

Docket No. 50-498
and 50-499

June 22, 1987

Mr. J. H. Goldberg
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Dear Mr. Goldberg:

SUBJECT: CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (CP) AMENDMENT REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH
GENERAL DESIGN CRITERIA 4

This is in reference to your letter of February 26, 1987 requesting that the CP for South Texas Project be amended to reflect construction in accordance with the General Design Criteria (GDC) 4 as amended (51 FR 12502) rather than that which existed when the CPs were issued. The staff has decided that such an amendment to the CP is not required, and that the current status of compliance with GDC-4 will be reflected in the Operating License for the South Texas Project, Unit 1.

Please contact Prasad Kadambi at (301) 492-9407 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Original signed by
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