

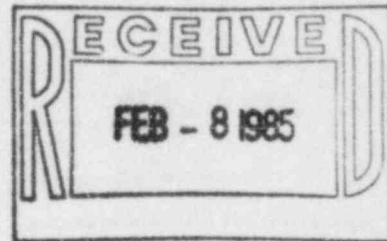


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Mr. Robert D. Martin, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 70611



Dear Mr. Martin:

River Bend Station Unit I
Docket No. 50-458
Interim Report/DR-242

An interim or final report concerning the fracture of a pinion gear in a motor operator supplied by Litorque for a safety related valve in the Residual Heat Removal System will be provided by March 1, 1985.

Sincerely,

L. A. England
for J. E. Booker
Manager-Engineering,
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