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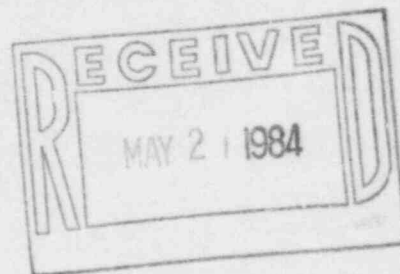
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Mr. John T. Collins, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV, Office of Inspection and Enforcement
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 76011

Dear Mr. Collins:

River Bend Station Unit 1
Docket No. 50-458
Interim Report/DR-165



An interim or final status report concerning copper bus bars supplied by Southern Metals Corporation and Gulf Coast Supply will be provided by July 25, 1984.

Sincerely,

L. A. England for

J. E. Booker
Manager-Engineering,
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