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Subject: River Bend Station
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Monthly Operating Report

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with River Bend Station Technical Specification 5.6.4, enclosed is the Monthly Operating Report for March 2000.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "RJ King".

For RJ King

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Enclosure

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RIVER BEND STATION

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OPERATING STATUS

1. REPORTING PERIOD: March 2000

2. MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (MWe-Net): 936

3. DESIGN ELECTRICAL RATING (MWe-Net): 936

	<u>MONTH</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE</u>
4. NUMBER OF HOURS REACTOR WAS CRITICAL	<u>72.37</u>	<u>1512.37</u>	<u>96811.98</u>
5. HOURS GENERATOR ON LINE	<u>72.37</u>	<u>1512.37</u>	<u>93359.78</u>
6. UNIT RESERVE SHUTDOWN HOURS	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
7. NET ELECTRICAL ENERGY GENERATED (MWH)	<u>66,930</u>	<u>1,373,840</u>	<u>81,801,935</u>

UNIT SHUTDOWNS

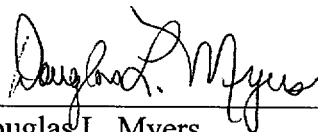
<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>DURATION</u>	<u>SHUTDOWN METHOD</u>	<u>REASON</u>	<u>CAUSE / CORRECTIVE ACTIONS</u>
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LEGEND:

TYPE:	F - Forced S - Scheduled	SHUTDOWN METHOD:	1 - Manual 2 - Manual trip/scram 3 - Automatic trip/scram 4 - Continuation 5 - Other (explain)	REASON:	A - Equipment failure (explain) B - Maintenance or Test C - Refueling D - Regulatory restriction E - Operator training / License exam F - Administrative G - Operational error (explain) H - Other (explain)
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NOTES:

1. No challenge to the reactor safety-relief valves occurred in March.



Douglas L. Myers