing and removal of protective clothing are specified in Health Physics Procedures.
- 2.8 Laundered Protective Clothing Protective clothing laundered on site shall be surveyed by the Radiation Protection Department for the following acceptable limits of contamination.
- 2.8.1 The fixed Beta-Gamma ( $\beta_Y$ ) activity shall not exceed a general reading of 0.5 **MR**/hr at one inch.
- 2.8.2 Clothing in excess of the above limits may be retained for limited use in highly contamined area. This clothing will not be available for general use.

2.9 Radiation Work Permit (RWP)

All work or entry for surveillance purposes in radiation areas that could cause exposure to radiation in excess of the following limits will require a Radition Work Permit.

5 mrem/hr.

100 MR for a 40 hour work week (5 consecutive days)

 $3 \times 10^{-10} \mu \text{Ci/cc}$  Airborne Radioactivity, provided that no Alpha (a) activity is present.

Greater than or equal to 1000 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup> Beta-Gamma ( $B_Y$ ) Greater than or equal to 100 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup> Alpha ( $\alpha$ )

It shall be the duty of the Radiation Protection Supervisor, Shift Foreman and/or the job foreman to insure initiation of Radiation Work Permits and to see that all radiation controls are enforced while work is in progress. In addition, it is the responsibility of the personnel involved to adhere to instructions listed on the Radiation Work Permit. Individuals entering RWP areas must have obtained at least "RWP" clearance or be provided with a qualified escort.

2.9.1 Initiation of Radiation Work Permits

Anyone may initiate an RWP. All Radiation Work Permits (RWPs) (except standing RWPs) will automatically terminate on the day following the issue day or as specified by the Radiation Protection Supervisor/Foreman. If the job must continue beyond the termination date a new RWP will be issued.

2.9.2 Standing Radiation Work Permit (SRWP)

These permits in general are for routine jobs where possible radiological hazard exists, but where the individual's familiarity with the job and H.P. knowledge of the situation indicates repeated H.P. checkouts are not required for reasonable safety. Standing Radiation Work Permits will be issued at the discretion of the Radiation Protection Supervisor. It will be indicated under block 6 that the permit is a standing radiation work permit. SRWPs will be issued for a period of time specified by the Radiation Protection Supervisor.

2.10 General Rules for Work in Controlled Area

- 2.10.1 All work is to be conducted in a practical manner consistent with maintaining a minimum of radiation exposure to personnel.
- 2.10.2 TLDs and Dosimeters shall be worn at all times. Dosimeters should be read periodically when working in a radiation area or high radiation area.
- 2.10.3 The required items of protective clothing shall be worn by all personnel while in the Controlled Area. Refer to section 2.8.
- 2.10.4 Eating and drinking are prohibited in the Controlled Area. Smoking is not permitted in Contaminated Areas.
- 2.10.5 Personnel without "RWP" on their photo identification badge or equivalent will require an escort when entering RWP areas.
- 2.10.6 Personnel leaving the Controlled Area shall monitor themselves for contamination at the Access Control Point before leaving the area. If a person is found to be contaminated, the Radiation Protection Department shall be notified.
- 2.10.7 Personnel shall notify the Radiation Protection Department of the malfunctioning of any Radiation Protection Equipment.

2.11 Personnel Decontamination

- 2.11.1 With careful adherence to established radiation protection practices contamination of personnel will be kept to a minimum. For those times that decontamination does become necessary the following will be performed.
- 2.11.2 Upon detecting contamination levels above 1000 DPM/100 cm<sup>2</sup> Beta-Gamma and 100 DPM/100 cm<sup>2</sup> Aipha the individual is to immediately notify the Radiation Protection Department.

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- 2.11.3 Personnel from the Radiation Protection Department will determine the extent of contamination and supply directions as to the decontamination method to follow for proper decontamination of the individual.
- 2.11.4 If contaminants are detected in the facial area of the individual nasal swabs will be taken to determine the possibility, if any, of internal contamination. Muchde cutures for w.b. count
- 2.11.5 After decontamination efforts have been completed the Radiation Protection Department personnel will monitor the individual again and continue decontamination efforts according to department procedures until decontamination is complete.
- 2.11.6 In all personnel contamination cases Heatlh Physics will complete a Contamination/Expose Report Form found in HP 1612.
- 2.12 Removal of Material and Equipment from the Controlled Area
- 2.12.1 Any component, item of equipment or tools having been used in the Controlled Area, will require a Beta-Gamma (By) dose rate and contamination survey prior to removal from the Controlled Area.
- 2.12.2 Release Limits

Material and equipment will be given an unconditional release for use outside the boundary of the controlled area if removable surface contamination is less than 1000 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup> Beta-Gamma ( $\beta\gamma$ ) and 100 DPM/100cm<sup>2</sup> Alpha ( $\alpha$ ) and radiation levels at one inch are less than 0.4 mr/hr.

2.12.2.1 Removal of material and equipment from the Controlled Area with radiation and contamination levels in excess of those limits specified for unconditional release must be approved for "conditional" release by Radiation Protection Supervisor/ Foreman.

2.12.2.2 Any item approved for conditional release shall be packaged and sealed to prevent the release of any contamination and labeled with a properly executed Radioactive Material Tag.

2.13 Personnel Monitoring at the Control Area

2.13.1 The main ingress and egress to the Control Area, (Auxiliary Building, Reactor Building and Fuel Handling Building) shall be at the "Access Control Point" located

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the Service Area for Unit #2.

- 2.13.2 When a person enters the Control Area via the "Access Control Point" he will do the following:
- 2.13.2.1 Pick up his personnel monitoring devices.
- 2.13.2.2 Follow the instructions on the applicable Radiation Work Permit or notify the Radiation Protection Department if he needs special Radiation Protection coverage.
- 2.13.3 When a person leaves the Control Area via the Access Control Point he will monitor himself and his personal clothing at the Hand and Foot and Portal Monitors located at the Access Control Point. If no contamination is present, 'he will exit the Control Area. If contamination is detected, he will notify the Radiation Protection Department.
- 2.13.4 After monitoring himself he will read his dosimeter and place his Personnel Monitoring Devices Film Badge Rack located at the Access Control Point.

- 2.14 Respiratory Protection Administrative Limits
- 2.14.1 In such cases where any airborne radioactivity condition is potential or existent, the air will be monitored by the Radiation Protection Department and the necessary respiratory protection will be provided according to the concentrations and type of airborne contaminants.
- 2.14.2 Respiratory protection will be required if the following limits are exceeded:

Unidentified mixed particulate beta-gamma activity  $\ge 3 \times 10^{-10}$  µci/cc

Identified isotopes and known concentrations = MPC<sub>a</sub> as specified in 10CFR20.

#### 3.0 TRAINING AND INDOCTRINATION OF RADIATION PROTECTION

The scope of the Radiation Protection Training Programs for all personnel working at Three Mile Island shall be such that all individuals will have cognizance of, and indoctrination in elementary radiation effects and basic Radiation Protection procedures to the degree required for the efficient performance of their work. Additionally, the Training Program shall include special instruction in Radiation Protection and practical instruction in the use of standard Radiation Protection Equipment for Belected personnel groups.

- 3.1 Basic Radiation Protection Training
- 3.1.1 Basic I Radiation Protection Training

Given to people who are continuously escorted while within the restricted area and are expected to remain for 1 day or less. The course is brief in nature and consists of reading material.

3.1.2 Basic II Radiation Protection Training

Given to people who are expected to have access to the restricted area outside the controlled area for a period of more than one day. Specific exceptions may be detailed in approved Heatlh Physics procedures.

3.1.3 Basic III Radiation Protection Training Given to people who normally perform their work assignments outside the controlled area; i.e., office and warehouse personnel. It is also given to temporary personnel whose work assignment in the controlled area is expected to exceed a time duration of one (1) day.

3.2 Intermediate Radiation Protection Training

The training of Met Ed and Contractor Personnel will enable the worker to be aware of the Radiation Protection practices that will enable him to work in controlled areas. This course shall be composed of the following subjects.

1. Fundamentals of Radioactivity

2. Introductions to Radiatior Protection

3. Radiation and Radiation Effects

Radiation Dose Units and Biological Effects

5. Maximum Permissible Exposures

6. Principles of Radiological Safety

7. Personnel Monitoring

8. Contamination and Contamination Control

9. Protective Clothing and Respirators

10. Radiation Work Permits

individuals who have satisfactorily completed this level of training will be permitted unescorted access to areas controlled by Radiation Work Permits (RWP) in accordance with a specific RWP. These individuals will be identified by "RWP" labels on their photo-identification badges.

3.3 Training of Auxiliary Operators in Radiation Protection. (Advanced Radiation Protection Training)

The Auxiliary Operator Training will be assigned to the Raulation Protection Department. Their training will incorporate the following topics.

- 1. Personnel Monitoring
- 2. Contamination and Contamination Control
- 3. Respiratory Protection
- 4. Protective Clothing Use
- 5. Radiation Exposure Limits (10CFR20)
- 6. Inverse Square Law and Work Time Calculations
- 7. Air Activity Determination
- 8. Survey Techniques
- 9. Regulations, Records and Reports
- 10. Scaler Operation and Counting Techniques
- 11. Laboratory Instrumentation
- 12. Radiation Work Permit
- 13. Portable Radiation Instruments

These individuals will be called on to provide Heatlh Physics support for Maintenance and Operations evolutions. These individuals will be identified by the letters "HP" on their photoidentification badges.

3.4 Radiation Protection Training for Radiation Protection Technicians (Comprehensive Radiation Protection Training)

The Radiation Protection Technician Training will be more intense and of a longer duration than that for other personnel. These individuals will be identified by the letters "HP" on their photoidentification badges. The training and qualifications of each Technician will be reviewed by the Radiation Protection Supervisors.

3.5 Access to work areas within the Controlled Area under the control of Radiation Work Permits will be in accordance with the following criteria which is based on an individual's training and experience. Security requirements are different from Radiation Protection requirements and are addressed in the Security Procedures. The level of access an individual has attained will be indicated by the appropriate label on his photo-identification badge. The levels of access are defined as follows:

#### Level III

<u>HP LABEL</u> (Applies to Yellow and Blue Badges only): This label is issued primarily to Radiation Protection and Operations personnel. These individuals have completed at least Advanced Health Physics training or equivalent. These individuals are permitted unescorted access within RWP areas and can be assigned to provide Health Physics support for maintenance and operations evolutions. The requirement for this level of escort will be noted on specific RWP's as deemed appropriate by the Radiation Protection Supervisory staff. These individuals are not exempt from Radition Work Permit (RWP) procedural requirements.

#### Level II

<u>RWP LABEL</u> (Applies to Yellow and Blue Badges only): This label is issued to maintenance, engineering, and contractor personnel. These individuals have completed Intermediate Health Physics training or equivalent. They are permitted unescorted access to areas under the control of RWP's in accordance with existing Health Physics Procedures and the requirements of the specific RWP. These individuals may act as escorts in RWP areas. HP qualified escorts will be required within RWP areas as specified on the applicable RWP when deemed appropriate by the Radiation Protection Supervisory staff based on radiological conditions within the plant.

#### Level I

<u>NO LABEL</u> (Applies to all Badge Colors): All individuals must receive Basic Health Physics training prior to receiving a photoidentification badge. Individuals issued Blue or Yellow badges do not require any escort outside of Security restricted areas and RWP areas. Individuals with any color badge without a label require at least an RWP qualified escort in an area requiring an RWP for entry. Individuals with a white badge require an escort at all times within the controlled area.

#### 4.0 RADIOLOGICAL SURVEYS AND RECORDS

The Radiation Protection Program shall include radiation surveys for airborne activity, removal surface contamination and radiation levels. These surveys shall be conducted at regular intervals and in specified areas. Special surveys shall be conducted to evaluate radiological conditions arising from situations not covered in any routine survey procedure.

An important function of Radiation Protection is to maintain complete, meaningful, and accurate records. Report of conditions showing no radiation exposure and/or negative results are as important as the records of positive exposure conditions.

4.0.1 Responsibility

Radiation surveys shall be conducted by Radiation Protection personnel or personnel whose assigned duties require the performance of radiation surveys. The Radiation Protection Supervisor/Foreman will review surveys and recommend measures to be taken to control radiation expsoure. These control measures will be of two basic kinds:

Physical and Procedural.

- A. The physical measures include such items as shielding, ventilation, respiratory protection and protective clothing.
- B. The procedural measures include access control, time limitations and use of correct working procedures.
- 4.1 Radiation Surveys

Beta-Gamma (By) dose rate, surface contamination and air surveys, as appropriate, will be conducted at regular intervals in the following areas as determined by the Radiation Protection Supervisor.

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- .... Building

- 3. Fuel Handling Building
- Specific areas in the Turbine Building

- 5. Service Building
- 6. Control Tower
- 4.1.1 All area dose rate surveys will be taken at waist level except for specified contact readings at points of interest. When unusual conditions are detected in the performance of either a routine or special survey, these shall immediately be brought to the attention of the Shift Foreman and the Radiation Protection Supervisor.

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When conducting a survey, personnel should note any observed deviation from standard practices relating to the following:

- 1. Identification and posting of Control Areas
- 2. Wearing of TLDs and Dosimeters
- 3. Handling and storage of radioactive material
- 4. Wearing of protective clothing and respiratory equipment

#### 4.2 Records

Records and reports required to show compliance with Federal and State regulations will be maintained on permanent file. All information from routine and special radiological surveys will be recorded on appropriate survey forms. Radiation protection program records whether considered primary, secondary, or supporting records will be retained for appropriate length of time.

4.2.1 Items Permanently Retained:

- Records of radiation exposure of all plant personnel, including all contractors and visitors to the plant who enter radiation control area.
- Records of radioactivity in liquid and gaseous wastes released to the environment.

- 3. Records of radiological environmental program.
- 4. Records of plant radiation and contamination surveys.
- 5. Radiation Work Permits

### 5.0 RADIOACTIVE WASTE DISPOSAL

- 5.0.1 The release of all plant radioactive effluents shall be subjected to the applicable regulations specified in IOCFR2O, IOCFR5O, and the conditions found in the Stations Technical Specifications. Shipments of waste for off site disposal shall be in accordance with NRC and Department of Transportation Regulations and the conditions of the contractor's license.
- 5.0.2 Responsibility
- 5.0.2.1 It is the responsibility of the Chemistry and Radiation Protection Department to analyze the radioactive content of all reactor plant effluents.
- 5.0.2.2 The Radiation Protection Department shall maintain complete records of all radioactive waste released to the environment and shipments for off-site disposal in accordance with the NRC Regulatory Guide 1.21.
- 5.0.2.3 It is the responsibility of the Shift Supervisor/Shift Foreman to review the Radioactive Waste Discharge Permit and the operational aspects of any release of radioactive effluents and to insure the proper line up of tanks, valves and discharge pumps.
- 5.0.2.4 Calculations, which form the basis for gaseous and liquid radioactive waste release rates, will be attached or included in the Radioactive Waste Discharge Permits.

- 5.1 Solid Radioactive Waste
- 5.1.1 Solid radioactive waste containers made of metal, properly designated, are to be located at convenient points throughout the Controlled Area. Each container will have a plastic bag to prevent the spread of contamination. These containers will be routinely monitored and emptied when full or when the Gamma (y) radiation level due to the container exceeding the posted radiation level, or causes a significant increase in exposure to personnel in that area.
- 5.1.2 Large solid waste articles shall be wrapped, sealed, painted, or otherwise treated to further confine any remaining contamination before moving or storing as contaminated solid waste.
- 5.1.3 All solid radioactive waste will be processed and packaged in accordance with DOT and NRC regulations. The drummed radioactive waste will be held in a designated waste drum storage area until released for disposal through a licensed contractor.

# 5.2 Liquid Radioactive Waste

- 5.2.1 The release of radioactive liquid waste to the Susquehanna River will be kept as low as practicable and, in any event, will be within the limits of IOCFR20, IOCFR50, and the Technical Specifications.
- 5.2.2 Radioactive liquids, such as pails of water used in decontamination work, etc., must only be disposed of in sinks and drains that go to the radioactive liquid waste disposal system. Therefore, radioactive liquids must only be disposed of in the Controlled Area of the station and must not be released into the sanitary

system commodes, urinals or into storm drains or spilled onto the ground.

5.3 Gaseous Radioactive Waste

- 5.3.1 All radioactive gaseous waste from the plant stack shall be continually monitored upstream of the point of discharge in accordance with Technical Specifications.
- 5.3.2 The scheduled discharge of all radioactive gaseous waste shall be in accordance with the specific provisions stated in the Technical Specifications.
- 5.3.3 All gaseous discharge from the gaseous waste storage tanks will be batch sampled prior to discharge in accordance with Technical Specifications.
- 6.0 CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL

This section prescribes radioactive material control and accountability procedures to assure compliance with all applicable Federal and State Regulations regarding the transfer, possession and use of byproduce and special nuclear material.

6.1 Receipt of Radioactive Material

Upon receipt of any material, component or equipment with a radiation warning label attached, the Radiation Protection Supervisor or his designee will be promptly notified. A Radiation Chemistry Technician or other suitable qualified personnel will monitor the shipment and advise as to handling or storage.

6.1.1 Upon receipt or shipment of Special Nuclear Material the Nuclear Engineering Department should be notified.

6.2 Storage of Radioactive Material

All radioactive waste material that could be considered as storable, will be stored in a Solid Radioactive Waste Storage Area.

6.2.1 Storage or Radioactive Sources

All licensed calibration radioactive sources will be stored and locked in the calibration facilities area located in the Heat Exchanger Vault, elevation 271' of Unit I. All locks will be under the administrative control of the Radiation Protection Department. Small radioactive check sources used for counting instrumentation will be stored in the Radiation Protection Laboratory.

6.3 Transportation of Radioactive Material

6.3.1 General

6.3.1.1 Authority of Various Governmental Agencies

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Department of Transportation, and other Federal Agencies have jurisdiction over the transportation of radioarcive materials.

The transportation of radioactive material in interstate commerce by rail, highway, water and air is controlled by the Department of Transportation, the U.S. Post Office, the U.S. Coast Guard, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Civil Aeronautics Board. All the regulations reflect the standards set by Department of Transportation, since the materials usually have to be handled by ground transportation at one time or another.

The transportation of radioactive material in intrastate commerce is controlled by the Public Utility Commission of the

various states. In Pennsylvania, transportation is controlled by the Pennsylvania Hazardous Substances Transportation Board. In general, these regulations follow the standards set forth by the Department of Transportation. In addition to the Federal and State Regulations governing the transportation of radioactive material, there are regulations imposed by various city, county, turnpike, and port authority bodies, etc.

#### 6.3.1.2 Regulations

The Sources of Federal Regulations for shipment of radioactive material are found in the following publications:

Title 49 Department of Transportation's Hazardous Materials Regulations, Parts 100-199

Title 10 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 71

Title 39 Postal Service, U.S. Postal Service Regulations, Part 123

6.3.1.3 All shipments of radioactive material under the jurisdiction and control of Metropolitan Edison Company will comply with DOT Regulations, NRC Regulations, and the regulations of other pertinent federal, state and local agencies. The Radiation Protection Supervisor/Foreman shall be advised of all shipments and will determine that regulations are met and that proper shipping forms and accountability records are made. The Radiation Protection Supervisor/Foreman will also be advised of the arrival of radioactive shipments. Such shipments will be surveyed upon arrival and the appropriate transportation, storage and use procedures will be prescribed.

## 6.4 Licensed Radioactive Material

Licensed radioactive sources will be handled by or under the supervision of those individuals named on the NRC by-product material license. Radiation Protection will assure compliance with provisions of 10CFR20, 10CFR30, and any conditions of the by-product material license.

A complete inventory will be maintained by the Radiation Protection Department of all licensed radioactive sources on site. All such sources will be inventoried at specified intervals. Records will be kept of all receipt, transfer, disposal leak tests, and any other information pertinent to by-product licensed material. All sealed sources will be leak tested in accordance with Technical Specifications.

6.5 New Fuel Handling and Storage

The receipt, handling and storage of new fuel assemblies shall be in accordance with the provisions of Title 10 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 70, "Special Nuclear Material." All handling operations shall be consistent with approved procedures related to the safe handling of special nuclear material.

6.5.1 Radiation Protection shall be notified and shall survey new fuel for radiation and contamination levels prior to or during unpacking and storage.

6.6 Spent Fuel Shipment

The shipment of spent fuel assemblies will be in accordance with provisions of the facility license and applicable sections of regulation 10CFR71 "Transport of Licensed Material."

6.6.1 Prior to shipment of spent fuel from the plant site, Radiation
Protection Personnel shall survey the transport cask for
radiation and contamination levels. Records will be maintained
for each shipment of spent fuel assemblies.

# 7.0 RADIATION INCIDENTS: PROCEDURES AND REPORTING

- 7.0.1 This section describes the sequence of actions to be taken following a radiation incident in order to minimize the radiation exposure to plant personnel and the general public. This section discusses several types of credible radiation incidents. The actual condition encountered after an incident may differ in some respects from those incidents upon which planning was based. Deviation from basic plans is to be expected and should be made as required to meet the actual need. Each situation must be separately evaluated as it occurs.
- 7.0.2 Responsibility
- 7.0.2.1 It is the responsibility of all plant personnel to become sufficiently familiar with the Radiation Emergency Plan and Procedures, so that, in the event of an emergency the individual can render effective assistance in controlling the emergency.
- 7.0.2.2 It is the responsibility of Radiation Protection to maintain adequate supplies of emergency monitoring equipment and to routinely inspect and test all such equipment for proper operation.

### 7.1 Radioactive Spills

7.1.1 Radioactive material inadvertently released to the environment will pose specific situations depending upon the magnitude of the release. There are, however, a set of basic rules that may be followed in any release situation.

- a. Stop the spill if possible.
- Notify the Radiation Protection Department and the Control Room.
- c. Keep all individuals not involved in the spill away from the area.
- d. Remove all individuals involved in the spill from the immediate area if possible to reduce further exposure.
- e. Administer to the injured.
- 7.1.2 Specific guidelines relating to control of contaminated spills may be found in Heatlh Physics and Emergency Procedures.

7.2 Injuries to Personnel in Radiation Controlled Areas

- 7.2.1 All individuals who work within the radiation controlled area are urged to conduct their work as safely as possible to avoid injury.
- 7.2.2 If, in the event, an individual is injured while working in the controlled area Standard First Aid rules may be followed for immediate aid to the victim.
  - a. Check for breathing
  - b. Stop bleeding
  - c. Treat for shock
  - d. Notify Shift Supervisor/Foreman
- 7.2.3 First aid shall take precedence over decontamination if decontamination is going to delay treatment necessary to avoid additional stress to the victim.
- 7.2.4 Medical aid may be made available both on and off site and reference to details may be found in the TMI Radiation Emergency Plan.

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# 7.3 Reporting

Formal notifications of various governmental agencies will be required in the event of a serious radiation incident or emergency. All communications with Federal, State and outside agencies shall be handled by the Station Superintendent or his designated alternate or by those persons specifically assigned such duties in the plant "Emergency Plan" (Appendix I). Notification shall provide complete and accurate information concerning the events and progress of the recovery operation.

7.3.1 Federal Government

The Region I, Director of Inspection and Enforcement, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, shall be notified in accordance with 10CFR20, paragraphs 20.403 and 20.405 and the Tech. Specs. whenever an accident involving radioactive material occurs.

7.3.1.2 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Bureau Radiological Health, shall be notified in the same manner of any incident which required notification per their regulation 433.

7.3.1.3 Individuals

In any case where it is required to report to the Federal or State Government the exposure of an individual to radiation or concentrations of radioactive material such individuals shall also be notified of the nature and extent of the exposure. A copy of the report shall be put in the individuals exposure record.

7.3.1.4 Reports on Employee Exposure History

- 1. The NRC regulations require that Metropolitan Edison Company give the individual a written report if he receives an exposure in excess of any applicable limit as set forth in the regulations of IOCFR20 or in the license. The basic limits for exposure to employees and visitors are set forth in Sections 20.101, 20.103, and 20.104 of the Part 20 regulation. These sections specify limits on exposure to radiation and exposure to concentrations of radioactive material in air.
- 2. If an individual works where personnel monitoring is required pursuant to 10CFR20, section 20.202, Metropolitan Edison must advise the individual annually of the exposure received if it is requested. Metropolitan Edison must also supply the employee with a written report of radiation received within 90 days after termination.

S.O FUNCTIONAL ORGANIZATION

.. General

Within the Waste Management Activity, a special group chartered with the waste removal from TMI Unit II, there shall be a section responsible for all matters of chemistry and radiological controls/health physics directly associated with TMI-2 recovery operations. This special procedure details those functions associated with the radiological controls/health physics aspects of that effort.

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The organization of the Waste Management Activity is shown in Figure 1-17 and that of the Health Physics Section in Figure 1-2. 7 The general areas of responsibility within the Radiological Controls/ Health Physics organization shall include, but not be limited to:

- a. The conduct of all surveys, radiation and contamination (both surface and airborne) required to support operations, maintenance and modifications of Unit II including all areas in direct support of Unit II operations, maintenance or modification, including the maintenance of records and recoverability of all data so generated.
- b. The physical maintenance of posting, barricading and/or locking of radiation/contamination areas as required by 10 CCR 20, technical specifications or other directives issued by competent authority including those instances where special costrictions or relaxations have been granted, including the establishing and manning of control points as required in order to control access thereto.

- c. The processing and control of all Radiation Work Permits (RWPs) necessary for the operation, maintenance, modification and decontamination of Unit II including those areas in direct support of Unit II recovery.
- d. The routine and special monitoring of all releases or potential releases from Unit II including those areas in direct support of Unit II recovery.
- e. The preparation and/or review of special procedures of a radiological control/health physics nature dealing directly with operation, maintenance, modification and/or decontamination of Unit II including those areas in direct support of Unit II recovery.
- f. The preparation of requisite release permits for release of radioactive liquids either directly from Unit II systems or from those special systems recently installed for the processing of radioactive liquid waste. Authority for approval of release permits remains with the duly authorized representative of the licensee.
- g. The logistic support above those normal requirements of Unit II operations. (This does not imply a separate procurement function for Unit II but entails the institution of revised inventory low level resupply action points for commonly used materials and the initiation of procurement action for special or unique materials for Unit II.)

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#### 3. EXCEPTIONS

Certain functions which are either station or Unit I functions remain without the domain of responsibility of the Radiological Controls/Health Physics section within the Waste Management Activity.

Specifically:

- a. Photodosimetry remains a station function. This encompasses the normal issue and processing of TLDs, the central pocket dosimeter record facility (when instituted) and production of normal reports. (Special dose assessments to support projected manpower requirements for Unit II operation, maintenance, modification and decontamination is a function within the Unit II/ Waste Management Activity.)
- b. The extension of allowable doses per HP procedure remains a function of the personnel normally assigned to the positions of
  - (1) Supervisor Radiation Protection
  - (2) Supervisor Radiation Protection and Chemistry
  - (3) Superintendent Administration/Technical Support
- c. The training for RWP or HP designation remains a station function as does training and certification for respiratory protection.
- d. Normal technical specification and other regulatory required environmental monitoring remain station functions.
- e. The maintenance and calibration of portable instruments remains a station function. Instruments required for surveys within Unit II or support areas will be furnished from a common facility. The responsibility for ensuring that instruments in use are within calibration dates and the accountability for instruments in Unit II remains a function of Unit II/Muste Management Activity.

# 8.3 TRAINING AND QUALIFICATION

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No person ahll be assigned to any task for which he is not adequately trained. Similarly, only personnel who meet the qualifications of ANSI N18.1-1971 may be assigned to positions of responsibility directly effecting personnel radiation exposure.

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#### 5.3.2 CERTIFICATION OF QUALIFICATION

# ST. SUPERVISORS AND FORLMAN

The qualification of supervisors and foreman will be established through review of resumes did personal interview to ensure that the prescribed standards of ANSI N18.1-1971 are fulfilled and that the individual possesses the technical and administrative knowledge of such regulations and procedures to fulfill his responsibilities. Each supervisor or foreman shall be briefed on the general contents of standard health physics procedures, where they are located and the requirement for compliance therewith.

## S. . . TECHNICIANS

Technicians who will be assigned to positions requiring qualification of ANSI N18.1-1971 shall provide a resume which shall be reviewed and approved by the Supervisor - Radiation Protection - Waste Management. Interviews may be conducted at the discretion of this supervisor to establish the individual's level of knowledge, training and qualification.

Records shall be retained of all individuals assigned to functions within the Radiation Protection section of the Waste Management Activity. These records will continue. as a minimum, a copy of the individual's resume and any other documentation regarding training or formal schooling which is available. A summary of all interviews, when conducted, shall also be maintained. These records are permanent station records which shall be retained in accordance with normal records retention requirements. They shall be made available to the NRC or other regulatory bodies who have or established need to know.

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# 8.5 Qualifications

C.:: SUPERVISOR - RADIATION PROTECTION AND CHEMISTRY - WASTE MANAGEMENT The person filling this position shall be directly responsible to the senior TMI licensed person in the Waste Management Activity for the overall management of the Radiological Control/Health Physics and Chemistry/Radiochemistry functions associated with TMI "mit II recovery operations. The incumbent shall be qualified in accordance with paragraph 4.2.4 of ANSI N18.1-1971.

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# RADIATION PROTECTION ADVISOR

The person filling this position is responsible for advising the Supervisor - Radiation Protection and Chemistry - Waste Management in matters affecting radiation protection, for making timely reports on items of actual or possible non-compliance with station operating procedures (including special or emergency procedures) and for recommendations on improved procedures for ensuring the highest standards of radiation protection/health physics. (This responsibility is not to be construed to include the authority to bypass the normal station administrative process of procedure changes.)

While no specific prerequisites per ANSI N18.1-1971 are prescribed for this position, qualification per paragraph 4.4.4 is desireable. This position is not a line function and the responsibilities associated therewith do not include either the direct or indirect supervision of technicians, foremen or supervisors.

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The filling of this position is optional.

2.3.3 SUPERVISOR - RADIATION PROTECTION - WASTE MANAGEMENT

The person assigned to this position shall be responsible to the Supervisor - Radiation Protection and Chemistry - Waste conagement for the overall supervision, coordination and compliance with procedures and regulations associated with radiological controls (health physics matters within the scope of the Waste Management Activity of Unit II recovery operations. Due to the unique situation with the existence of an ad hoc organization comprised of numerous non-licensee personnel, the incumbent shall also be responsible via the normal TMI organization set forth in Unit II technical specifications on all matters involving licensing and/or technical specification issues.

The person assigned to this position shall be qualified in accordance with ANSI N18.1-1971, paragraph 4.4.4 and Req Guide 1.8. The person assigned this position will normally be a regular employee of Metropolitan-Edison Three Mile Island staff. As such, he will be the normal point-of-contact for interface with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. (Should other than a TMI supervisory person fill this person, interface with the NRC will occur with the next senior TMI individual in the Maste Management Activity.)

# RADIATION PROTECTION FOREMAN - WASTE MANAGEMENT

The persons filling this position shall report to the Supervisor - Radiation Protection - Waste Management. They shall be responsible for the first-line supervision of technicians and such other production workers that may be assigned ensuring that scheduled and emergent work is performed by personnel qualified for such duties per this plan and further, that such personnel are properly trained for the performance of such duties that may be assigned. Those persons in this position are futher responsible for ensuring the completion and accuracy of all records, logs and such other data collected or generated during their shift including the review and proper filling of such data prior to being relieved.

Persons assigned to this position shall be qualified in accordance with ANSI N18.1-1971 paragraph 4.

# RADIATION PROTECTION TECHNICIANS

Radiation protection technicians shall be responsible for the performance of such duties as may be assigned and for which qualified and trained. Radiation technicians shall be qualified in accordance with ANSI N13.1-1971, paragraph

In recognition that all personnel may not be qualified per ANSI N18.1-1971, such personnel may be assigned to perform such duties for which they are trained; however, such will be done under the supervision of a fireman or technician so qualified. Those persons who are not qualified per ANSI N18.1 may perform routine work including routine surveys, counting of samples, etc.; however, records, logs and reports generated by such personnel shall be countersigned by the qualified individual supervising that individual, such countersignature verifying the accuracy of data performed by the unqualified individual.

Persons not qualified per ANSI N18.1 shall not serve as escorts for persons in radiation areas where the general area field exceeds 1000 mrem/hr.

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# S.S. OTHER TECHNICIANS AND/OR PRODUCTION WORKERS

Persons other than those normally assigned to radiation protection functions may be assigned to this section on a permanent or temporary basis for such production work that may be necessary. These personnel will have completed those phases or normal station health physics training (e.g., RWP or basic HP-II) necessary for the conduct of those duties assigned. These persons will work under the direct supervision of radiation protection foreman or qualified technicians depending upon the nature of the work being performed.

# 9.0 SHIFT ORGANIZATION

# GENERAL

Each shift shall be under the supervision of a Radiation Protection Foreman -Waste Management who shall be directly responsible to the Operations Shift Supervisor for the radiological aspects of all operations and/or other production work occurring in or in support of the Unit. When more than one Radiation Protection Foreman is assigned to any given shift, that foreman who is senior shall be formally designated as the lead foreman and shall be directly responsible for the performance of all personnel in the shift including those other foremen.

## 2.1 RADIATION PROTECTION SHIFT COMPOSITION

# --- MINIMUM MANNING

The minimum number of radiation protection personnel within Unit II and its various support activities shall not be less than one foreman and two qualified technicians assigned to no other functions. This minimum composition is applicable only under the conditions when no production work is in progress or scheduled and provides only for the contingency coverage of minor emergent work, routine daily health physics surveillance and the personnel to cover unscheduled entries into radiation/contamination area.

In addition, one qualified technician will be provided for each emergency survey team in operation.

# 4. ... MINIMUM MANNING FOR ROUTINE WORK

Manning in excess of the requirements of those specified in 2101 shall be determined by the tempo of work in progress or scheduled. The following comprises manimum manning for normal work days.

- a. One qualified technician and at least three trained technicians (these need not be qualified per ANSI N18.1-1971) at each control point that is not physically secured and locked.
- One trained technician at each entry into high radiation area which is not locked to ensure its security and to prevent unauthorized access.
- c. At least one qualified technician to verify the accuracy of all survey results, radiation, loose contamination and airbo ne.
- One trained technician available for survey of any material to be removed from the protected area.
- e. One qualified technician to serve as escort for each group of craft workers required to enter areas where the general radiation levels may exceed 100 mmem/hr.

f. Trained technicians (not necessarily ANSI N18.1-1971 qualified) to support other work in progress or scheduled which need not be performed by qualified technicians. One qualified technician will be assigned to each four such technicians or fraction thereof for supervision.

# 1.2.3 DURATION OF SHIFTS

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Due to the possible consequences which could result from inattention on the part of radiation protection personnel due to fatigue, technicians and foreman will not normally be scheduled for work in excess of ten hours per day nor for more than six consecutive work days without one rest day.

"Superintendent Administrative / Technical Support

The Superintendent Administrative / Technical Support report to Munager Generating Station Nuclear and is responsible Radietion Protection, Charistry Administration Pormenel Stores, Security, Training, End Satety programs.

The Superindent Administrative Mechnical Support shall have a minimum of five yours of power plant operation or golicable indusmial experience in de sign construction, STRITOP, Operations, main Tenance or Technical services of which one year shall be nuclear experience. He shall hold a tour year degree in an engineering or scientific field

The superindent Administrative Technical Support the attended received a B.S. degree in Mechanical Engineering tan Villinova University and specialized training in inclustical management and nuclear engineering in The US Navy. Spent 24 years in The US Nary including 5 years as a commanding office of a nuclear submarine and 6 yours as stechnical and operational manager in nuclear related matters

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### Supervisor-Radiation Protection & Chemistry

The Supervisor-Radiation Protection & Chemistry reports to the Station Superintendent/Schier Only Superintendent and is responsible for the radiation protection and chemistry programs at the station site. He provides administrative and technical guidance to the Chemistry Supervisor and the Radiation Protection Supervisor.

The Radiation Protection & Chemistry Supervisor shall have a minimum of five years of power station or applicable industrial experience in design, construction, startup, operation, maintenance, or technical services, of which a minimum of one year shall be nuclear experience. He shall hold a four-year degree in an engineering or scientific field.

The Supervisor - Radiation Protection and Chemistry received a B. S. degree in Physics from Fairfield University and a M.S. degree in Health Physics from Georgia Tech. Spent 3 years in the U.S. Navy, two years as Radiation Safety Officer assigned to a nuclear submarine tender and one year assigned to a nuclear medicine laboratory. Has handled medical isotopes including a 100 mCi Mo99 -Tc<sup>99m</sup> generator and up to 30 mCi amounts of 1<sup>131</sup>. Has been associated with nuclear reactor ranging from 800 MWE (TMI) to 5KW research reactors as well as various size instrument calibration sources, up to 50 Ci of Cs<sup>137</sup>. From September 1974 to October 1976 assigned responsibilities of engineer assigned to the Health Physics and Chemistry Department of Three Mile Island. From October 1976 to January 1977 served as Radiation Protection Supervisor at TMI.

# Radiation Protection Supervisor

The Radiation Protection Supervisor reports to the Supervisor Radiation Prot. & Chemistry and is responsible for conducting the Radiation Protection Program. His duties include training of personnel in the use of equipment, control of radiation exposure of all personnel, continuing determination of the radiological status of the station, surveillance of all radioactive waste disposal operations, conducting both the radiological and non-radiological environmental monitoring programs, and maintaining all required health physics records.

The Radiation Protection Supervisor shall have a minimum of five years of experience in radiation protection at a nuclear facility. He should have a minimum of two years of related technical training. A maximum of four years of related technical or academic training shall apply towards the minimum five years of experience.

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The Radiation Protection Supervisor has attended several United States Public licalth Service Schools, seminars and forums on Radiological Health Practices and Management of Nuclear Accidents. He has 17.5 years experience in the Radiation Protection Field of which seven (7) were with New York Shipbuilding for the construction and initial reactor start-up and testing of the NSC Savannah, three (3) Muclear Powered Submarines and one (1) Nuclear Powered Surface Craft; eight (8) years with the construction, initial criticality and operation of the PWR system for Connecticut Yankee Atomic Power Plant and two (2) years with the operation of Unit I PWR system for Metropolitan Edison Three Mile Island Station. Presently, he is involved with the construction and start-up program of the PWR system for Unit II at Metropolitan Edison Co. Three Mile Island Station.

# Chemistry Supervisor

The Chemistry Supervisor reports to the Supervisor-Radiation Protection & Chemistry and is responsible for the overall chemistry and radiochemistry programs for the station. His responsibilities are the chemical monitoring of and recommendation of treatment for all systems which have chemical operating parameters. These systems include reactor and turbine systems, water treatment and waste discharges. The selection and/or developement of analytical procedures, selection of laboratory to insure compliance with chemistry and radiochemistry requirements of operating licenses and permits are included in his duties.

The Chemistry Supervisor shall have a minimum of five years experience in power station chemistry and water treatment of which a minimum of one year shall be in radiochemistry. He shall have a minimum of two years of related training. A maximum of four years of this five years experience may be by related technical or academic training.

The Chemical Supervisor has a Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry. He has attended Babcock & Wilcox and Hewlett-Packard Programs in Radio Chemistry and Computer Programming respectively. He has concleted courses in waste water treatment, and holds a Sewage Treatment Plant Operator's Certificate. He has 4 years of Nuclear Power Plant experience, 2 years as a Radiation Protection/ Chemistry Technician and 2 years as a Chemistry Foreman. He participated in the TMI Unit 1 and Unit 2 start-up efforts.

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# Rediction-Chemistry Technicians

Each Radiation-Chemistry Technician reports to the Radiation Protection Supervisor and Chemistry Supervisor and is responsible for sampling and analysis of gaseous, liquid, and solid material in any part of the nuclear station and surrounding environs mental monitoring program and with the release or transfer of radioactive materials (such as dose rate and contamination studies or the shipment of radioactive wastes). Protection and Chemistry and provides practicle instruction to others in chemistry and adjustments on chemistry and health physics laboratory, portable, and in-plant

Each Radiation Protection Technician should have had a minimum of two year's experience in radiation protection or closely related areas. He must have a thorough knowledge of the design and operation of all types of radiation monitoring and analytical instrumentation in the station.

"Radiation-Chemistry Technician, Jr.

Each Radiation-Chemistry Technician, Jr. reports to the Radiation Protection Supervisor and Chemistry Supervisor and is responsible for an analysis of gaseous, Hiquid, and solid material in the nuclear station and surrounding environs. He reports any abnormal or unusual condition(s) to the designated persons. He maintains records of analysis, issues and reviews personnel monitoring devices and protective equipment, and performs clerical work involved in the aministreation of station and personnel radiation records. He performs the function of a radiation protection monitor and is responsible for notifying the issignated persons if any portion of the station assigned to that person exceed. established rediation limits. He performs functions involved in the radioactive decontamination of personnel and equipment. He prepares chemical solutions in accordance with standard instructions and maintains related records. He also ensures contliance with specific procedures and practices found in the Radiation Frotection Manual, Health Physics Manual, and the Chemistry Manual which apply to his particular



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