

Enclosure 2

TMI-1 Technical Specification Revised Pages for LCA No. 287

3.3 EMERGENCY CORE COOLING, REACTOR BUILDING EMERGENCY COOLING AND REACTOR BUILDING SPRAY SYSTEMS

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- b. Two **Makeup and Purification (MU)/High Pressure Injection (HPI)** pumps are **OPERABLE** in the engineered safeguards mode powered from independent essential buses. Specification 3.0.1 applies.
- c. Two decay heat removal pumps are **OPERABLE**. Specification 3.0.1 applies.
- d. Two decay heat removal coolers and their cooling water supplies are **OPERABLE**. (See Specification 3.3.1.4) Specification 3.0.1 applies.
- e. Two BWST level instrument channels are **OPERABLE**.
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3.3.1.2 Core Flooding System

- a. Two core flooding tanks (**CFTs**) each containing 940  $\pm$ 30 ft<sup>3</sup> of borated water at 600  $\pm$ 25 psig shall be available. Specification 3.0.1 applies.
- b. **CFT boron concentration shall not be less than 2,270 ppm boron.**

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- c. The electrically operated discharge valves from the **CFT** will be assured open by administrative control and position indication lamps on the engineered safeguards status panel. Respective breakers for these valves shall be open and conspicuously marked. A one hour time clock is provided to open the valve and remove power to the valve. Specification 3.0.1 applies.
- d. One **CFT** pressure instrumentation channel and one **CFT** level instrumentation channel per tank shall be operable.
- e. **CFT** vent valves CF-V-3A and CF-V-3B shall be closed and the breakers to the **CFT** vent valve motor operators shall be tagged open, except when adjusting core flood tank level and/or pressure. Specification 3.0.1 applies.

3.3.1.3 Reactor Building Spray System and Reactor Building Emergency Cooling System

The following components must be OPERABLE:

- a. Two reactor building spray pumps and their associated spray nozzles headers and two reactor building emergency cooling fans and associated cooling units (one in each train). Specification 3.0.1 applies.
- b. The sodium hydroxide (NaOH) tank shall be maintained at 8 ft. +6 inches lower than the BWST level as measured by the BWST/NaOH tank differential pressure indicator. The NaOH tank concentration shall be  $10.0 \pm 5$  weight percent (%). If the NaOH concentration is not within limits, restore to OPERABLE within 72 hours. If the BWST/NaOH tank level differential is not within limits, restore to OPERABLE within 72 hours.
- c. All manual valves in the discharge lines of the **NaOH** tank shall be locked open.

3.3.1.4 Cooling Water Systems - Specification 3.0.1 applies.

- a. Two nuclear service closed cycle cooling water pumps must be OPERABLE.
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- d. Two decay heat river water pumps must be OPERABLE.
- e. Two reactor building emergency cooling river water pumps must be OPERABLE.

3.3.1.5 Engineered Safeguards Valves and Interlocks Associated with the Systems in Specifications 3.3.1.1, 3.3.1.2, 3.3.1.3, 3.3.1.4 are OPERABLE. Specification 3.0.1 applies.

### 3.3 EMERGENCY CORE COOLING, REACTOR BUILDING EMERGENCY COOLING AND REACTOR BUILDING SPRAY SYSTEMS (Contd.)

- 3.3.2 Maintenance or testing shall be allowed during reactor operation on any component(s) in the makeup and purification, decay heat, RB emergency cooling water, RB spray, CFT pressure instrumentation, CFT level instrumentation, BWST level instrumentation, or cooling water systems which will not remove more than one train of each system from service. Components shall not be removed from service so that the affected system train is inoperable for more than 72 consecutive hours. If the system is not restored to meet the requirements of Specification 3.3.1 within 72 hours, the reactor shall be placed in a HOT SHUTDOWN condition within six hours.
- 3.3.3 Exceptions to 3.3.2 shall be as follows:
- Both CFTs shall be **OPERABLE** at all times.
  - Both the motor operated valves associated with the CFTs shall be fully open at all times.
  - One reactor building cooling fan and associated cooling unit shall be permitted to be out-of-service for seven days.
- 3.3.4 Prior to initiating maintenance on any of the components, the duplicate (redundant) component shall be verified to be **OPERABLE**.

#### Bases

The requirements of Specification 3.3.1 assure that, before the reactor can be made critical, adequate engineered safety features are operable. Two engineered safeguards makeup pumps, two decay heat removal pumps and two decay heat removal coolers (along with their respective cooling water systems components) are specified. However, only one of each is necessary to supply emergency coolant to the reactor in the event of a loss-of-coolant accident. Both CFTs are required because a single CFT has insufficient inventory to reflood the core for hot and cold line breaks (Reference 1).

The operability of the borated water storage tank (BWST) as part of the ECCS ensures that a sufficient supply of borated water is available for injection by the ECCS in the event of a LOCA (Reference 2). The limits on BWST minimum volume and boron concentration ensure that 1) sufficient water is available within containment to permit recirculation cooling flow to the core, and 2) the reactor will remain at least one percent subcritical following a Loss-of-Coolant Accident (LOCA).

The contained water volume limit of 350,000 gallons includes an allowance for water not usable because of tank discharge location and sump recirculation switchover setpoint. The limits on contained water volume, NaOH concentration and boron concentration ensure a pH value of between 8.0 and 11.0 of the solution sprayed within containment after a design basis accident. The minimum pH of 8.0 assures that iodine will remain in solution while the maximum pH of 11.0 minimizes the potential for caustic damage to mechanical systems and components. Redundant heaters maintain the borated water supply at a temperature greater than 40°F.

**Maintaining MUT pressure and level within the limits of Fig 3.3.1 ensures that MUT gas will not be drawn into the pumps and the pumps will have adequate net positive suction head (NPSH) for any design basis accident. Preventing gas entrainment of the pumps is not dependent upon operator actions after the event occurs. The NPSH limit is necessary only to preclude damage to an HPI pump if it is started prior to an ES Actuation. The plant operating limits (alarms and procedures) will include margins to account for instrument error.**

### Bases (Contd.)

The post-accident reactor building emergency cooling may be accomplished by three emergency cooling units, by two spray systems, or by a combination of one emergency cooling unit and one spray system. The specified requirements assure that the required post-accident components are available.

The iodine removal function of the reactor building spray system requires one spray pump and sodium hydroxide tank contents.

The spray system utilities common suction lines with the decay heat removal system. If a single train of equipment is removed from either system, the other train must be assured to be operable in each system.

When the reactor is critical, maintenance is allowed per Specification 3.3.2 and 3.3.3 provided requirements in Specification 3.3.4 are met which assure operability of the duplicate components. The specified maintenance times are a maximum. Operability of the specified components shall be based on the satisfactory completion of surveillance and inservice testing and inspection required by Technical Specification 4.2 and 4.5.

The allowable maintenance period of up to 72 hours may be utilized if the operability of equipment redundant to that removed from service is verified based on the results of surveillance and inservice testing and inspection required by Technical Specification 4.2 and 4.5.

In the event that the need for emergency core cooling should occur, operation of one makeup pump, one decay heat removal pump, and both core flood tanks will protect the core. In the event of a reactor coolant system rupture their operation will limit the peak clad temperature to less than 2,200 °F and the metal-water reaction to that representing less than 1 percent of the clad.

Two nuclear service river water pumps and two nuclear service closed cycle cooling pumps are required for normal operation. The normal operating requirements are greater than the emergency requirements following a loss-of-coolant.

### REFERENCES

- (1) UFSAR, Section 6.1 - "Emergency Core Cooling System"
- (2) UFSAR, Section 14.2.2.3 - "Large Break LOCA"

**FIGURE 3.3.1**  
**Makeup Tank Pressure vs Level Limits**  
**(Instrument Error NOT Included)**

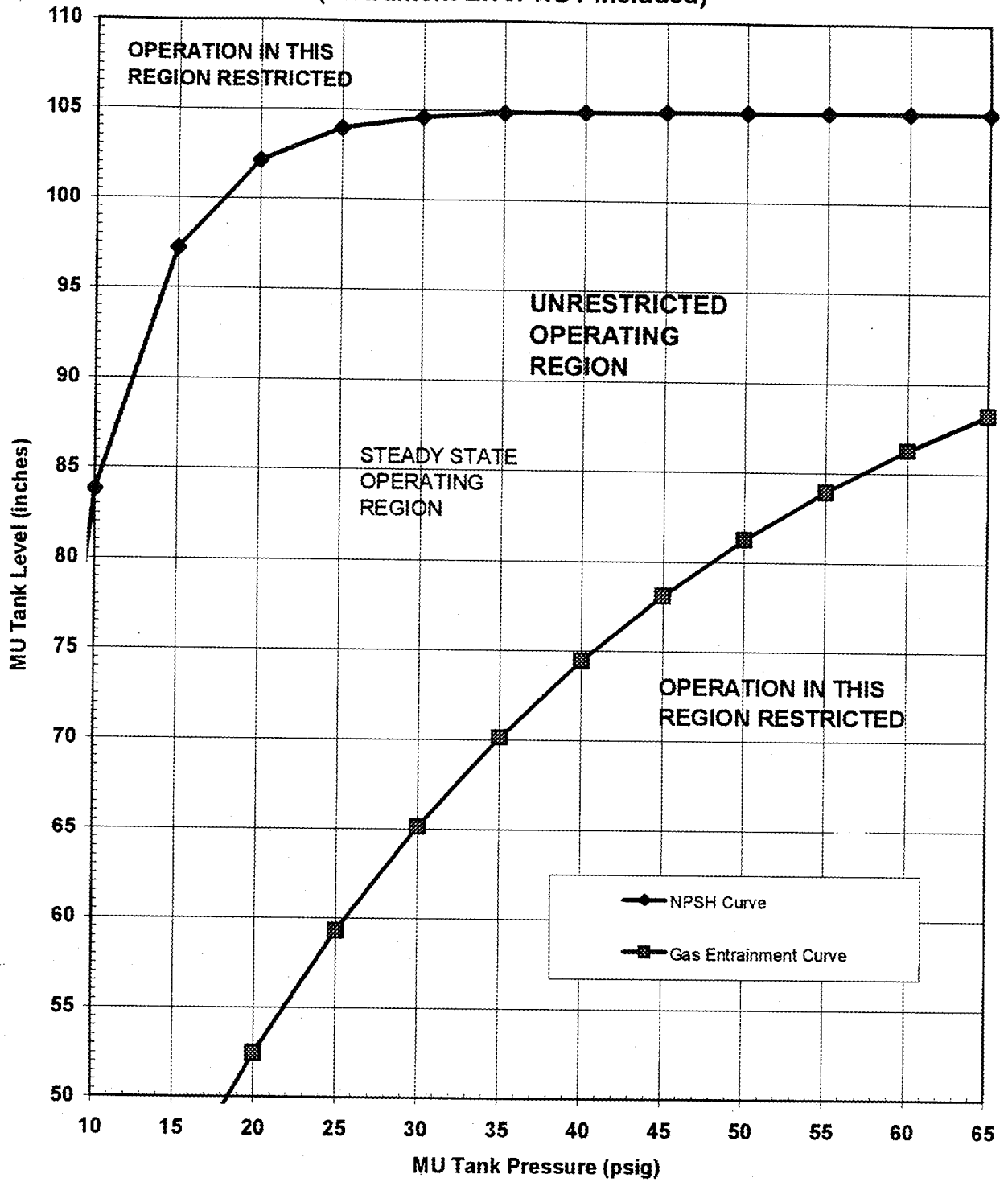


TABLE 4.1-1 (Continued)

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27. Makeup Tank <b>Instrument</b> Channels:				
a. Level	D(1)	NA	R	(1) When Makeup and Purification System is in operation.
b. Pressure	D(1)	NA	R	
28. Radiation Monitoring Systems*				
a. RM-G6 (FHA Bridge #1 Ax)	W(1)(2)	M(2)	Q(2)	(1) Using the installed check source when background is less than twice the expected increase in cpm which would result from the check source alone. Background readings greater than this value are sufficient in themselves to show that the monitor is functioning.  (2) RM-G6 and RM-G7 operability requirements are given in T.S. 3.8.1. Surveillances are be required to current only when handling irradiated fuel.  (3) RM-G9 operability requirements are given in T.S. 3.8.1.  (4) RM-A2 operability requirements are given in T.S. 3.1.6.8
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29. High and Low Pressure Injection Systems: Flow Channels	N/A	N/A	R	

\*Includes only monitors indicated under this item. Other T.S. required radiation monitors are included in specifications 3.5.5.2, 4.1.3, Table 3.5-1 item C.f., and Table 4.1-1 item 19e.

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- f. The two reactor building sump isolation valves (DH-V6A/B) shall be remote-manually <sup>OPERABLE</sup> operable. Specification 3.0.1 applies.
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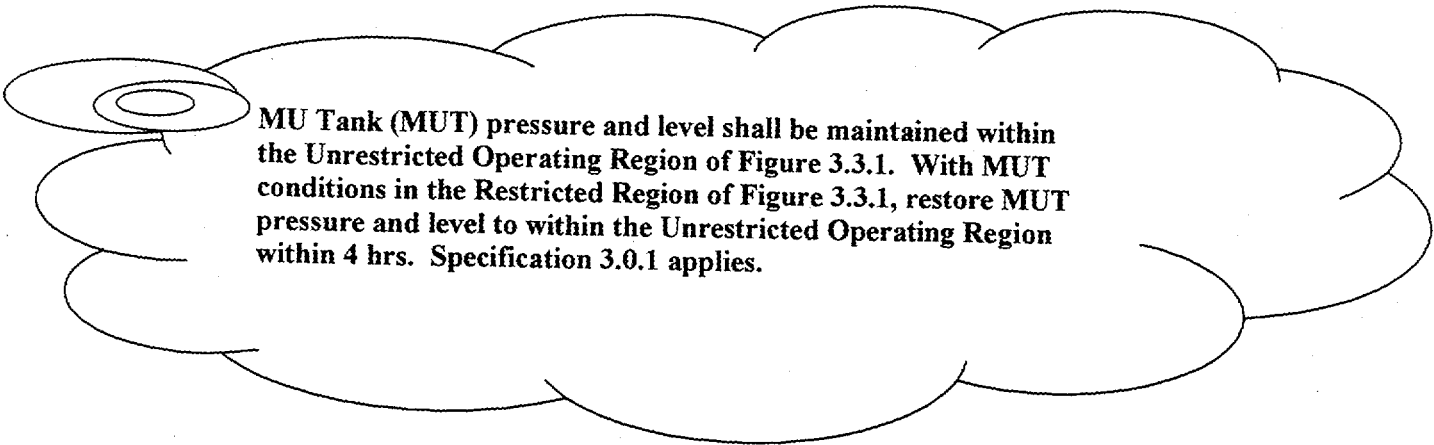
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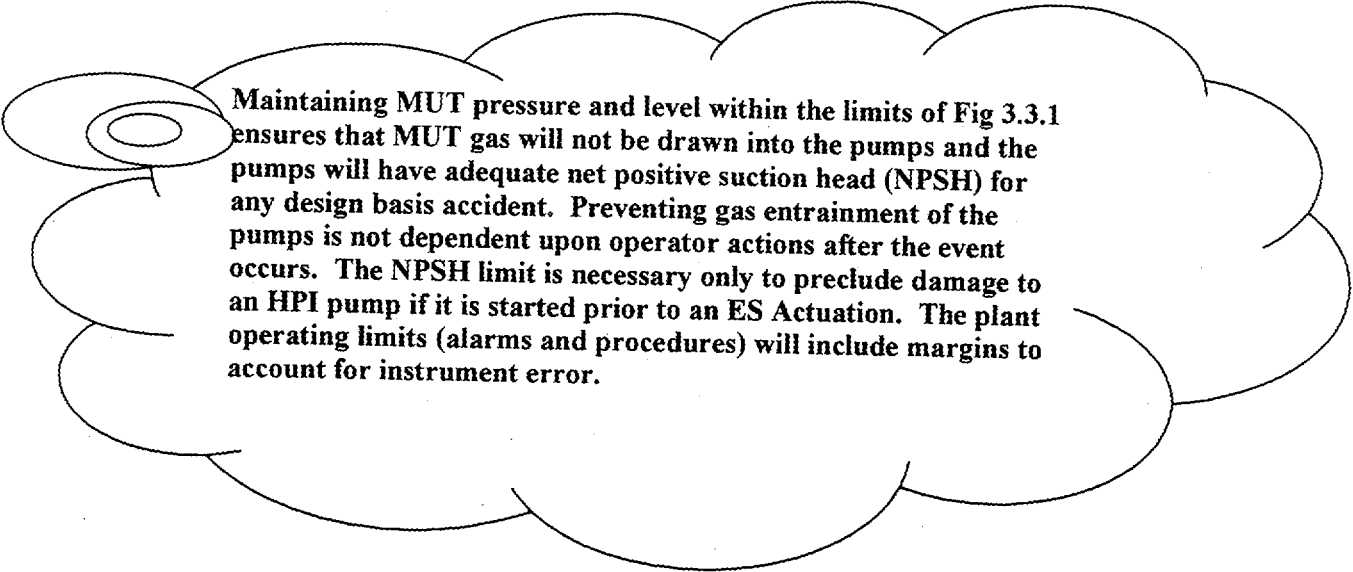
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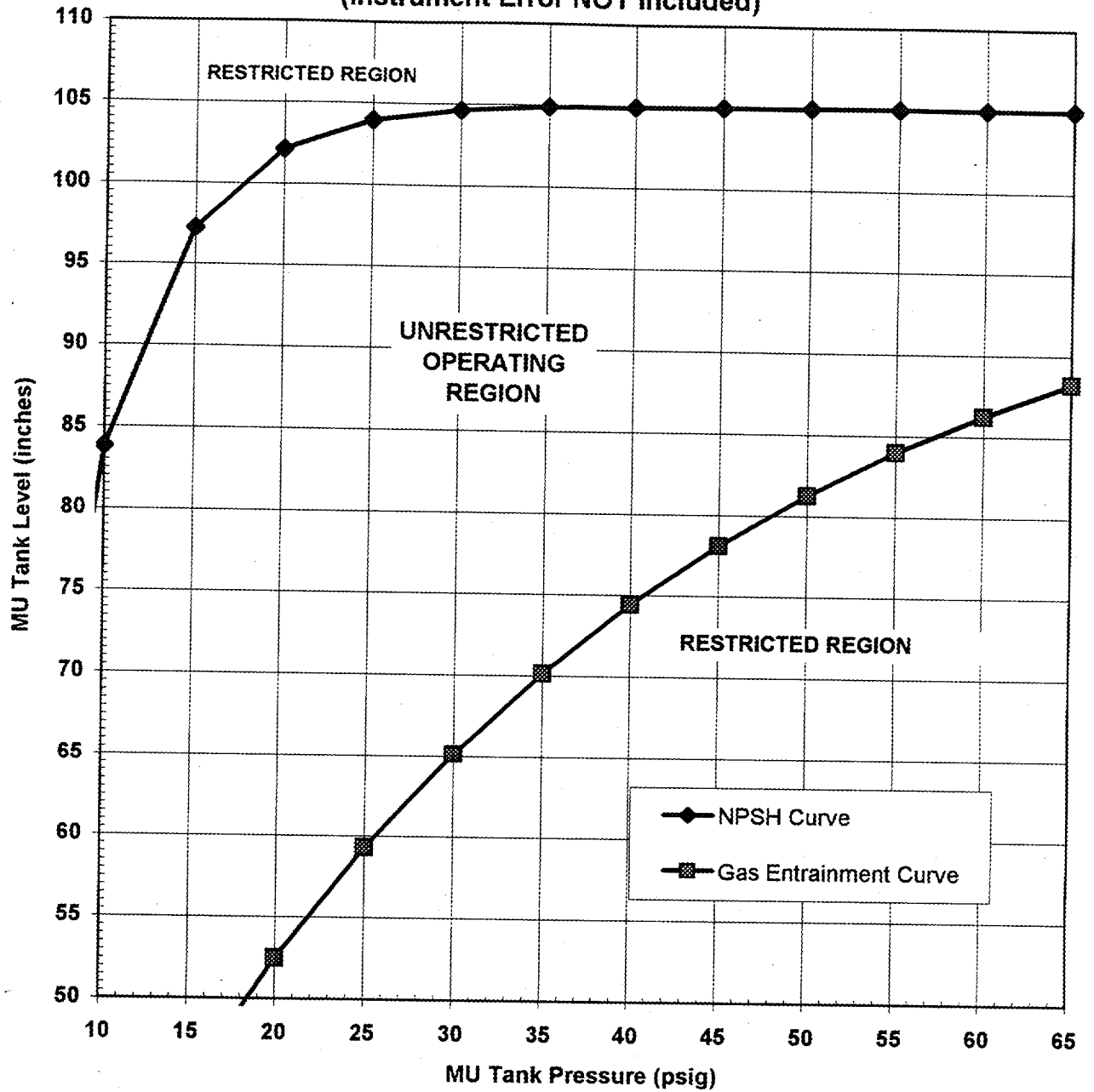


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d. RM-A2P (RB Atmosphere particulate)	W(1)(4)	M(4)	E(4)	(3) RM-G9 operability requirements are given in T.S. 3.8.1.
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Enclosure 3

Certificate of Service for  
TMI-1 License Change Application No. 287



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF  
GPU NUCLEAR INC.

DOCKET NO. 50-289  
LICENSE NO. DPR-50

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that a copy of License Change Application No. 287 to Appendix A of the Operating License for Three Mile Island Nuclear Station Unit 1, has, on the date given below, been filed with executives of Londonderry Township, Dauphin County, Pennsylvania; Dauphin County, Pennsylvania; and the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources, Bureau of Radiation Protection, by deposit in the United States mail, addressed as follows:

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