Docket No. 50-458

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Mr. Allan Hirsch, Director Office of Federal Activities U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Room 2119M (A-104) 400 M Street S.W. Washington, D.C. 20460

Dear Mr. Hirsch:

SUBJECT: ISSUANCE OF FINAL ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT - RIVER BEND STATION

I am pleased to provide the Environmental Protection Agency with copies of the Final Environmental Statement prepared by the Commission's Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation on environmental considerations under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, related to the operation of River Bend Station.

A notice of availability of the Final Environmental Statement is being sent to the Office of the Federal Register for filing and publication (copy enclosed).

The Final Environmental Statement includes a discussion of comments from Federal, State and local agencies of officials and private organizations and individuals and the the disposition thereof.

Sincerely,

Original signed by:

A. Schwencer, Chief Licensing Branch No. 2 Division of Licinsing

Enclosures:

1. FES (6)

2. Federal Register Notice

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