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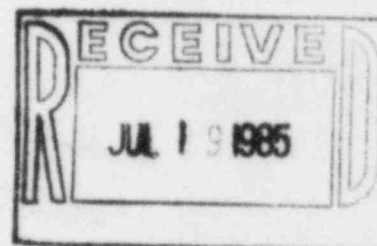
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Mr. Robert D. Martin, Regional Administrator  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Region IV  
611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 1000  
Arlington, Texas 76011

Dear Mr. Martin:

River Bend Station - Unit 1  
Docket No. 50-458  
Final Report/DR-306



Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) has completed its evaluation of DR-306 concerning linear indications found on the washer face of anchor nuts supplied by ITT Phillips. Based on physical testing, the worst-case load needed to separate the nut cross section exceeds the expansion anchor maximum pullout load. Since the anchors would perform their intended safety function, GSU has determined this condition is not reportable under 10CFR50.55(e).

Sincerely,

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