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Mr. Roger S. Boyd, Director Division of Project Management Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. Boyd:

South Texas Project Units 1 & 2 Docket Nos. STN 50-498, STN 50-499 Security Contingency Plan

According to NRC regulations, the STP is required to submit a Security Contingency Plan by March 23, 1979. The STP Security Plan review schedule, however, indicates that "round one" questions on the Security Plan will be received on or about April 1, 1979. In order to facilitate review of the Security Plan and allow time for development of an effective Contingency Plan, an extension of the March 23 deadline for STP in hereby requested. If the extension is granted, we plan to incorporate the Contingency Plan into the Security Plan and submit an amended Security Plan along with responses to "round one" Security Plan questions on June 1, 1979. Please advise as to the granting of this deadline extension.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

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