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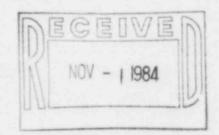
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Mr. Robert D. Martin, Regional Administrator U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement 611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000 Arlington, Texas 76011

Dear Mr. Martin:

River Bend Station Unit 1 Docket No. 50-458 Final Report/DR-187



Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) has completed its evaluation of DR-187 concerning the control rod drive insert and withdrawal piping which was discolored due to an electrical fire in weld line cables routed nearby. There is no evidence that the stainless steel piping was subjected to temperatures which would alter the mechanical properties and affect the corrosion resistance nor was there evidence of any burnt rubber or heat or smoke damage on nearby RCS piping, valve, or valve operator (B33,MOV,F067B). GSU has therefore determined this condition is not reportable under 10CFR50.55(e).

Sincerely,

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cc: Director of Inspection & Enforcement U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D. C. 20555

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