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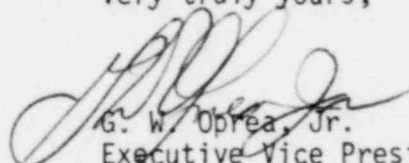
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Dear Mr. Eisenhut:

South Texas Project
Units 1&2
Docket Nos. STN 50-498, STN 50-499
Estimated Construction Completion Dates

This information is provided in response to your letter of July 11, 1980 requesting the present best estimate of the construction completion date for South Texas Project Unit 1. As of July 1, 1980, the estimated fuel load date for STP Unit 1 is September, 1983 and September, 1985 for Unit II. Commercial date is estimated for February, 1984 and February, 1986, respectively.

Very truly yours,



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