



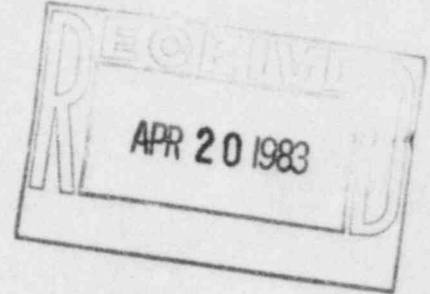
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Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000  
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Dear Mr. Collins:

River Bend Station Unit 1  
Docket No. 50-458  
Final Report/DR-82

On December 3, 1982, Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) notified Region IV of a condition potentially reportable under 10CFR50.55(e) concerning Installation Specification 248.000 which did not include the manufacturer's limits on cable sidewall pressure (DR-82). GSU subsequently issued Interim Reports dated January 4, 1983 and February 23, 1983.

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An investigation revealed no indication of cable problems when installed in accordance with the specification. However to insure no problems arise, the specification has been revised to include the manufacturer's requirements on cable pulling including consideration of sidewall pressure. GSU concludes that this condition could not have adversely affected the safe operation of the plant and is not reportable under 10CFR50.55(e). This concludes GSU's response on this subject.

Sincerely,

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