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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. C. E. Johnson and D. L. Garrison of this office during the period May 28-August 2, 1985, of activities authorized by NRC Construction Permits CPPR-128 and 129 for the South Texas Project, Units 1 and 2, and to the discussion of our findings with members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included management meetings, site tours, reactor vessel internals, licensee action on previous inspection findings, licensee identified items, permanent plant maintenance, deficiency reporting, and concrete activities. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors. These findings are documented in the enclosed report.

Within the scope of the inspection, no violations or deviations were identified.

Should you have any questions concerning this inspection, we will be pleased to discuss them with you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By  
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Enclosure:  
Appendix - NRC Inspection Report  
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