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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Mr. C. E. Johnson of this office during the period July 25-29, 1988, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License NPF-76 and Construction Permit CPPR-129, for the South Texas Project, Units 1 and 2, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. J. T. Westermeier and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included followup of previously identified findings, review of licensee onsite and offsite safety review committees, and review of the licensee's program for audits and implementation. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the NRC inspector. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection 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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