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SEABROOK STATION
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By revising Table Notations (1) for Table 4.3-1, Reactor Trip System Instrumentation Surveillance Requirements, the licensee proposes to increase the operational test (ACOT) interval from 31 days to 92 days for Functional Unit 6, Source Range, Neutron Flux. In next to the last paragraph of page 7, Section I, of the licensee's submittal dated October 11, 2002, the licensee stated that this requested change was made based on historical data on ACOTs performed. This by itself is not sufficient to justify this proposed TS change, and the staff considers additional information would be needed. as noted in a call with the licensee on June 25, 2003 (between Nerses/Mazumdar and O'Keefe/Mumford). Please provide the additional information.