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Re: In the Matter of Houston Lighting & Power Company, et al.  
(South Texas Project, Units 1 and 2), Docket Nos.  
STN 50-498 OL, STN 50-499 OL

Dear Members of the Board:

Pursuant to Mr. Bechhoefer's request of Mr. Jack R. Newman dated July 25, 1979, Houston Lighting & Power Company, as Project Manager of the South Texas Project on behalf of itself and the other Applicants, on Friday, August 31, forwarded a copy of the South Texas Project Final Safety Analysis Report (including all amendments through Amendment No. 7) and a copy of the South Texas Project Environmental Report/Operating License Stage (including Amendments Nos. 1 and 2) to Mr. Bechhoefer at the Commission's Bethesda offices (Washington, D.C. 20555). On that same date like copies were forwarded to Dr. Lamb at 313 Woodhaven Road, Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514.

The South Texas Project Environmental Report/Operating License Stage references the South Texas Project Environmental

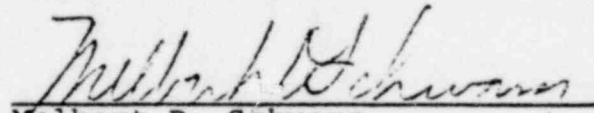
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Report/Construction Permit Stage, and two copies of the South Texas Project Environmental Report/Construction Permit Stage will be forwarded in a like manner this week.

Very truly yours,



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Texas Project, acting herein on  
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CENTRAL POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY  
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