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July 20, 2015

Marvin Sutterfield
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Dear Mr. Sutterfield:

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) has reviewed the information supplied in your letter dated July 16, 2015, regarding the proposed construction of four broiler houses for OMP Farms owned by David Finley near the city of Evening Shade, Izard County, Arkansas. Our comments are submitted in accordance with the Endangered Species Act (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 construction may affect, but is not likely to adversely affect the Scaleshell (*Leptodea leptodon*), Gray Bat (*Myotis grisescens*), Indiana Bat (*Myotis sodalis*), Missouri Bladderpod (*Physaria filiformis*), Rabbitsfoot (*Quadrula cylindrica cylindrica*), Scaleshell (*Leptodea leptodon*), Pink Mucket (*Lampsilis abrupta*), or 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.). The service concurs the proposed project will not affect Bald Eagles.

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



Zion, AR 72536

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All that part of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 28, that lies North and West of County Road #61, and all that part of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Section 29, lying North and East of the Taff Cornellius County road and East of Finley Drive. All in Township 17 North, Range 7 West.