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December 4, 2007

Ms. Jessica J. Rury  
Aquaterra Engineering, Inc.  
P.O. Box 82160  
Baton Rouge, LA 70884

Re: Proposed Development ± 1188 Acre Property  
Point Houmas  
Ascension Parish, Louisiana

Dear Ms. Rury:

This is in response to your letter dated October 29, 2007, concerning the above-referenced project. Given that our office does not know the exact nature of the proposed development, it is not possible to offer a specific effect determination. However, given that approximately 1,188 acres are included in the Area of Potential Effect and our records indicate that the area has not been surveyed for historic properties, it is the recommendation of this office that a Phase I Cultural Resources Survey be conducted. We have included a copy of our Contracting Archaeologists list for your use.

Furthermore, our office cannot offer comments about Indian religious sites. You need to contact the individual tribes for this information. I have also included a Tribal Contacts list. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Rachel Watson in the Division of Archaeology at (225) 342-8170.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pam Breau".

Pam Breau  
State Historic Preservation Officer

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Encl: as stated