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ATTACHMENT TO ANSWER SHEET

D7 If needed, clarify responses to questions about archeological identification and evaluation

Clarification to D1: Exelon Generating Company, LLC (Exelon), the licensee for the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station (Peach Bottom), submitted an application for license renewal on July 2, 2001. During the review of the application, the NRC was informed by the Delaware State Historic Preservation Office of a potentially historic site in the Delaware portion of the Peach Bottom-to-Keeny transmission line corridor, specifically the degraded portion of the Chesapeake and Delaware Feeder Canal. During its review, the NRC determined that this site was not within the area of potential effect (APE), and further determined that if the APE were extended to include the site, the proposed undertaking (license renewal) would have no effect on the feeder canal.

ATTACHMENT

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR'S REPORT TO CONGRESS

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ON FEDERAL ARCHEOLOGICAL ACTIVITIES
GSA Control Number: 0236-DOI-AN

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ANSWER SHEET: Questionnaire on Fiscal Year 2002 Activities

<i>Quantitative Data</i>			<i>Attached Material</i>
	H4 <u>0</u>	L8 _____	
B1 <u>0</u>	H5 <u>0</u>	L9 _____	Narrative Responses (check if present):
B2 <u>\$ 0</u>	I1 <u>\$ 0</u>	L10 _____	A1 ___
B3 <u>0</u>	I2 <u>\$ 0</u>	L11 _____	B5 ___
B4 <u>\$ 0</u>	Land-managing agencies only, Sections J-L	L12 _____	B6 ___
C1 <u>0</u>	J1 _____	L13 _____	D7 <u>X</u>
D1 <u>1</u>	J2 _____	L14 \$ _____	E3 ___
D2 <u>0</u>	J3 _____	L15 \$ _____	F3 ___
D3 <u>0</u>	J4 _____	L16 \$ _____	H6 ___
D4 <u>0</u>	J5 _____	L17 \$ _____	H7 ___
D5 <u>0</u>	K1 _____	L18 \$ _____	H8 ___
D6 <u>0</u>	K2 _____	L19 \$ _____	I3 ___
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E2 <u>0</u>	L1 _____		K4 ___
F1 <u>0</u>	L2 _____		L20 ___
F2 <u>0</u>	L3 _____		L21 ___
G1 <u>0</u>	L4 _____		LOOT form(s) included: <u>NA</u> #___
H1 <u>0</u>	L5 _____		Computer disk accompanying: <u>0</u>
H2 <u>0</u> %	L6 _____		Photographs accompanying: <u>0</u>
H3 <u>0</u>	L7 _____		Other materials accompanying: <u>0</u>