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## Gentlemen:

This refers to the inspection conducted by Messrs. W. R. Bennett and M. E. Skow of this office during the period November 3-7, 1986, of activities authorized by NRC Operating License NPF-47 for River Bend Station, and to the discussion of our findings with Mr. J. C. Deddens and other members of your staff at the conclusion of the inspection.

Areas examined during the inspection included quality assurance program review, onsite review committee, and audit program and implementation. 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 action you have taken with regard to previously identified inspection findings. The status of these items is identified in paragraph 2 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 J. E. Gagliardo

J. E. Gagliardo, Chief Reactor Projects Branch

Enclosure:

Appendix - NRC Inspection Report

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