

APPENDIX A

NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Licensee: Gulf States Utilities (GSU) Docket No. 50-458
 St Francisville, Louisiana 70775 License No. NPF-45

During an NRC inspection conducted on April 27 through May 1, 1992, a 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 violation is listed below:

Technical Specification 6.12.1 states, in part, that personnel allowed access to radiation areas greater than 1000 millirem per hour (i.e., very high radiation areas) shall have a continuously indicating radiation dose rate device or a continuously integrating radiation dose device or be under positive control by an individual qualified in radiation protection procedures with a radiation dose rate monitoring device.

Contrary to the above, on April 30, 1992, the licensee observed by television monitor an individual inside a posted very high radiation area without a continuously indicating radiation dose rate device or a continuously integrating radiation dose device or positive control by an individual qualified in radiation protection procedures with a radiation dose rate monitoring device.

This is a Severity Level IV violation (Supplement IV). (50-458/9213-01)

Pursuant to the provisions of 10 CFR 2.201, Gulf States Utilities is hereby required to submit a written statement or explanation to the Regional Administrator, Region IV, with a copy to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, ATTN: Document Control Desk, Washington, D.C. 20555, 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, the Commission may issue an Order or Demand for Information as to 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 9th day of June 1992