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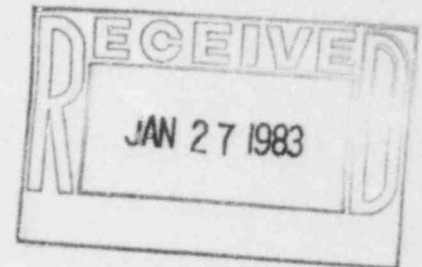
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Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 76011

Dear Mr. Collins:

River Bend Station Unit 1
Docket No. 50-458
Interim Report/DR-89



On December 22, 1982, Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) notified the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Region IV Office of a condition potentially reportable under 10CFR50.55(e) concerning the potential malfunction of a primary knife-type disconnect manufactured by RTE Delta Corporation (DR-89). The disconnect is supplied in the emergency generator control panels provided by Transamerica Delaval. RTE Delta Corporation had provided Region IV with additional information in their letter dated April 21, 1982. GSU has not completed its investigation of this problem at this time. An interim or final status report will be provided by March 17, 1983.

Sincerely,

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