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License No. NPF-47

Gulf States Utilities
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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION (NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-458/90-33)

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. J. Barnes and W. M. McNeill of this office on November 26-30, 1990. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your River Bend Station. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

The areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress.

Based on the results of this inspection, certain of your activities appeared to be in violation of NRC requirements, as specified in the enclosed Notice of Violation (Notice). We are concerned about the violation because of the potential adverse consequences that may result from using other than current documents for accomplishing safety-related activities. It is acknowledged that you promptly responded to this matter and entered the problem into your nonconformance/corrective action program prior to the end of the inspection. In addition, it was found that certain records were missing from the permanent plant files. However, in accordance with Section V.A. of the NRC's Enforcement Policy, no citation is being issued for the violation described in paragraph 3.3 of the enclosed inspection report.

You are required to respond to this letter and should follow the instructions specified in the enclosed Notice when preparing your response. In your response, you should document the specific actions taken and any additional actions you plan to prevent recurrence. After reviewing your response to this Notice, including your proposed corrective actions and the results of future inspections, the NRC will determine whether further NRC enforcement action is necessary to ensure compliance with NRC regulatory requirements.

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In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

The responses directed by this letter and the enclosed Notice are not subject to the clearance procedures of the Office of Management and Budget as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980, Pub. L. No. 96.511.

Sincerely,

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Samuel J. Collins, Director
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Enclosures:

1. Appendix A - Notice of Violation
2. Appendix B - NRC Inspection Report
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cc w/Enclosures:

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