

August 1, 1985

PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION OF EVENT OR UNUSUAL OCCURRENCE -- PNO-IV-85-38

This preliminary notification constitutes EARLY notice of events of POSSIBLE safety or public interest significance. The information is as initially received without verification or evaluation, and is basically all that is known by NRC staff on this date.

FACILITY: River Bend Station  
Gulf States Utilities  
Docket 50-458  
St. Francisville, Louisiana

Licensee Emergency Classification:  
☐ Notification of Unusual Event  
☐ Alert  
☐ Site Area Emergency  
☐ General Emergency  
☒ Not Applicable

SUBJECT: DETECTION OF CONCEALED WEAPON

On August 1, 1985, a contractor employee attempted to enter the site protected area with a handgun in her purse. The handgun was detected by normal security entrance controls. The contractor employee stated that the gun was for her personal protection while offsite. The licensee guard force denied site access, and the contractor employee was discharged.

The NRC does not plan to issue a press release but will respond to any media inquiries.

The state of Louisiana was not notified.

This information is current as of 4:00 p.m., August 1, 1985.

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