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Houston Lighting & Power Company ATTN: J. H. Goldberg Group Vice President, Nuclear P. O. Box 1700 Houston, Texas 77001

Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. C. E. Johnson and D. L. Garrison of this office during the period April 4 through May 30, 1986, 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 site tours, licensee action on previous inspection findings, IE Information Notices, structural concrete activities, QA (Deficiency Notices), electrical activities, allegation followup, and followup on inspector identified problems. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the inspectors. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

During this period, the inspectors also followed up on some of the responses by the licensee to the construction assessment team (CAT) findings. This followup will be documented in report 86-12.

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,

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