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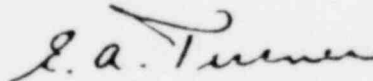
Dear Sir:

South Texas Project  
Units 1 & 2  
Docket Nos. STN 50-498, STN 50-499  
Interim Report on the Stop Work  
on Safety Related and Code Welding

On April 11, 1980, Houston Lighting & Power Company reported to your office a deficiency involving a stop work order on safety related and code welding at the South Texas Project site. This transmittal provides an interim report as required by 10 CFR 50.55(e). Another report concerning this deficiency will be sent to your office in three (3) months. Also addressed in the attached report is a discussion of a construction deficiency concerning an apparent breakdown in the Brown & Root QA Program for welding that was addressed in the Region IV, I&E Report 80-05, dated April 25, 1980.

Questions concerning this transmittal should be directed to Mr. Shawn Rodgers at (713) 676-7953.

Very truly yours,



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