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Mr. Harold R. Denton, Director
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. Denton:

River Bend Station-Unit 1
Docket No. 50-458

Pursuant to a request by your Staff, Gulf States Utilities Company has completed the preoperational testing requested in I&E Bulletin 80-06 for River Bend Station, with the exception of the Post Accident Sampling System (PASS). These tests have verified that the installed logic is as designed to fulfill the functions of concern in the bulletin. This design is discussed in Section 7.3.2.1 of the FSAR. Preoperational testing of the PASS will be complete prior to operation above 5% of rated power and will include testing of the logic circuitry. Any deviations of the installed logic from the approved design will be reconciled to satisfy I&E Bulletin 80-06.

Sincerely,

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