Advisory Council On Historic Preservation 1522 K Street N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005

MEMORANDUM OF AGREENENT

WHEREAS, the Houston Lighting and Power Company has applied to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission for a permit to construct the Allens Creek Nuclear Generating Station, Units One and Two; and

WHEREAS, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, in consultation with the Texas Historic Preservation Officer, has determined that this undertaking as proposed would have an adverse effect upon the Earnest Witte Site (41AU36), Austin County, Texas, a property included in the National Register of Historic Places; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission has requested the comments of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the procedures of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation (36 C.F.R. Part 800), representatives of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Texas Historic Preservation Officer have consulted and reviewed the undertaking to consider feasible and prudent alternatives to avoid or satisfactorily mitigate the adverse effect; now

THEREFORE :

It is mutually agreed that implementation of the undertaking, in accordance with the attached "Nitigation provisions for the Earnest Witte Archeological Site (41AU36)" will satisfactorily mitigate any adverse effect on the above-mentioned property.

Robert R. Garvey, Jr., Executive Director Advisory Council on Historic J Preservation

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