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SUBJECT: PLANT PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR) - RIVER BEND STATION

On October 3, 1995, the Regional staff completed the semiannual PPR of River Bend Station. The staff conducts these reviews for all operating nuclear power plants to develop an integrated understanding of safety performance. The results are used by Regional management to facilitate planning and allocation of inspection resources. The PPR for River Bend Station involved the participation of all technical divisions in evaluating inspection results and safety performance information for the period April to September 1995. PPRs provide Regional management with a current summary of licensee performance and serve as inputs to the NRC Systematic Assessment of Licensee Performance (SALP) and senior management meeting (SMM) reviews.

This letter advises you of our planned inspection effort resulting from the River Bend Station PPR review. It is provided to minimize the resource impact on your staff and to allow for scheduling conflicts and personnel availability to be resolved in advance of inspector arrival onsite. The enclosure details our inspection plan for the next 8 months. The rationale or basis for each inspection outside the core inspection program is provided so that you are aware of the reason for emphasis in these program areas. Resident inspections are not listed due to their ongoing and continuous nature.

We will inform you of any changes to the inspection plan. If you have any questions, please contact Phil Harrell at 817/860-8250.

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**RIVER BEND STATION  
INSPECTION PLAN**

IP - Inspection Procedure

TI - Temporary Instruction

Core Inspection - Minimum NRC Inspection Program (mandatory all plants)

INSPECTION	TITLE/ PROGRAM AREA	NUMBER OF INSPECTORS	PLANNED INSPECTION DATES	TYPE OF INSPECTION - COMMENTS
IP 71001	Requalification Program Review	3	11/13-17/95	Core Inspection Program
IP 60705 IP 60710 IP 62700 IP 86700	Refueling Activities Preparation for Refueling Maintenance Practices Spent Fuel Pool Activities	3	1/15-2/2/96	FIRS Regional Initiative to address refueling operation & FME concerns identified during the SALP
IP 73753	Inservice Inspection	1	1/15-19/96	Core Inspection Program
TI 2515/130 & IP 41500	Improved Technical Specification Implementation Training & Qualification Effective	5	2/12-16/96	Area of emphasis review to evaluate the licensee's implementation of the ITS
IP 83750	Radiation Protection	1	2/26-3/1/96	Core Inspection Program