

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Houston Lighting & Power Company

Docket: 50-499

South Texas Project Electric Generating Station

License: NPF-80

During an NRC inspection conducted on May 2-6, 1994, one violation of NRC requirements was identified. In accordance with the "General Statement of Policy and Procedure for NRC Enforcement Actions," 10 CFR Part 2, Appendix C, the violations are listed below:

Criterion XVI, Appendix B of 10 CFR 50, requires that in the case of significant conditions adverse to quality, measures shall assure that the cause of the condition is determined and corrective action taken to preclude repetition.

South Texas Projects Station Procedure OPGP03-ZX-0002, "Corrective Action Program," Revision 4, requires that, "any person associated with STP who identifies a deficiency or significant deficiency is responsible for initiating a Station Problem Report in accordance with the requirements of this procedure."

Contrary to the above, the licensee did not write a station problem report when a loose hold down stud nut (a significant potential precursor to stud failure) was identified on April 14, 1994, on the 6L fuel injection pump of Standby Diesel Generator Number 22.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (499/9416-01) (Supplement I).

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Houston Lighting & Power Company is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555 with a copy to the Regional Administrator, Region IV, 611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 400, Arlington, Texas 76011, and a copy to the NRC Resident Inspector at the facility that is the subject of this Notice, within 30 days of the date of the letter transmitting this Notice of Violation (Notice). This reply should be clearly marked as a "Reply to a Notice of Violation" and should include for each violation: (1) the reason for the violation, or, if contested, the basis for disputing the violation, (2) the corrective steps that have been taken and the results achieved, (3) the corrective steps that will be taken to avoid further violations, and (4) the date when full compliance will be achieved. If an adequate reply is not received within the time specified in this Notice, an order or a Demand for Information may be issued to show cause why the license should not be modified, suspended, or revoked, or why such other action as may be proper should not be taken. Where good cause is shown, consideration will be given to extending the response time.

Dated at Arlington, Texas

this 17th day of June 1994