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EXHIBIT Z. LA SHPO LETTER

April 6, 2011

Scott Byrd Director of Economic Development Pointe Coupee Economic Development Endeavor P.O. Box 555 New Roads, LA 70760

Re: Pointe Coupee Port Certified Site

Dear Mr. Byrd:

This is in response to your letter dated February 25, 2011, regarding the above referenced project. This property is located in an area considered by our office to be of moderate to high probability for cultural deposits. Therefore, due to the size and potential scope of work for the proposed project, our office is recommending that a Phase I archaeological survey be conducted prior to construction. I have enclosed a list of contracting archaeologists for your reference.

If you have any questions concerning these comments, please contact Rachel Watson in the Division of Archaeology at (25) 342-8165.

Sincerely,

Pam Breaux

State Historic Preservation Officer

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Enclosure