

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission Bureau for Historic Preservation

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Rocco R. Sgarro PPL Bell Bend, LLC 38 Bomboy Lane, Suite 2 Berwick, PA 18603

10 EXPEDITE REVIEW USE BHP REFERENCE NUMBER

Re:

ER# 81-0658-079-T

Scope of Work Proposal for Phase II

Archaeological Evaluations and Assessment of Effects to Historic Resources, Bell Bend Nuclear Power Plant, Salem Township, Luzerne County,

Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Sgarro:

The Bureau for Historic Preservation (the State Historic Preservation Office) has reviewed the above named project in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended in 1980 and 1992, and the regulations (36 CFR Part 800) of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation as revised in 1999 and 2004. These regulations require consideration of the project's potential effect upon both historic and archaeological resources.

We agree with the proposed scope of work for both the archaeological and historic structures investigations. We look forward to consulting further with you in this matter.

If you need further information in this matter please consult Steven McDougal at (717) 772-0923.

Sincerely.

Douglas C. McLearen, Chief

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