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Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. C. E. Johnson and other members of the NRC staff during the period February 2 through March 27, 1987, of activities authorized by NRC Construction Permits CPPR-128 and CPPR-129 for the South Texas Project, Units 1 and 2, and to the discussion of our findings with J. T. Westermeier and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included site tours, licensee action on previously reported items, licensee action on IE Circulars, procurement, receiving and storage, safety-related structural steel, post-tensioning, safety-related components, safety-related pipe supports and restraints, protective coatings, cooling water reservoir, concrete testing, and followup on allegations. Within these areas, the inspection consisted of selective examination of procedures and representative records, interviews with personnel, and observations by the NRC inspectors. The inspection findings are documented in the enclosed inspection report.

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

We have also examined actions you have taken with regard to previously identified inspection findings. The status of these items is identified in paragraph 3 of the enclosed report.

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

Sincerely,

Original Signed by
R. E. HALL

J. E. Gagliardo, Chief
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Enclosure: (see next page)

RIV: SRI	RPB/	RPB/A	RPB/	RPB/C	C: RPB/C
CEJohnson/lr	DLGarrison	WMMcNeill	RGTaylor	HFBundy	GLConstable
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Enclosure:

Appendix - MRC Inspection Report
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cc w/enclosure:

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