

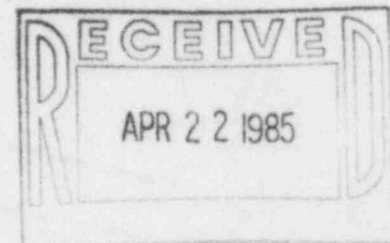


GULF STATES UTILITIES COMPANY

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April 17, 1985
RBG-20752
File Nos. G9.5, G15.4.1

Mr. Robert D. Martin, Regional Administrator
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Region IV
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000
Arlington, Texas 76011



Dear Mr. Martin:

River Bend Station - Unit 1
Refer to: Region IV
Docket No. 50-458/Report 85-10

This is in response to the Notice of Violation contained in NRC I&E Inspection Report No. 50-458/85-10. The inspection was performed by Messrs. W. M. McNeill, and I. Barnes during the period February 4-8, 1985, of activities authorized by NRC Construction Permit CPPR-145 for River Bend Station Unit No. 1.

Gulf States Utilities Company's (GSU) response to the Notice of Violation 85-10-02, "Compliance With Welding Material Control Procedure Requirements," is provided in the enclosed attachment. This completes GSU's response to the Notice of Violation.

Sincerely,

W. J. Cahill
Senior Vice President
River Bend Nuclear Group

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Attachment

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ATTACHMENT

April 18, 1985
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Response to Notice of Violation

Reference

Notice of Violation - E. H. Johnson letter to W. J. Cahill, dated March 19, 1985.

Refer to Docket No. 50-458/85-10.

Compliance With Welding Material Control Procedure Requirements (85-10-02)

Response

Corrective Steps Which Have Been Taken and Results Achieved

FQC has performed additional surveillance inspection reference: IR's W5000007, W5000022, W5000071) which have indicated that the observed condition is an isolated case.

There were not any rods issued from Oven No. 1-10 during the period that the incorrect readings were recorded.

FQC Inspection Report P5660025 was generated during the NRC Inspection which corrected the daily checklists to reflect the actual oven temperatures. The individual Rod Station attendant and Construction Supervisor have been advised of the discrepancies and reinstructed in job responsibilities.

Corrective Steps Which Will Be Taken To Avoid Further Violations

A specific Construction Supervisor has been assigned the responsibility to review and sign all Construction Completion Checklists generated by the Rod Station attendants to preclude similar errors from occurring in the future.

Date When Full Compliance Was Achieved

Full compliance was achieved by April 10, 1985.

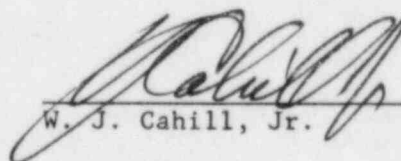
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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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PARISH OF WEST FELICIANA	§	
In the Matter of	§	Docket Nos. 50-458
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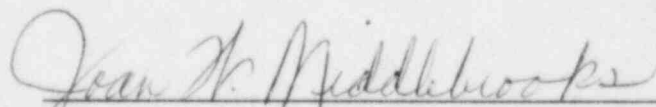
(River Bend Station,
Unit 1)

AFFIDAVIT

W. J. Cahill, Jr., being duly sworn, states that he is a Vice President of Gulf States Utilities Company; that he is authorized on the part of said Company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the documents attached hereto; and that all such documents are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.


W. J. Cahill, Jr.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and Parish above named, this 17 day of April, 1985.


Joan W. Middlebrooks
Notary Public in and for
West Feliciana Parish,
Louisiana

My Commission is for Life.