

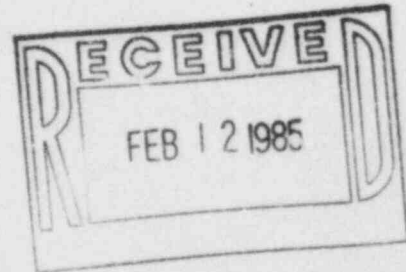


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Mr. Robert D. Martin, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement
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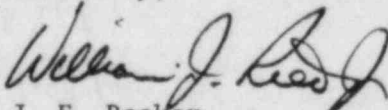
Dear Mr. Martin:

River Bend Station Unit 1
Docket No. 50-458
Interim Report/DR-260

On November 1, 1984, GSU notified Region IV by telephone of DR-260 concerning the piping configuration of the control rod drive scram discharge volume vent and drain lines; GSU determined this deficiency was reportable under 10CFR50.55(e). An interim 30-day written report pursuant to 10CFR50.55(e)(3) was provided on December 3, 1984.

An interim or final status report will be provided by February 26, 1985.

Sincerely,


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