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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

BEFORE THE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of GULF STATES UTILITIES COMPANY (River Bend Station)

Docket No. 50-458-OLA

GULF STATES UTILITIES COMPANY'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

Gulf States Utilities Company ("GSU"), pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 2.714a, hereby appeals the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board's "Memorandum and Order (On Petition to Intervene)," LBP-94-3 ("Order"), dated January 27, 1994. As set forth more fully in the Brief in Support of Gulf State Utilities Company's Appeal being filed contemporaneously with this Notice of Appeal, the Licensing Board, contrary to the requirements of § 2.714 and Commission precedents, ruled that Cajun Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. ("Cajun" or "Petitioner") had standing to intervene in the captioned proceeding and admitted one of the contentions proffered by Petitioner. The Commission should reverse and vacate the Licensing Board's Order, deny Cajun's petition for leave to intervene and request for hearing, and terminate this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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