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SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT 50-458/95-28

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. M. Runyan and C. Myers of this office on October 16-20, 1995, at the River Bend Station facility. The purpose of the inspection was to determine whether activities authorized by the license were conducted safely and in accordance with NRC requirements. At the conclusion of the inspection, the findings were discussed with those members of your staff identified in the enclosed report.

Areas examined during the inspection are identified in the report. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examinations of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observation of activities in progress. The results of this inspection are documented in the enclosed report.

During the inspection, you committed to perform as-found testing of main steam safety relief valves upon their removal from service. This commitment applies only to those valves currently installed and those that will be installed in the future. We understand that you intend to commit to an American Society of Metallurical Engineers code case in the near future that will require as-found testing of the subject valves. When this occurs, the commitment made during this inspection will expire. If your understanding of these commitments is different from ours, please contact me immediately.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter and its enclosures will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely.

Thomas P. Gwynn, Di ctor

Division of Reactor Safety

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