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South Texas Project
Units 1 and 2
Docket Nos. STN 50-498; STN 5-499
Surveillance Procedure Enhancement Program

- References: 1) Correspondence from W. H. Kinsey (HL&P) to Director, Office of Enforcement (NRC), Enforcement Action 93-023, dated May 19, 1993. (ST-HL-AE-4454)
- 2) Correspondence from W. H. Kinsey (HL&P) to NRC Document Control Desk, Licensee Event Report 93-011, dated April 16, 1993. (ST-HL-AE-4407)
- 3) Correspondence from W. H. Kinsey (HL&P) to Document Control Desk (NRC), Notice of Violation 9236-01, dated April 2, 1993. (ST-HL-AE-4392)
- 4) Correspondence from A. B. Beach (NRC) to W. T. Cottle (HL&P), Inspection Report 50-498/93-46; 50-499/93-46, dated December 28, 1993.

Dear Mr. Callan:

In references 1 through 3, Houston Lighting & Power (HL&P) committed to implementing a two phase Surveillance Procedure Enhancement Program. The first phase, consisting of a pilot project of approximately 51 high priority procedures is complete. During this initial phase there were several lessons learned that are being incorporated into the second phase.

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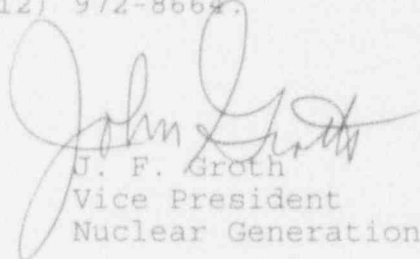
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This second phase originally consisted of a significant, but limited number of the station's surveillance procedures. Subsequent to making the original commitment, it was decided to include the remaining surveillance procedures. This resulted in almost doubling the scope of the project. Because of the increased scope and lessons learned, the anticipated completion date for the second phase of the Surveillance Procedure Enhancement Program is being extended from December 31, 1996 to the end of 1998. The potential for this change in commitment was commented upon in Reference 4 during one of the recent Restart Issue inspections.

This letter serves to update the docket relating to References 1 & 3 and to notify you that a revision to Reference 2 will be forthcoming. If you have any questions, please contact Joe Sheppard at 512-972-8757 or me at (512) 972-8664.


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