In Reply Refer To: Docket: 50-458/84-21 AUG 2 1 1984 Gulf States Utilities ATTN: William J. Cahill, Jr. Senior Vice President River Bend Nuclear Group P.O. Box 2951 Beaumont, Texas 77704 Gentlemen: This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. L. E. Ellershaw and C. C. Harbuck of this office during the period July 16-20, 1984, of activities authorized by NRC Construction Permit CPPR-145 for River Bend, Unit 1, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. J. Deddens, and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection. Areas examined during the inspection included procurement document control, receipt, storage and handling of equipment and materials, preoperational test procedure review, and IE Bulletin followup. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors. These findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report. Within the scope of the inspection, no violations or deviations were identified. In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790(a), a copy of this letter and the enclosure will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room unless you notify this office, by telephone, within 10 days of the date of this letter, and submit written application to withhold information contained therein within 30 days of the date of this letter. Such application must be consistent with the requirements of 2.790(b)(1). RPB1 CCHarbuck DRHunter EHJohnson 8 117/84 8/17/84 8/17/84 8409240241 840821 PDR ADDCK 05000458

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

Sincerely,

Original Signed By
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Enclosure: Appendix - RC Inspection Report 50-458/84-21

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