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BELL BEND NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
REVISED SCHEDULE INFORMATION FOR
RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION
BNP-2014-024
Docket No. 52-039

- References: 1) BNP-2013-128, R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC) to U.S. NRC, "Updated Schedule Information for Responses to Requests for Additional Information" dated September 26, 2013
 - 2) BNP-2013-144, R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC) to U.S. NRC, "Schedule Information for RAI No. 127" dated October 31, 2013
 - 3) BNP-2014-005, R. R. Sgarro (PPL Bell Bend, LLC) to U.S. NRC, "Interim Safety Review Guidance" dated January 9, 2014

The purpose of this letter is to clarify the current status of the schedule information provided in References 1 and 2 for Requests for Additional Information (RAIs) related to the safety review of the Bell Bend Nuclear Power Plant (BBNPP) Combined License Application (COLA).

In Reference 3, PPL Bell Bend, LLC (PPL) requested that the NRC withhold further review of certain Parts of the BBNPP COLA due to delays in the progress of the U.S. EPR Design Certification, and that PPL currently anticipates resumption of the review of those Parts in late 2015. At that time, PPL will provide the NRC updated schedule information for providing the responses to all outstanding safety RAIs.

PPL will work with the NRC to ensure sufficient notice is provided to allow for resource planning.

Should you have questions, please contact the undersigned at 610.774.7552.

Respectfully,

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