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Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 76011

Dear Mr. Collins:

River Bend Station Unit 1
Docket No. 50-458
Interim Report/DR-65

On August 6, 1982, Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) notified the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Region IV Office of a condition potentially reportable under 10CFR50.55(e) concerning cracked, spalled, and chipped concrete around the main steam and other penetrations through the drywell wall to the steam tunnel at River Bend Station (DR-65). GSU has not completed its investigation at this time. An interim or final status report will be provided by January 27, 1983.

Sincerely,

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cc: Director of Inspection & Enforcement
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