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LICENSEE: STP Nuclear Operating Company
FACILITY: SOUTH TEXAS PROJECT, UNIT 1
SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF DECEMBER 10, 1997, MEETING ON STEAM GENERATOR (SG)
REPLACEMENT FOR UNIT 1

On December 10, 1997, the licensee met with the NRC to discuss their progress towards SG replacement at Unit 1. Meeting attendees are listed in Attachment 1. The handout provided by the licensee is in Attachment 2.

The fabrication of the replacement SGs is about 45% complete (delivery scheduled for mid-1999), the licensing engineering is about 78% complete (with proposed technical specification changes to be submitted in May 1998), SG replacement engineering is about 70% complete (all design change packages to be issued by June 1998), and plant preparations are underway. SG replacement is planned for refueling outage 9 in early 2000.

The design characteristics of the delta 94 replacement SGs, compared to the current SGs, include increased reactor coolant system (RCS) flow, increased RCS volume, increased heat transfer area, increased mass/weight, increased secondary inventory and an elevated feeding instead of a preheater. The licensee presented the status of the various evaluations and analyses to support the delta 94 SG design. The licensee is performing evaluations when existing analyses remain bounding with the delta 94 design. New analyses are performed when the existing analyses are no longer bounding.

The licensee plans to submit technical specification changes in May 1998 for RCS flow, RCS volume, SG water level, auxiliary feedwater storage tank volume, and SG surveillances. The licensee also plans to submit an unreviewed safety question on dose consequences (they indicated there is a small increase in doses). In addition, the licensee noted that the implementation methodologies in WCAP-14882 (for the Retran Code) and WCAP-14565 (for the Vipre Code), which are being used for various reanalyses, are currently under NRC review.

During the course of the meeting the staff asked questions and requested clarifications on the material presented. In addition, the staff indicated a desire for further discussion on the circumferential temperature distribution and resulting stress distribution on the delta 94 SG tubes due to the broached hole configuration. The staff also indicated that the dose consequence results will need to be adequately supported with the analytical assumptions and other data (i.e., describe methodology, show calculations) sufficient for the staff to perform confirmatory calculations.

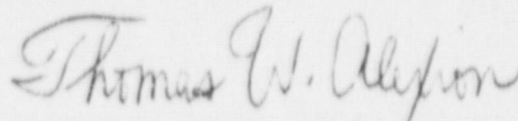
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MEETING BETWEEN STP NUCLEAR OPERATING COMPANY AND NRC

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ELECTRIC GENERATING STATION**

**UNIT 1 STEAM GENERATOR
REPLACEMENT PROJECT**

**NRC
BRIEFING
DECEMBER 10, 1997**

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AGENDA

INTRODUCTION	Chet McIntyre
LICENSING ENGINEERING APPROACH	Chet McIntyre
FOLLOW-UP TO APRIL 1997 BRIEFING	Chet McIntyre
NON-LOCA ANALYSIS	Charlie Albury
PRESSURE/TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS	Charlie Albury
INTRODUCTION TO PIPING AND SUPPORTS ANALYSIS	Sam Patel
REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM PIPING ANALYSIS	Sam Patel
MAIN STEAM PIPING STRESS EVALUATION	Cong Pham
FW/AF PIPING REROUTING	Cong Pham
NSSS/BOP INTERFACE SYSTEMS EVALUATION	Bob McFetridge
RCP AND CRDM EVALUATIONS	Bob McFetridge
STEAM GENERATOR REPLACEMENT SEQUENCE	Sam Patel
LICENSING APPROACH	Mark McBurnett

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INTRODUCTION

DESIRED BRIEFING OUTCOME

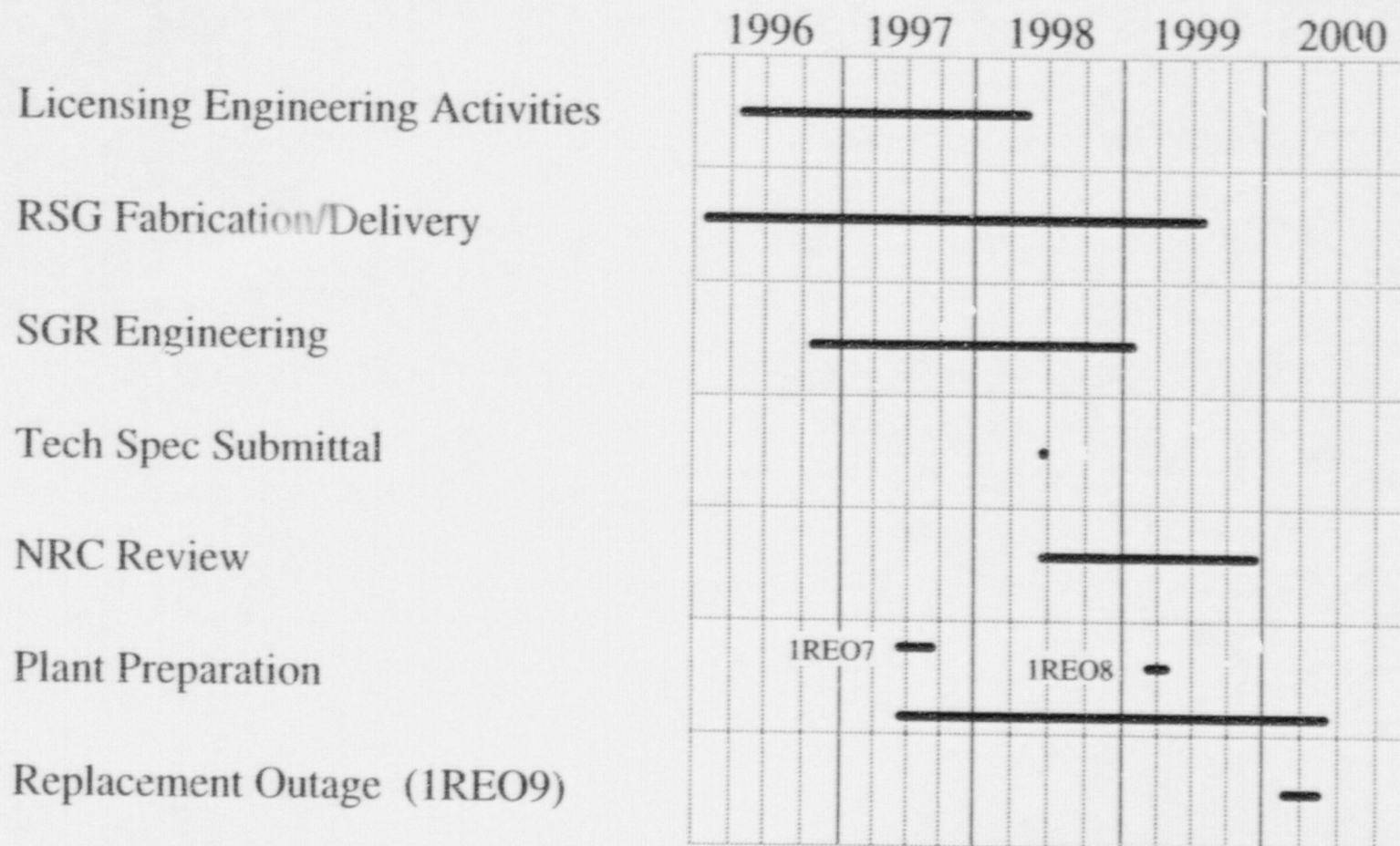
- COMMUNICATE PROJECT STATUS AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION
- DETERMINE AREAS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO THE NRC

PROJECT STATUS

- RSG FABRICATION ~ 45% COMPLETE; DELIVERY MID-1999
- LICENSING ENGINEERING ~ 78% COMPLETE; TECH SPEC CHANGE SUBMITTAL MAY 1998
- SGR ENGINEERING ~ 70% COMPLETE; ALL DCPs ISSUED BY JUNE 1998
- PLANT PREPARATIONS UNDERWAY
 - TEMPORARY FACILITIES
 - BARGE SLIP
 - CONTRACTOR MOBILIZATION JUNE 1998

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PROJECT SCHEDULE OVERVIEW



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LICENSING ENGINEERING APPROACH

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LICENSING ENGINEERING APPROACH

**EVALUATIONS PERFORMED TO DEMONSTRATE EXISTING ANALYSES
REMAIN BOUNDING WHEN $\Delta 94$ DESIGN DOES NOT ADVERSELY AFFECT
RESULTS**

ANALYSES PERFORMED WHEN $\Delta 94$ DESIGN ADVERSELY AFFECTS RESULTS

$\Delta 94$ RSG DESIGN CHARACTERISTICS

- INCREASED REACTOR COOLANT FLOW
- INCREASED REACTOR COOLANT VOLUME
- INCREASED HEAT TRANSFER AREA
- INCREASED MASS/WEIGHT
- INCREASED SECONDARY INVENTORY
- ELEVATED FEEDRING INSTEAD OF PREHEATER

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FOLLOW-UP TO APRIL 1997 BRIEFING

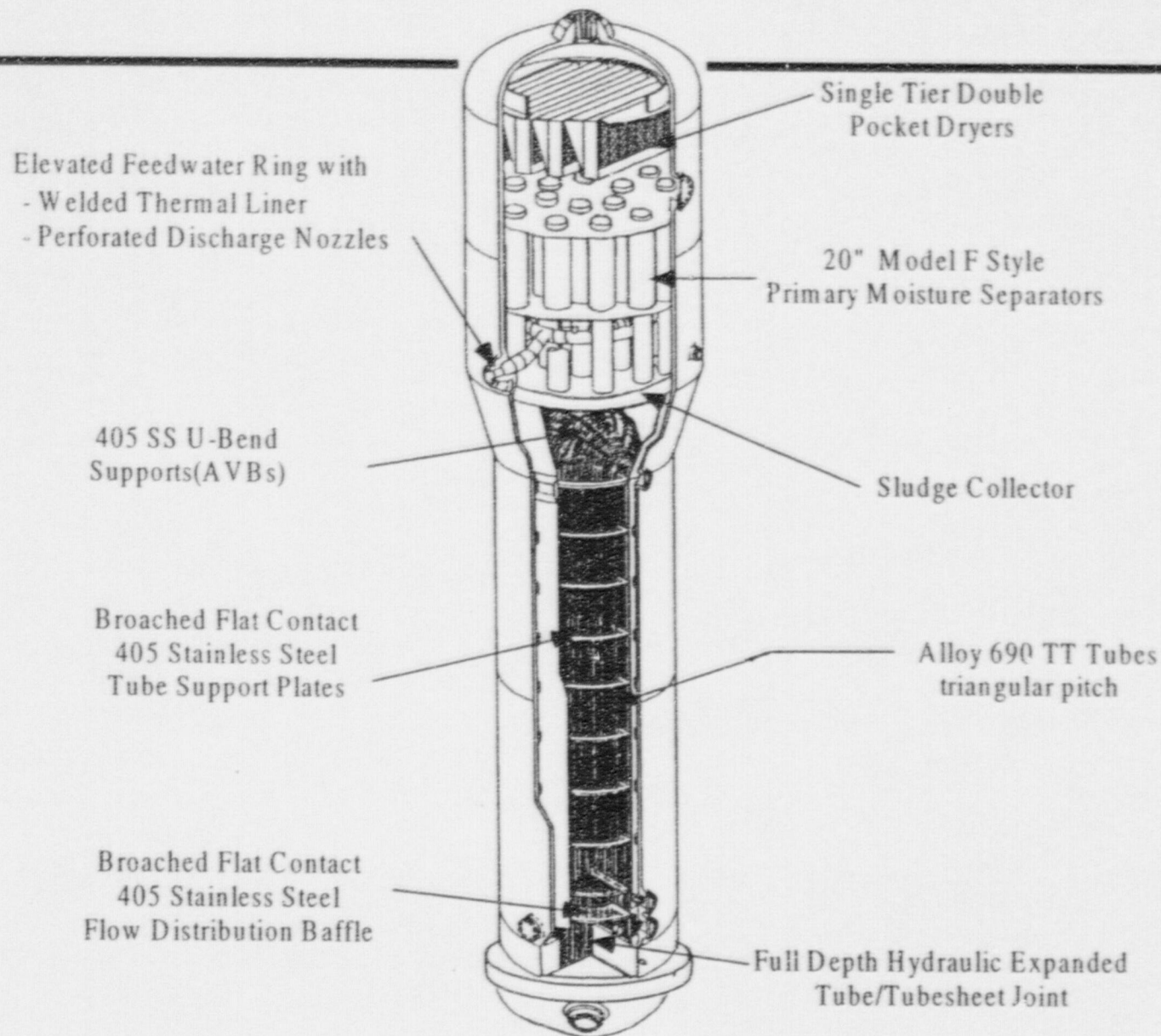
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IREO7 STEAM GENERATOR TUBE INDICATION SUMMARY

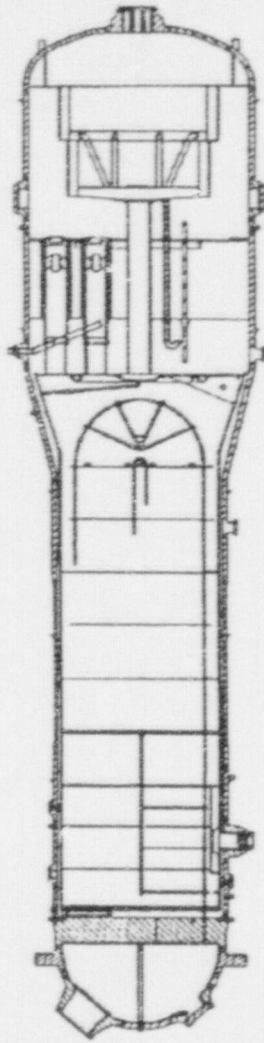
<u>Steam Generator</u>	<u>Circumferential Indications</u>	<u>Axial Indications</u>	<u>Volumetric Indications</u>	<u>Preventive Plugging</u>	<u>Tubes Plugged</u>
A	19 ⁽¹⁾	3	8 ⁽²⁾	5	36
B	14	11	3	0	28
C	22	9	14	3	47
D	<u>20</u>	<u>8⁽³⁾</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>43</u>
Total	75	32	39	8	154

- (1) One tube had a circumferential indication and a volumetric indication at the hot leg tubesheet
(2) One tube had a volumetric indication at both the hot and cold leg tubesheet
(3) One tube had an axial indication at the hot leg tubesheet and in the cold leg freespan

Enhanced Design Features

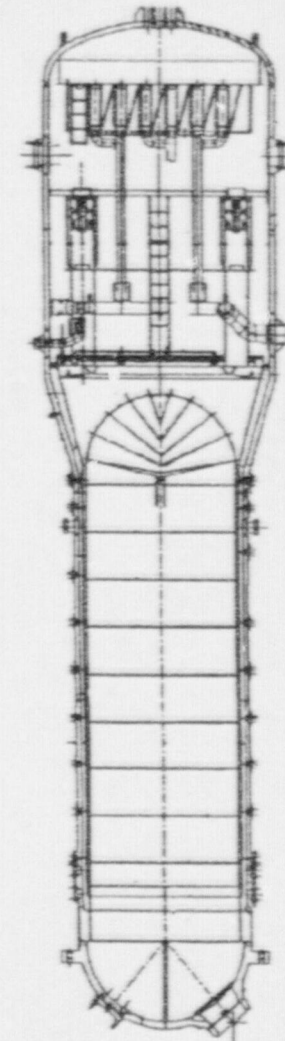


Delta 94/Model E Comparison



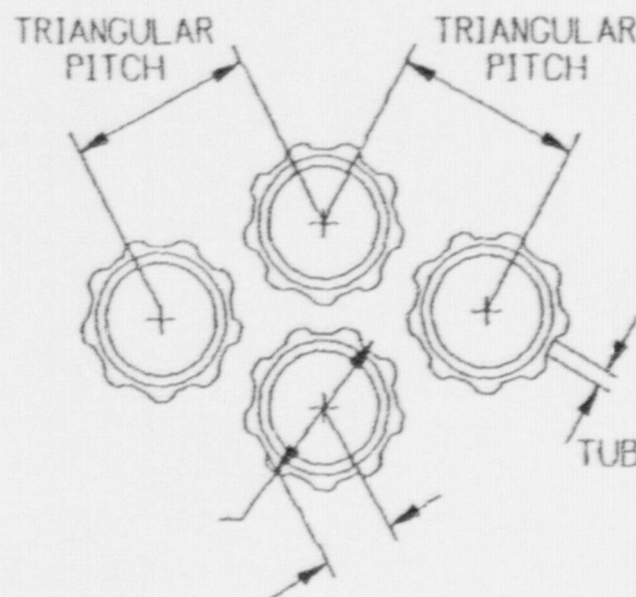
Original Unit

Model E		Delta 94
Preheater	SG Design	Feeding
4,864	No. of Tubes	
0.750"	Tube O.D.	
.043"	Tube Wall	.040"
Alloy 600 MA	Tube Material	Alloy 690 TT
Square	Tube Pitch	Triangular
68,000 ft ²	H. T. Area	94,500 ft ²
440"	Bundle Height	
3.25"	Min U-Bend Radius	3.25"

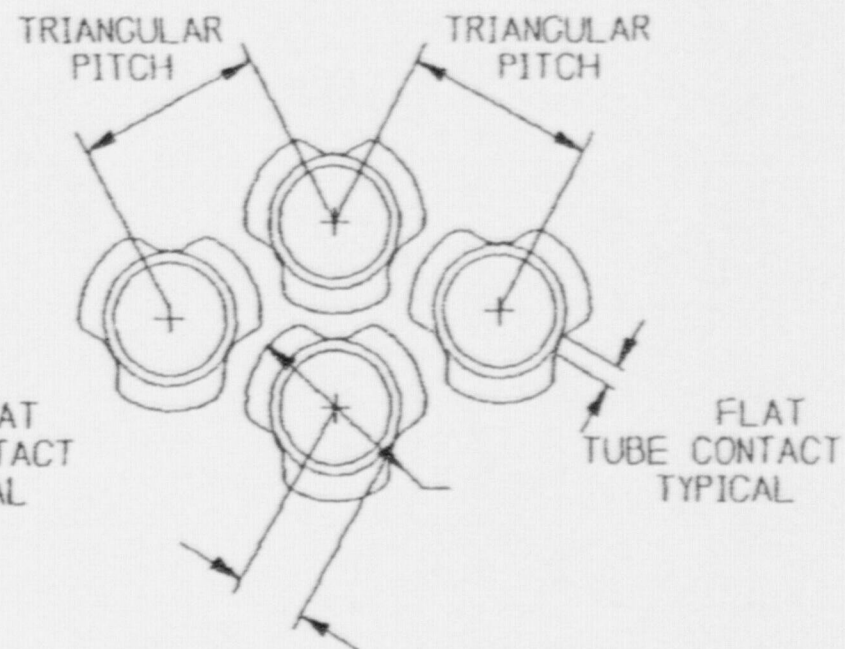


Replacement Unit

Broached Hole Configuration



Flow Distribution Baffle



Tube Support Plate

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NON-LOCA ANALYSIS

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SCOPE

Analyses

Feedwater Malfunction
Steam Line Break
Loss of Load/Turbine Trip
Loss of Normal FW/LOOP
Feedwater Pipe Break
Fire Hazards/LOOP
CVCS Malfunction/Boron Dilution

Evaluations

Loss of RCS Flow
Locked RCP Rotor
RCS Depressurization
Excessive Load Increase
Rod Withdrawal from Power
Rod Ejection
Dropped Rod
Startup of Inactive Loop
OT/ ΔP , OP/ ΔT Trip Setpoints
Feedwater Temperature Reduction
Increased Inventory from CVCS
Inadvertent ECCS Operation

CONCLUSION

RESULTS CONTINUE TO COMPLY WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES

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COMPARISON OF OPERATING PARAMETERS

	Model E	$\Delta 94$
Core Power (MWth)	3800	3800
NSSS Nominal Power (MWth)	3817	3821
RCS Pressure (psia)	2250	2250
Thermal Design Flow (gpm)	381,600	392,000
Core Bypass Flow (%)	4.5	8.5
Cold Leg Temperature (°F)	549.0 - 560.4	549.8 - 561.2
Average Temperature (°F)	582.3 - 593.0	582.3 - 593.0
Hot Leg Temperature (°F)	615.6 - 625.6	614.8 - 624.8
No-Load Temperature (°F)	567	567
Pressurizer Level, Hi T_{av} (% span)	25 - 60	25 - 57
Pressurizer Level, Lo T_{av} (% span)	32.9 - 47.0	25 - 40
S/G Temperature (°F)	542.9 - 558.0	539.3 - 552.4
Steam Pressure (psia)	986 - 1115	957 - 1066
S/G Nominal HFP Fluid Mass (lbm)	~137,000	~162,000
Steam Flow (10^6 lbm/hr)	16.86 - 16.96	15.74 - 16.92
Feedwater Temperature (°F)	440	390 - 440
S/G Tube Plugging (%)	0 - 10	0 - 10

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NON-LOCA ANALYSIS

Δ94 DESIGN DIFFERENCES AFFECTING NON-LOCA ANALYSIS

- FEEDRING vs. PREHEATER
- INCREASED RCS VOLUME
- INCREASED HEAT TRANSFER SURFACE AREA

INCREASED RCS FLOW

INCREASED CORE BYPASS FLOW

- DELETED THIMBLE PLUGS
- UPPER HEAD T-COLD CONVERSION

REDUCED MINIMUM FEEDWATER TEMPERATURE

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NON-LOCA ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

- MINIMUM DNBR LIMIT
- REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM OVERPRESSURIZATION
- MAIN STEAM OVERPRESSURIZATION
- PRESSURIZER OVERFILL

SELECTION CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION OR ANALYSIS

- SECONDARY-SIDE INITIATED EVENTS
- APPARENT MARGIN WITH RESPECT TO ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA

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RETRAN CODE

- **RETRAN-02/MOD 5.2** CORRECTS ERRORS IN MOD 5.1 (NRC APPROVED)
- IMPLEMENTATION METHODOLOGY IN WCAP-14882

VIPRE CODE

- **VIPRE-01** APPROVED BY NRC
- IMPLEMENTATION METHODOLOGY IN WCAP-14565

RETRAN/VIPRE USED TO REANALYZE

- FEEDWATER MALFUNCTION (INCREASED FEEDWATER FLOW)
- STEAM LINE BREAK (CORE RESPONSE)
- LOSS OF EXTERNAL ELECTRICAL LOAD/TURBINE TRIP
- LOSS OF NORMAL FEEDWATER/LOSS OF OFFSITE POWER
- FEEDWATER PIPE BREAK
- FIRE HAZARDS/LOSS OF OFFSITE POWER

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REANALYZED CVCS MALFUNCTION WITH BORON DILUTION EVENT

NON-LOCA EVENT EVALUATIONS

- LOSS OF REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM FLOW
- LOCKED REACTOR COOLANT PUMP ROTOR
- REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM DEPRESSURIZATION
- EXCESSIVE LOAD INCREASE
- ROD WITHDRAWAL FROM POWER
- ROD EJECTION
- DROPPED ROD
- STARTUP OF INACTIVE REACTOR COOLANT LOOP
- OVERTEMPERATURE/OVERPOWER AT REACTOR TRIP SETPOINTS
- FEEDWATER TEMPERATURE REDUCTION
- INADVERTENT ECCS OPERATION DURING POWER OPERATION
- INCREASED INVENTORY FROM CVCS MALFUNCTION

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SUMMARY OF NON-LOCA WORK

FOR WORK COMPLETED TO DATE, RESULTS CONTINUE TO COMPLY WITH
EXISTING DESIGN BASES

LOCA

- LARGE BREAK EVALUATED DUE TO PEAK CLADDING TEMPERATURE
BENEFIT FROM RSG INCREASED NUMBER OF TUBES
- SMALL BREAK TO BE DISCUSSED IN FUTURE MEETING

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PRESSURE/TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS

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PRESSURE/TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS

SCOPE

- INCREASED RCS VOLUME MORE LIMITING FOR LOCA M/E RELEASES, POTENTIALLY LEADING TO INCREASED PEAK CONTAINMENT PRESSURE
- INCREASED SECONDARY INVENTORY MORE LIMITING FOR MSLB M/E RELEASES, POTENTIALLY LEADING TO INCREASED PEAK CONTAINMENT TEMPERATURE
- OTHER ISSUES ADDRESSED FOR COMPLETENESS

CONCLUSIONS

- CONTAINMENT P/T RESPONSE CONTINUES TO COMPLY WITH EXISTING EQ LIMITS
- CONTAINMENT PEAK PRESSURE LOWER THAN CURRENT DESIGN BASIS

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LOCA LONG-TERM CONTAINMENT P/T ANALYSIS

- M/E RELEASE METHODOLOGY

SATAN, REFLOOD, FROTH, AND EPITOME COMPUTER CODES

NRC-APPROVED METHODOLOGY (WCAP-10325-P-A)

IMPROVED INITIAL CORE STORED ENERGY ESTIMATE

DECAY HEAT MODEL CHANGED FROM ANS 1971 + 20% TO
ANS 1979 + 2σ

NO SUPERHEAT OCCURS BECAUSE OF CONDENSATION IN
S/G TUBES

IMPROVED ESTIMATE OF SUMP WATER TEMPERATURE IN
M/E RELEASES

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- P/T METHODOLOGY

CONTEMPT4/MOD5 COMPUTER CODE

SATISFIES ANSI/ANS 56.4-1983, NUREG-0800, AND NUREG-0588

BENCHMARKED AGAINST EXISTING ANALYSIS OF RECORD
(**COPATTA** CODE)

- RESULTS

LOWER PEAK PRESSURE

LONG-TERM P/T RESPONSE CONFIRMED WITHIN EQ LIMITS

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MSLB LONG-TERM CONTAINMENT P/T ANALYSIS

- M/E RELEASE METHODOLOGY

DOUBLE-ENDED RUPTURE AND SPLIT BREAK

RETRAN-02/MOD 5.2 USED

- P/T METHODOLOGY

CONTEMPT4 METHODOLOGY UNCHANGED

- RESULTS

- SIMILAR M/E RELEASE RATES
- PEAK CONTAINMENT TEMPERATURE WITHIN 1°F
- CONTAINMENT TEMPERATURE PROFILE REMAINS BOUNDED BY EXISTING EQ LIMIT

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OTHER P/T ISSUES

- SHORT-TERM (PEAK) PRESSURE ANALYSIS
- OUTSIDE CONTAINMENT P/T ANALYSIS
- GENERIC LETTER 96-06 EVALUATION

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PIPING AND SUPPORTS ANALYSES

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INTRODUCTION TO PIPING AND SUPPORTS ANALYSES

SCOPE

- RCS PIPING
- LARGE BORE SECONDARY PIPING
- AUXILIARY PIPING ATTACHED TO RCS
- PIPING SUPPORTS
- EQUIPMENT SUPPORTS
- BUILDING STRUCTURES

CONCLUSIONS

- CONFIRMED THAT RCS PIPING AND SUPPORTS, EQUIPMENT SUPPORTS, AND SECONDARY PIPING REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES

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REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM ANALYSES

- RCB SEISMIC ANALYSIS WITH WESTINGHOUSE NSSS MODEL
 - LESS THAN 1% CHANGE IN TOTAL MASS
 - CONCLUSIONS

DYNAMIC CHARACTERISTICS OF RCB AND INTERNAL
STRUCTURE UNCHANGED

DESIGN BASIS RESPONSE SPECTRA FOR RCB AND
INTERNAL STRUCTURE UNCHANGED

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- RSG FINITE ELEMENT MODEL

- RSG MASS ~11% GREATER
- MINOR CHANGE IN RSG CENTER OF GRAVITY LOCATION
- FREQUENCIES OF OSG AND RSG IN FUNDAMENTAL MODES ARE ANALYTICALLY EQUIVALENT
- PARTICIPATION FACTORS FOR OSG AND RSG IN FUNDAMENTAL MODES ARE SIMILAR
- CONCLUSIONS

EXISTING DESIGN BASIS RESPONSE SPECTRA CURVES
UNCHANGED

DESIGN BASIS RESPONSE SPECTRA AT RSG NOZZLES
UNCHANGED

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LARGE BORE SECONDARY PIPING ANALYSIS

- NOZZLE SPECTRA
- NOZZLE DISPLACEMENT
 - SEISMIC ANCHOR MOVEMENTS
 - THERMAL DISPLACEMENTS
 - LOCA DISPLACEMENTS
- DYNAMIC ANALYSIS REQUIRED WHEN MASS REDISTRIBUTED
- DISPLACEMENTS REVISED

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REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM ANALYSIS

EXISTING PIPING ANALYSIS REVIEWED FOR CHANGES

- REANALYZED FOR RSG INCREASED MASS
- REANALYZED FOR HOT AND COLD LEG TEMPERATURES AND DESIGN BASIS TRANSIENTS
- REANALYZED SEISMIC INERTIA FOR RSG INCREASED MASS
- DESIGN RESPONSE SPECTRA FOR ALL RCB ELEVATIONS UNCHANGED
 - USED ENVELOPED RESPONSE SPECTRA
 - CRITICAL DAMPING UNCHANGED

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LOCA

- SURGE AND ACCUMULATOR NOZZLE BREAK ANALYSES NOT REQUIRED DUE TO LBB IN EXISTING LICENSING BASIS
- REANALYZED LOCA BREAKS TO INCORPORATE RSG HYDRAULIC FORCES
 - RESIDUAL HEAT REMOVAL
 - SAFETY INJECTION
 - PRESSURIZER SPRAY
 - NORMAL LETDOWN
 - NORMAL CHARGING

PRELIMINARY RESULTS

- RCS PIPING STRESSES REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES
- EQUIPMENT NOZZLE LOADS REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES

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WORK IN PROGRESS

- ADDITIONAL EVALUATION REQUIRED AFTER COMPARTMENT PRESSURIZATION FORCES ARE FINALIZED
- EVALUATING AUXILIARY LINES FOR INCREASED SEISMIC ANCHOR MOVEMENTS

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RCS EQUIPMENT SUPPORTS ANALYSIS

- INCLUDED RSG, RCP, AND REACTOR VESSEL SUPPORTS
- SUPPORTS REANALYZED FOR RSG DEADWEIGHT, THERMAL, SEISMIC, AND PIPE RUPTURE LOADS

- RESULTS

SUPPORT LOADS INCREASE

SUPPORTS REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES

NO SUPPORT MODIFICATIONS ANTICIPATED

RCB INTERNAL STRUCTURES BEING EVALUATED FOR INCREASED LOADS

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LEAK-BEFORE-BREAK EVALUATION

- SRP 3.6.3 METHODOLOGY WITH RCS ANALYSIS LOADS AND PLANT SPECIFIC CMTRs
- PIPE GEOMETRY, LOADING, AND FRACTURE TOUGHNESS DETERMINED CRITICAL LOCATION
- CRITICAL LOCATION REMAINS IN COMPLIANCE WITH SRP 3.6.3 MARGINS
- EXISTING LBB ANALYSIS CONCLUSIONS REMAIN VALID

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MAIN STEAM PIPING STRESS EVALUATION

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EXISTING PIPING ANALYSIS REVIEWED FOR CHANGES

- LOAD COMPONENTS EVALUATED
 - WEIGHT
 - THERMAL
 - SEISMIC INERTIA
 - DESIGN BASIS ACCIDENT
 - STEAM HAMMER
 - LOCA EFFECTS
- SEISMIC ANCHOR MOVEMENTS ANALYZED

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PRELIMINARY RESULTS

- SUPPORT LOADS AND PIPING STRESSES REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES

WORK IN PROGRESS

- SEISMIC ANCHOR MOVEMENTS TO BE REVIEWED AFTER COMPARTMENT PRESSURIZATION FORCES ARE FINALIZED
- IMPACT OF FW/AFW BREAK JET IMPINGEMENT

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**FEEDWATER/AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PIPING
REROUTING**

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FEEDWATER/AUXILIARY FEEDWATER PIPING REROUTING

INTRODUCTION OF VIDEOTAPE

- REROUTING DUE TO ELEVATED FEEDRING DESIGN AND AUXILIARY FEEDWATER NOZZLE AZIMUTH CHANGE

FW/AF PIPING, SUPPORT, AND MATERIAL MODIFICATIONS

- ADDED NEW FW AND AF SUPPORTS
- MODIFIED EXISTING FW AND AF SUPPORTS
- PIPING MATERIAL CHANGED AT NOZZLES TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL STRENGTH AND REDUCE FLOW-ACCELERATED CORROSION EFFECTS

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SUMMARY OF FW/AF STRESS ANALYSIS

- ANALYSIS PERFORMED TO EXISTING DESIGN BASES (DESIGN CODES, ASSOCIATED CODE CASES, AND COMMITMENTS)
- PIPING AND SUPPORT ANALYSIS RESULTS REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES
- HELB EFFECTS AT RSG NOZZLE LOCATIONS BEING EVALUATED

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NSSS/BOP INTERFACE SYSTEMS EVALUATION

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NSSS/BOP INTERFACE SYSTEMS EVALUATION

EVALUATED DUE TO $\Delta 94$ OPERATING PARAMETERS

	<u>Model E</u>	<u>$\Delta 94$</u>
S/G Temperature ($^{\circ}\text{F}$)	542.9 - 558.0	539.3 - 552.4
Steam Pressure (psia)	986 - 1115	957 - 1066
Steam Flow (10^6 lbm/hr)	16.40 - 16.96	15.74 - 16.92
Feedwater Temperature ($^{\circ}\text{F}$)	440	390 - 440
S/G Tube Plugging (%)	0-10	0 - 10

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NSSS/BOP INTERFACE COMPONENTS EVALUATED

- MAIN STEAM SAFETY VALVES
- STEAM GENERATOR PORVs
- MAIN STEAM ISOLATION VALVES
- STEAM DUMP VALVES
- FEEDWATER ISOLATION VALVES
- FEEDWATER CONTROL VALVES
- AUXILIARY FEEDWATER STORAGE TANK
- S/G BLOWDOWN FLOW CONTROL VALVES

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RESULTS

- EXISTING S/G SAFETY VALVE AND PORV SETPOINTS AND CAPACITIES REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING DESIGN BASES
- EXISTING MSIV CLOSURE TIME AND MAXIMUM PIPING LOADS REMAIN BOUNDING
- STEAM DUMP VALVE CAPACITY SUPPORTS 50% DESIGN BASIS LOAD REJECTION WITHOUT REACTOR TRIP
- EXISTING FWIV CLOSURE TIME AND MAXIMUM PIPING LOADS REMAIN BOUNDING
- REQUIRED TECH SPEC MINIMUM AUXILIARY FEEDWATER STORAGE TANK INVENTORY INCREASES SLIGHTLY
- EXISTING S/G BLOWDOWN CONTROL VALVE CAPACITY REMAINS BOUNDING

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RCP AND CRDM EVALUATIONS

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RCP AND CRDM EVALUATIONS

PRESSURE BOUNDARY CONSIDERATIONS

- MINOR NSSS DESIGN OPERATING PARAMETER RANGE REVISIONS
- REVISIONS TO RCP AND CRDM DESIGN TRANSIENTS DUE TO RSG

DESIGN OPERATING PARAMETER AND DESIGN TRANSIENT REVISIONS

- MINOR CHANGES IN HOT AND COLD LEG OPERATING TEMPERATURES BOUNDED BY EXISTING ANALYSES
- FOUR UPSET AND THREE FAULTED DESIGN TRANSIENTS POTENTIALLY IMPACTED RCP AND CRDM
- TRANSIENT REVISIONS ENVELOPED BY CONSERVATIVE RANGE OF TRANSIENT CONDITIONS IN EXISTING DOCUMENTATION

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RCP BRAKE HORSEPOWER AND HYDRAULIC THRUST

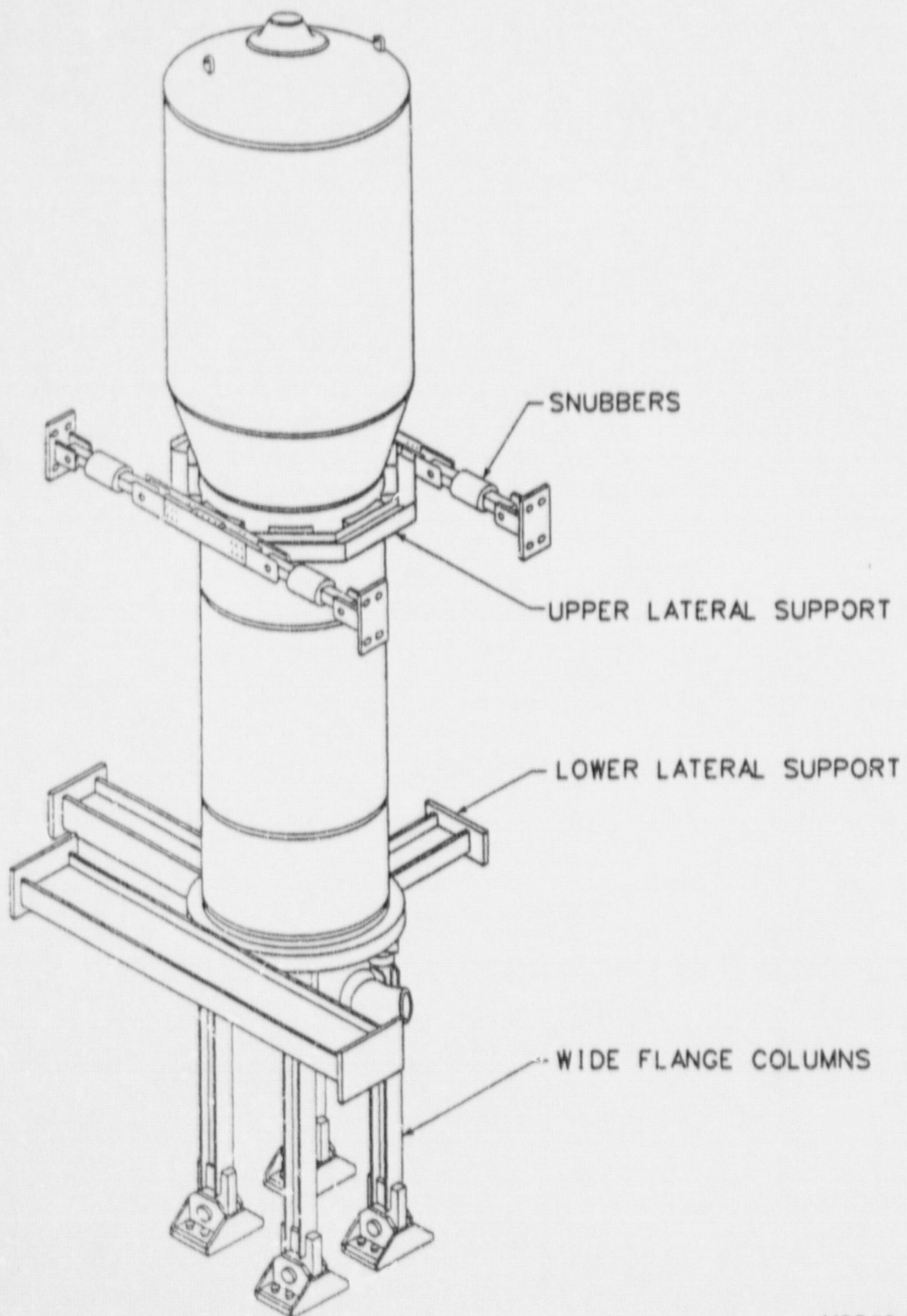
- BRAKE HORSEPOWER REDUCED SLIGHTLY
- HYDRAULIC THRUST LOAD INCREASE INCLUDED IN ANALYSIS

CONCLUSION

RCPs AND CRDMs REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH DESIGN BASES

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STEAM GENERATOR REPLACEMENT SEQUENCE



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STEAM GENERATOR REPLACEMENT SEQUENCE

OSG REMOVAL – MODE 6 AND DEFUELED MODE

- REMOVE S/G AND RC PIPING INSULATION
- CUT SECONDARY PIPING AT S/G NOZZLES
- REMOVE S/G UPPER SUPPORT SNUBBERS
- UNBOLT S/G UPPER SUPPORT RING GIRDERS AT SPLICE PLATE
- INSTALL TEMPORARY S/G SUPPORTS (WEDGES, SCREWJACKS, AND CABLES) AT LOWER AND UPPER LATERAL SUPPORTS
- INSTALL TEMPORARY S/G COLUMN SUPPORTS
- INSTALL TEMPORARY HOT LEG DEADWEIGHT SUPPORTS
- INSTALL TEMPORARY CROSSOVER LEG DEADWEIGHT SUPPORTS AND TIE-DOWNS
- INSTALL TEMPORARY FW/AF PIPING SUPPORTS

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OSG REMOVAL

- CUT PRIMARY PIPING AT S/G INLET AND OUTLET NOZZLES
- ATTACH TEMPORARY LIFTING DEVICE
- REMOVE COLUMN-TO-LOWER SUPPORT FLANGE BOLTS
- REMOVE TEMPORARY S/G SUPPORTS
- RIG S/G OUT OF CUBICLE

REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM PIPING PREPARATION

- DECONTAMINATE PIPING
- TEMPLATE PIPING FOR NOZZLE WELD
- TEMPLATE RSG NOZZLES
- DETERMINE WELD PREP LOCATIONS BASED ON BEST FIT
TEMPLATING
- MACHINE PIPING FOR S/G NOZZLE WELDS

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RSG INSTALLATION SEQUENCE

- RIG S/G INTO CUBICLE
- SECURE BEST FIT CONDITIONS BETWEEN PIPING AND NOZZLES
- SHIM COLUMN SUPPORTS; BOLT LOWER SUPPORT FLANGE
- INSTALL TEMPORARY RESTRAINTS
- REMOVE TEMPORARY LIFTING DEVICE
- MAKE INITIAL WELD PASS AT NOZZLES
- COMPLETE FIRST THIRD OF REQUIRED WELDING
- REMOVE TEMPORARY SUPPORTS AS WELDING IS COMPLETED
- CONNECT MS, FW, SGBD PIPING AND INSTRUMENTATION
- INSTALL UPPER RING GIRDER SUPPORTS, SPLICE CONNECTIONS, SHIMMING, HYDRAULIC SNUBBERS

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THERMAL EXPANSION TESTING

MONITOR/ADJUST THERMAL GAPS DURING PLANT HEATUP

- REACTOR COOLANT PUMP SUPPORTS
- S/G UPPER AND LOWER LATERALS
- REACTOR COOLANT PUMP TIE RODS

LICENSING APPROACH

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LICENSING APPROACH

TECH SPEC CHANGE TO BE SUBMITTED MAY 1998

- REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM FLOW
- REACTOR COOLANT SYSTEM VOLUME
- STEAM GENERATOR WATER LEVEL
- AUXILIARY FEEDWATER STORAGE TANK VOLUME
- STEAM GENERATOR SURVEILLANCES

TECH SPEC CHANGE PACKAGE APPLIES TO BOTH UNITS

MODIFICATIONS TO BE EVALUATED UNDER 10CFR50.59

UNREVIEWED SAFETY QUESTION ON DOSE CONSEQUENCES WILL BE
SUBMITTED

RETRAN WCAP-14882 AND **VIPRE** WCAP-14565 UNDER NRC REVIEW