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Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: NRC INSPECTION REPORT NO. 50-458/92-24

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. E. J. Ford and D. P. Loveless of this office on May 24 through July 4, 1992. The inspection included a review of activities authorized for your River Bend Station facility. 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 examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations of activities in progress.

Within the scope of this inspection, no violations or deviations were identified. However, during the inspection, one item involving industrial safety was identified involving the inspection and use of load lifting equipment at the River Bend Station. This item is of concern because continued poor practices involving lifting equipment could affect the safety of plant workers and safety-related equipment.

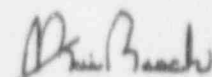
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Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure:  
Appendix - NRC Inspection Report  
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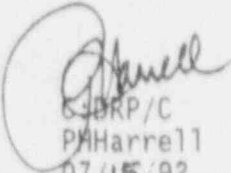
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