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Monthly Operating Report

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

In accordance with River Bend Station Technical Specification 5.6.4, enclosed is the Monthly Operating Report for December 1999.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rick J. King".

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OPERATING STATUS

- 1. REPORTING PERIOD:** December 1999
- 2. MAXIMUM DEPENDABLE CAPACITY (MWe-Net):** 936
- 3. DESIGN ELECTRICAL RATING (MWe-Net):** 936

	<u>MONTH</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>	<u>CUMULATIVE</u>
4. NUMBER OF HOURS REACTOR WAS CRITICAL	<u>744.0</u>	<u>6589.2</u>	<u>95299.6</u>
5. HOURS GENERATOR ON LINE	<u>744.0</u>	<u>6477.2</u>	<u>91847.4</u>
6. UNIT RESERVE SHUTDOWN HOURS	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
7. NET ELECTRICAL ENERGY GENERATED (MWH)	<u>707,820</u>	<u>5,704,780</u>	<u>80,428,095</u>

UNIT SHUTDOWNS

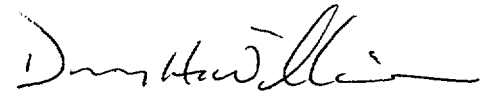
<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>DURATION</u>	<u>SHUTDOWN METHOD</u>	<u>REASON</u>	<u>CAUSE / CORRECTIVE ACTIONS</u>
none						

LEGEND:

TYPE:	F - Forced S - Scheduled	SHUTDOWN METHOD:	1 - Manual 2 - Manual trip/scram 3 - Automatic trip/scram 4 - Continuation 5 - Other (explain)	REASON:	A - Equipment failure (explain) B - Maintenance or Test C - Refueling D - Regulatory restriction E - Operator training / License exam F - Administrative G - Operational error (explain) H - Other (explain)
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NOTES:

1. No challenges to the reactor safety-relief valves occurred in December.



Danny H. Williamson