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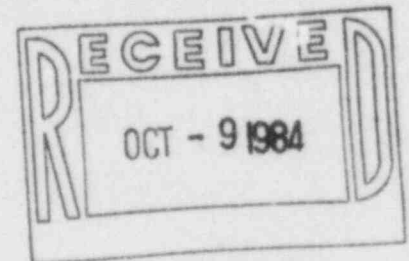
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Mr. Robert D. Martin, Regional Administrator  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement  
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000  
Arlington, Texas 76011

Dear Mr. Martin:

River Bend Station Unit 1  
Docket No. 50-458  
Interim Report/DR-203



An interim or final status report concerning arc strikes on the interior surface of seven of the eight air start receiver tanks on the Standby Diesel Generators supplied by Transamerica Delaval, Incorporated will be provided by November 20, 1984.

Sincerely,

*L. A. England for*

J. E. Booker  
Manager-Engineering,  
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