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February 16, 2016

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Dear Mr. Sutterfield:

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) has reviewed the information supplied in your letter dated February 9, 2016, regarding the proposed construction of four poultry houses for Kori Kildow near the city of Pocahontas, Randolph County, Arkansas. Our comments are submitted in accordance with the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA; 87 Stat. 884, as amended 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) and Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668-668d).

The Service concurs with your determination that the proposed project may affect, but is not likely to adversely affect the Pink Mucket (*Lampsilis abrupta*), Indiana Bat (*Myotis sodalis*), Pondberry (*Lindera melissifolia*), Scaleshell (*Leptodea leptodon*), Rabbitsfoot (*Quadrula cylindrica cylindrica*), Snuffbox (*Epioblasma triquetra*), Curtis Pearlymussel (*Epioblasma florentina curtisi*), Ozark Hellbender (*Cryptobranchus alleganiensis bishopi*), and the Northern Long-eared Bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*).

Please be aware Bald Eagle is not protected under the ESA. Bald Eagles are protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668 et seq.).

We appreciate your interest in the conservation of endangered species. If you have any questions, please contact the Arkansas Ecological Services Staff at (501) 513-4487.

Sincerely,

Melvin Tobin
Project Leader



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EXHIBIT "A"

IN RANDOLPH COUNTY, ARKANSAS

Part of the E½ of the NE¼; Part of the NE¼ of the SE¼ of Section 8, Township 20 North, Range 1 West AND Part of the NW¼ of the SW¼ lying South of the South Fork of Hurricane Creek; Part of the SW¼ of the SW¼ of Section 9, Township 20 North, Range 1 West, Randolph County, Arkansas, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of said SW¼ SW¼ of Section 9; thence North 00° 54' 28" East along the West line thereof, 1322.70 feet; thence North 88° 51' 15" West along the South line of said NE¼ SE¼ Section 8, 1314.65 feet; thence North 00° 51' 10" East along the West line of said NE¼ SE¼ 1321.21 feet; thence North 00° 51' 06" East along the West line of said E½ of the NE¼, 2642.42 feet; thence South 89° 03' 00" East along the North line of said E½ NE¼ 33.00 feet; thence South 00° 51' 06" West parallel with the West line of said E½ NE¼, 1768.69 feet; thence South 89° 03' 00" East parallel with the North line of said E½ NE¼ 1283.76 feet; thence South 00° 54' 28" West along the East line of said E½ NE¼ of Section 8, 876.72 feet; thence South 00° 55' 34" West along the East line of said NE¼ SE¼, 312.24 feet; thence Southwesterly along the centerline of Hurricane Creek ±1231 feet more or less to a fork; thence Northeasterly along the centerline of South Fork Hurricane Creek ±2263 feet more or less; thence leaving said creek South 00° 51' 50" West along the East line of said NW¼ SW¼ of Section 9, 129.15 feet; thence North 89° 43' 51" West along the North line of said SW¼ SW¼ 444.55 feet; thence South 00° 51' 50" West 1322.61 feet; thence North 89° 44' 11" West along the South line of said SW¼ SW¼ of Section 9, 900.54 feet to the point of beginning.