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**SUBJECT: FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY DEFICIENCY CLEARED
DURING THE NOVEMBER 8, 2004, REDEMONSTRATION**

Dear Mr. Hinnenkamp:

The purpose of this letter is to thank you and your staff for working with the appropriate offsite governmental agencies to ensure a timely resolution of the deficiency that was identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region VI, during evaluation of the June 9, 2004, emergency preparedness exercise at the River Bend Station. The deficiency was re-evaluated as closed during a November 8, 2004, redemonstration, and will be documented in the Federal Emergency Management Agency final exercise report for River Bend Station.

The final exercise report is expected to be issued prior to December 1, 2004, and will be available from the Publicly Available Records (PARS) component of NRC's document system (ADAMS). ADAMS is accessible from the NRC Web site at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html> (the Public Electronic Reading Room).

If you have any further questions, please contact Ryan E. Lantz at (817) 860-8158, or Paul J. Elkmann at (817) 276-6539.

Sincerely,

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