



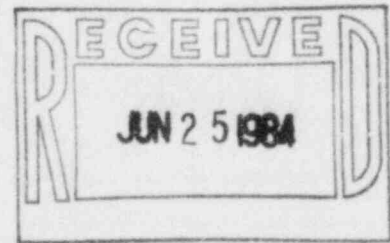
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Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000  
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Dear Mr. Collins:

River Bend Station Unit 1  
Docket No. 50-458  
Interim Report/Dr-196

An interim of final status report concerning undersized fillet welds will be provided by September 13, 1984.

Sincerely,

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