

GULF STATES UTILITIES COMPANY

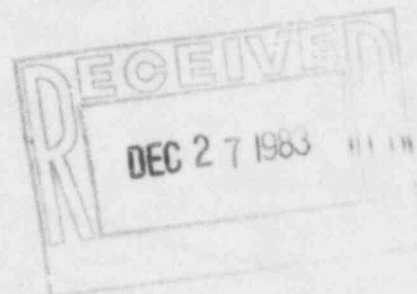
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Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 76011



Dear Mr. Collins:

River Bend Station Unit 1
Docket No. 50-458
Interim Report/DR-97

Gulf States Utilities Company has not completed its investigation of DR-97 concerning HMA relays manufactured by General Electric in 1974. An interim or final status report will be provided by February 7, 1984.

Sincerely,

William J. Booker
for J. E. Booker
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cc: Director of Inspection & Enforcement
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