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**BELL BEND NUCLEAR POWER PLANT** SCHEDULE INFORMATION FOR RAI No. 97. **FSAR CHAPTER 3** BNP-2011-167 **Docket No. 52-039** 

References:

1) M. Canova (NRC) to R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC), Bell Bend COLA -Final Request for Information No. 97 (RAI No. 97) - SEB1 4671, e-mail dated August 16, 2010

2) R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC) to U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, BNP-2011-119, "Schedule Information for RAI No. 97", dated June 9, 2011

The purpose of this letter to provide schedule information for the request for additional information (RAI) identified in NRC correspondence to PPL Bell Bend, LLC (PPL) (Reference 1). This RAI addresses Tornado Loads as discussed in Chapter 3 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 PPL would provide a schedule for BBNPP RAI No. 97 response by September 1, 2011.

The project schedule is presently being evaluated. Based on the current evolution of the project schedule, PPL will provide a schedule for BBNPP RAI No. 97 response by November 16, 2011.

The only new regulatory commitment in this letter is to submit the schedule for the response to RAI No. 97 by November 16, 2011.

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

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on September 1, 2011

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Respectfully

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