



# GULF STATES UTILITIES COMPANY

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Gentlemen:

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

Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) is updating its response to a previous letter sent from J. Booker to A. Schwencher dated January 14, 1985, addressing the status of construction completion and testing at fuel load (RBG-19890). GSU's response stated that, "Building roof and storm drain activities such as installation of gutter downspouts are not related to plant startup or operations and therefore are scheduled to be completed prior to operation following the first refueling outage." Prior to plant startup, several of the plant buildings were completed in regards to the installation of the built-up roofing system. Therefore, the scope of the completion of this activity is limited to four remaining buildings. Since this construction item has no safety, operability, or design significance and the roof/building is constructed of reinforced concrete, GSU is scheduling the completion of this activity commensurate with other activities included in its integrated living schedule. Other actions provided in GSU's January 14, 1985 letter have been completed.

The current plan for the remaining activities is to develop the roofing program in the next 90 days. This program will evaluate the remaining work scope, obtain bid estimates, and integrate this information into the budgeting system. A targeted completion date will be established and a supplement provided at that time. If further information is required, please contact Mr. Rick J. King at (504) 381-4146.

Sincerely,

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MEMORANDUM

TO: J. E. Booker

November 29, 1988

FROM: K. E. Suhrke

*Re W. Frayer for*

SUBJECT: Commitment 03598

REFERENCE: PR AXX59051

Commitment 03598 addresses builtup roofing systems for the Diesel Generator Building, Standby Cooling Tower, Auxiliary Building and Radwaste Building which were scheduled to be completed prior to operation, following the first refueling outage.

This commitment was originally assigned to Engineering and closed before all work was completed.

Because this commitment is a Construction completion item, Projects has agreed to accept responsibility for it and has initiated a purchase requisition (AXX59051) to obtain management approval for the cost of contracting the remaining work. MR 85-1232 is directly associated with this commitment and will be cancelled per the November 1, 1988 Work Scope Committee meeting.

Projects request 90 days to review this commitment and develop a program. Upon completion of these activities, a realistic due date can be provided to Licensing for closure of this commitment.

Your prompt attention to this matter is appreciated.

KES/RWF/JRD/BDN/jaj  
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cc: R. W. Frayer  
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COMMITNO = 03598  
RESPDEF = PROJ  
RESPINDV = FRAYER, R.  
SECDEF = \*  
INPUT = \*  
DUEDATE = CYCLE1  
SKEDCOMP = \*  
REVDATE = 881114  
STATUS = OPEN-RE  
COMTYPE = XC

CLASS CONSTR. ENVR

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REFDOCS Commitno 03597, 03599, 03600: RBG-21281 dated 6/13/85:

Specs 210.410, 210.411, 210.412, 210.413, 210.414:

AGENCY NRC

LOCATION RBG-19890, GSU/Booker to NRC/Schwencer, 1/14/85, Para I-G

COMMIT From the 'Status of Construction Completion and Testing at Fuel Load', attached to RBG-19890: Building roof and storm drain activities such as installation of gutter downspouts are not related to plant startup or operations and therefore are scheduled to be completed prior to operation following the first refueling outage.

ACTION Notify Licensing when MR 85-1232 is completed:

HISTORY \*

Commitment reaffirmed by RBG-21281, dated 6/13/85:  
November 2, 1988 Per S. Gray this task is not completed; This commitment should be RE-OPENED and COMPLETED:  
Changed STATUS from COMPLETED to OPEN-RE: Per R. Frayer PROJ accepted responsibility for this commitment:

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VERIFY \*

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CIFBY Christensen

R0601 \* END OF DOCUMENTS IN LIST - ENTER RETURN OR ANOTHER COMMAND.