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FROM : Manager for the Command and Service Modules

Apollo Spacecraft Program

SUBJECT: Limitations on crew exposure to 100% oxygen atmosphere

during test activities

Test and checkout requirements documentation for KSC for all CSM's is being revised to impose a four-hour limit on continuous crew exposure to 100% oxygen atmosphere at pressures above 14.7 psia.

Kennedy Space Center is requested to take action to assure that all CSM OCP's, which involve crewmen in 100% oxygen atmospheres, be revised to incorporate the above exposure limit.

The four-hour exposure limit can be exceeded, up to eight hours total, only if a contingency justifies the additional risk, and if the flight surgeon has determined that the crew is symptom free.

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Note from KSK 2-22-68: Al: This should also be put in the TCRD.

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