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September 29, 2010

Mr. Elmo E. Collins, Jr.
Regional Administrator
U.S. NRC, Region IV
612 E. Lamar Blvd., Suite 400
Arlington, TX 76011-4005

Dear Mr. Collins:

Enclosed is a copy of the radiological emergency preparedness final report for the River Bend Station (RBS) medical services drill evaluated on September 2, 2010. There were no Deficiencies or Areas Requiring Corrective Action (ARCAs) identified during the drill.

Based on the results of the drill, the offsite radiological emergency response plans and preparedness for the State of Louisiana and the affected local jurisdictions are deemed adequate to provide reasonable assurance that appropriate measures can be taken to protect the health and safety of the public in the event of a radiological emergency. Therefore, 44 CFR Part 350 approval of the offsite radiological emergency response plans and preparedness for the State of Louisiana site-specific to RBS will remain in effect.

A copy of this report was provided electronically to Ms. Vanessa Quinn, REP HQ Branch Chief and Ms. Lisa Gibney, HQ Project Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, in Washington, D.C. Should you have questions, please contact Lisa Hammond, Regional Assistance Committee Chair, at (940) 898-5199, or Elsa Lopez, Radiological Emergency Preparedness Site Specialist, at (940) 898-5308.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "L. Hammond".

Lisa Hammond
RAC Chair

Enclosure

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