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**BELL BEND NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
ENVIRONMENTAL REQUESTS FOR  
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
EXTENSION REQUEST  
BNP-2009-269      Docket No. 52-039**

Reference: Letter from R.R. Sgarro (PPL) to U.S. NRC Document Control Desk,  
"Response to Environmental Requests for Additional Information, Third  
Submittal," dated September 11, 2009

The purpose of this letter is to confirm a communication between the undersigned and the NRC Environmental Project Manager for Bell Bend Nuclear Power Plant that PPL requires additional time to finalize responses to the RAIs slated for submittal on September 15, 2009, as indicated in Enclosure 1 of the referenced letter. Responses to the items indicated will be provided to the NRC by September 17, 2009.

There are no regulatory commitments identified in this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at 570-802-8102.

Respectfully,

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