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**BELL BEND NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
SCHEDULE INFORMATION FOR RAI No. 93
QUESTION 02.03.01-2, FSAR CHAPTER 2
BNP-2011-084 Docket No. 52-039**

- References:
- 1) M. Canova (NRC) to R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC), Bell Bend COLA – Request for Information – Final Letter Nos. No. 93 and 94 (RAI Nos. 93 and 94) – NSIR-LIB 4443, 4445, e-mail dated April 8, 2010
 - 2) R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC) to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, BNP-2011-034, “Partial Response and Schedule Information for RAI No. 84, FSAR Chapter 9, and Schedule Information for RAI No. 93, FSAR Chapter 2” dated January 31, 2011

The purpose of this letter is to provide schedule information for the request for additional information (RAI) No. 93 Question 02.03.01-2 identified in NRC correspondence to PPL Bell Bend, LLC (PPL) (Reference 1). This RAI addresses Regional Climatology as discussed in Chapter 2 of the Final Safety Analysis Report (FSAR) and submitted in Part 2 of the Bell Bend Nuclear Power Plant (BBNPP) Combined License Application (COLA).

Reference 2 identified that additional time would be required to provide a response to RAI No. 93 Question 02.03.01-2 based on work being performed on the U.S. Evolutionary Power Reactor (U.S. EPR) FSAR by AREVA related to the Ultimate Heat Sink (UHS) and that our response submittal would be provided by May 6, 2011. The work needed to address this question will not be completed by this date. The U.S. EPR FSAR UHS discussion was modified by AREVA in U.S. EPR FSAR Revision 2 and the site-specific meteorological data will be relocated to the FSAR 9.2.5 discussion of the Ultimate Heat Sink with an appropriate reference in FSAR 2.3.1. The information requested in RAI 93 Question 02.03.01-2 will be included in the BBNPP FSAR 9.2.5 supplement that is the result of the BBNPP site footprint relocation. PPL will submit a response for BBNPP RAI No. 93 Question 02.03.01-2 by February 1, 2012.

The only new regulatory commitment in this letter is to provide a response for RAI No. 93 Question 02.03.01-2 by February 1, 2012.

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Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact the undersigned at 570.802.8102.

Respectfully,

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