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Mr. Bruner,

I just wanted to reiterate what was discussed during our phone call regarding the construction of Progress Energy Florida's Nuclear Power Plant in Levy County, Florida. At this point, the Tribe's main concern is where the transmission lines will be placed and who will be responsible for overseeing the associated undertaking(s). As I understand, the APE's have not been finalized for the transmission lines. Due to the presence of documented cultural resources in the area, a Phase I archaeological survey needs to be conducted throughout the project corridor. The STOF-THPO requests to review those survey results before making a final comment on possible effects to cultural resources. I would greatly appreciate if you could get back to me regarding this matter. For your convenience, I have also included a copy of the Tribe's position letter regarding this project (file # 006606).

Additionally, I have attached the initial correspondence letter from the STOF-THPO to the ACOE, dated 16 August 2010, requesting a Phase I survey of the finalized transmission line corridors. The current position stated in the attached letter is still the official position of the STOF-THPO until further culture resource assessment surveys can be reviewed. Due to the potentially adverse impacts to culturally sensitive sites, the STOF-THPO reiterates the importance of a Phase I survey for the proposed transmission lines. I appreciate your willingness to hear the Tribe's concerns regarding this proposal. If there is anything I can do to assist you with this issue, don't hesitate to contact me.

Thank You,

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August 16, 2010

Subject: Assessment of Effects for the Proposed Construction of the Levy Nuclear Plant in Various Counties, Florida

Dear Mr. Hambrick,

The Seminole Tribe of Florida's Tribal Historic Preservation Office (STOF-THPO) has received the Corps of Engineers project notification for the aforementioned project. Due to the fact that the project area is within the geographic area considered by the Seminole Tribe of Florida to be ancestral, aboriginal, or ceded (NHPA 1966, Section b1, and 36 CFR, Section 800.2), the STOF-THPO would like to request a Phase I archaeological survey of the Levy Nuclear Plant site for review. Additionally, the STOF-THPO would like to review the future cultural resource survey of the finalized transmission line corridors prior to making any further comment. We thank you for the notification of this proposed project. Please reference **THPO-006606** in any future documentation about this project.

Sincerely,

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