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Mr. James A. Hutton
Director - Licensing
PECO Nuclear
200 Exelon Way
Kennett Square, PA 19348

RE: Relicensing of Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Unites 2 and Cecil and Harford Counties, Maryland (Section 106 Review - NRC)

Dear Mr. Hutton:

Thank you for your 9 August 2000 letter which the Maryland Historical Trust received on 21 August 2000 regarding the proposed license renewal of the Peach Bottom facility. Trust staff have reviewed your letter and the enclosed USGS quadrangles, and below are our comments.

Archeology: Because of the prior disturbance in the project area, the Trust concurs that no archeological resources are likely to be impacted and no additional investigations are warranted.

Architecture: Based on a review of our inventory maps and forms, the Trust is of the opinion that no additional architectural investigations will be necessary in order for PECO to complete its license renewal application.

Effect Determination: It is therefore the opinion of the Maryland Historical Trust that the license renewal application will have no effect on historic properties eligible for or listed in National Register of Historic Places, including standing structures and archeological sites.

Thank you for providing us this opportunity to comment. Should you have any questions regarding the review of the project, please contact Ms. Anne Bruder (for structures) at 410-514-7636 or Dr. Gary Shaffer (for archeology) at 410-514-7638.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth J. Cole
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- cc: Ms. Rosetta O. Virgilio, NRC FPO ✓
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