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Mr. Steven A. Varga  
Acting Assistant Director for  
Light Water Reactors  
Division of Project Management  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Varga:

River Bend Station Units 1 & 2  
Docket Nos. 50-458, 50-459

In response to a recent request by your Staff, Gulf  
States plans to submit the River Bend Station Units 1 and 2  
Operating License application for docketing on December 1, 1980.

Sincerely,



J. G. Weigand  
General Manager - Nuclear Projects

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