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<b>Subject:</b>	<b>X15A X-Ray Generator/Hutch Radiological Interlock Test</b>			
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Test Reason:	Test Result:	<input type="checkbox"/> Passed	<input type="checkbox"/> Failed
	Test Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> Full	<input type="checkbox"/> Partial
Test Date:	Start Time:	Finish Time:	
Tester 1:	Assistant 1:		
Tester 2:	Assistant 2:		

**PREPARATION:**

- Inform control room operator that test will be done. \_\_\_\_\_
- This test procedure may only be used when the X15A beamline is setup for use of the RGD as approved by the NSLS Safety Officer and the NSLS Interlock Working Group. \_\_\_\_\_
- Assure a qualified operator of the radiation generating device is available to aid in conducting the test for the last part of this test procedure. \_\_\_\_\_
- A Facility Support Representative must be available for the last part of the test to survey the hutch area when first turning on the X-Ray generating device to assure the radiation levels are acceptable prior to completing the test. \_\_\_\_\_
- X15A output indicator test box is required (refer to [figure 3](#)). \_\_\_\_\_
- Assure the X-Ray generator/Radiation Generating Device (RGD) is switched OFF and apply LOTO to the RGD power cord plug as per the SBMS [Lockout/Tagout subject area](#). \_\_\_\_\_
- Assure the GE interlock door device is mounted on the hutch doors (refer to [figure 1](#)). \_\_\_\_\_
- Operational Notes:
  1. The Hutch Kirk Key may be rotated at any time, doing this will shut off the X-Ray power supply. For equipment protection purposes, turn off the power supply prior to rotating and removing the key. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. When completing the search sequence, only rotate the Hutch Kirk key after the warning sound is complete. Rotating the key during the warning sound can cause a power supply door fault. \_\_\_\_\_
  3. Test box indicators: Red LED ON = ok and Red LED OFF = fault. \_\_\_\_\_

1. Search Sequence:  
Search the hutch

- The overhead lights go out \_\_\_\_\_
- The red interior light comes on \_\_\_\_\_
- The audible alarm sounds for 13 to 15 seconds minimum \_\_\_\_\_
- The interlock indicator comes ON \_\_\_\_\_
- The XRAYS ON sign turns ON \_\_\_\_\_

2. Open hutch door

- The interlock indicator goes out \_\_\_\_\_
- The XRAYS ON sign goes out \_\_\_\_\_

3. Press CS-1, close hutch door and wait.

Hutch interior lights come on in not more than 20 seconds. \_\_\_\_\_

Press CS-E.

Interlock does not activate \_\_\_\_\_



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11. Hutch Solenoid Release Unit:

Turn the hutch Kirk Key counter clock wise (for removal).

The A chain indicator on the test box is OFF \_\_\_\_\_

The B chain indicator on the test box is OFF \_\_\_\_\_

The Interlocked sign is ON. \_\_\_\_\_

The 'X-Rays On' sign is ON. \_\_\_\_\_

12. Door Switch Function: Remove the holders from the switches. Remove the latch device from the door lock(s). Stand inside the hutch and open and close the door.

Both door switches operate freely and each makes a "click" when door is opened \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution** - Before continuing to the next step note the following:

- **Do not enable or power the X-Ray generator with any holders on the door switches - the generator can produce harmful radiation.**
- **The hutch must be closed and secured to operate the X-Ray generator and no person shall be permitted in the hutch while the X-Ray Generator Device is ON for any reason during the remaining steps of this procedure.**
- A qualified X-Ray generating device operator must be present and assist in the final steps of the test. \_\_\_\_\_
- A Facility Support Representative must be available to conduct radiation surveys around the hutch. \_\_\_\_\_

## 13. Remove the test box from J100 and J101. Plug the Interlock connection from the GE X-Ray generator power supply into J100 and J101. \_\_\_\_\_

## 14. Search the hutch – assure no person remains inside. Wait for the timeout to complete before turning the hutch key in the SRU. \_\_\_\_\_

## 15. After the search completes and the “X-Rays ON” sign is illuminated on the hutch, Remove the Lock and Tag from the RGD power cord plug. \_\_\_\_\_

Request the qualified RGD operator to turn the X-Ray generator ON but at a low anode voltage of **5 kV** and low current of **0.1mA**. \_\_\_\_\_

16. Verify with the operator that all safety interlocks have been satisfied on the RGD Display. Press the ‘A chain’ test switch (refer to [figure 2](#)). \_\_\_\_\_

The X-Ray generator shuts off and a “door contact 1 opened” fault is indicated on RGD display. \_\_\_\_\_

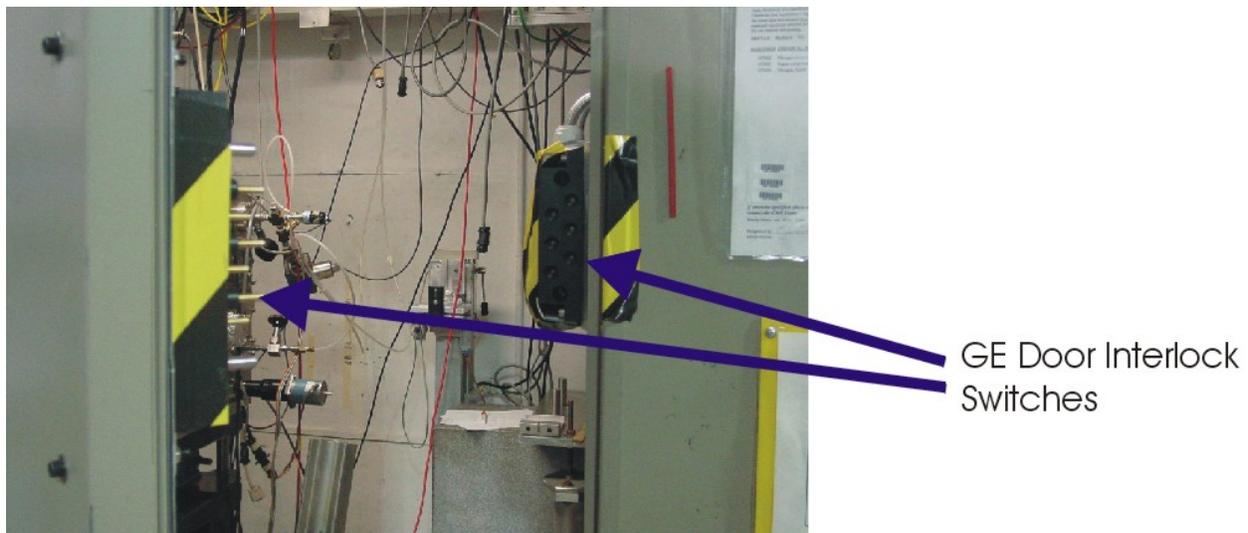
Release the test button and have the operator reset the generator and turn the X-Ray generator ON but at a low anode voltage of **5 kV** and low current of **0.1mA**.

*Note: A reset may be needed to clear the door faults on the GE RGD display panel. To reset this fault during test mode press both A and B switches simultaneously and release.*

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17. Verify with the operator that all safety interlocks have been satisfied on the RGD Display. Press the 'B chain' test switch.  
The X-Ray generator shuts off and a "door contact 2 opened" fault is indicated on RGD display.  
Release the test button and have the operator reset the generator and turn the X-Ray generator ON but at a low anode voltage of **5 kV** and low current of **0.1mA**.
18. Hutch Solenoid Release Unit: Verify with the operator that all safety interlocks have been satisfied on the RGD Display.  
Rotate the hutch Kirk Key counterclockwise.  
The X-Ray generator shuts off and "door contact 1 and 2 opened" is indicated on the RGD display.
19. Open hutch door to break hutch security.
20. Replace the cover on the switch test box and Take possession of the X15A Indicator Test box.
- Do not remove the J100 and 101 connectors from the hutch logic box.**

#### Appendix:

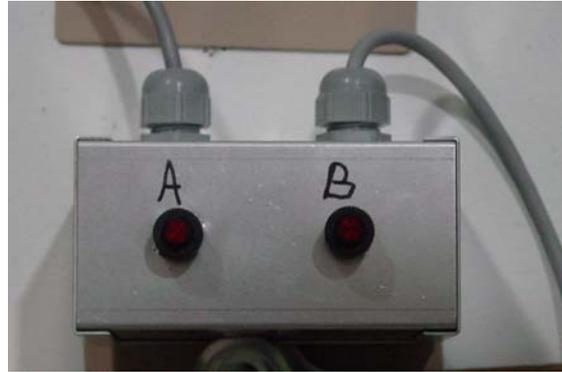


**Figure 1**

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**Figure 2: Switch Test Box**



**Figure 3: Indicator Test Box**



**Figure 4: XRAYS ON sign**

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