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SUBJECT: Notifies that except for occasional transient species, no federally listed or proposed threatened or endangered species exist in project impact area, in response to 820902 request. Federal list of endangered species encl.

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September 28, 1982

Mr. D.M. Crutchfield
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Dear Mr. Crutchfield:

This responds to your September 2, 1982 letter to the Regional Director, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service requesting information on the presence of any endangered or threatened species in the vicinity of the Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation's R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant located in the Town of Ontario, New York. Your request was forwarded to me for a response as the Regional Director has delegated informal section 7 Endangered Species Consultation responsibilities to the Division of Ecological Services's Field Supervisors. Any future request you may have should be directed to Paul P. Hamilton, Field Supervisor, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, 100 Grange Place, Room 202, Cortland, New York 13045. Information on the presence of federally listed or proposed endangered or threatened species within the R.E. Ginna Nuclear Power Plant project area is hereby provided.

Except for occasional transient species, no federally listed or proposed threatened or endangered species under our jurisdiction are known to exist in the project impact area. Therefore, no Biological Assessment or further Section 7 consultation under the Endangered Species Act (87 Stat. 884, as amended; 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) is required with the Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS). Should project plans change, or if additional information on listed or proposed species becomes available, this determination may be reconsidered. A compilation of federally listed endangered and threatened species in New York is enclosed for your information.

This response relates only to endangered species under our jurisdiction. It does not address other FWS concerns under the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act or other legislation.

Sincerely yours,

Paul P. Hamilton
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Field Supervisor

Enclosure

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FEDERALLY LISTED ENDANGERED AND THREATENED SPECIES
IN NEW YORK

Common Name	Scientific Name	Status	Distribution
<u>FISHES:</u>			
Cisco, longjaw	<u>Coregonus alpenae</u>	E	Lake Erie-probably extinct
Pike, blue	<u>Stizostedion vitreum</u> <u>glaucum</u>	E	Deep water of Lake Erie & Lake Ontario - probably extinct
Sturgeon, shortnose*	<u>Acipenser brevirostrum</u>	E	Hudson River and other Atlantic Coastal rivers
<u>REPTILES:</u>			
Turtle, green*	<u>Chelonia mydas</u>	T	Oceanic summer visitor coastal waters
Turtle, hawksbill*	<u>Eretmochelys imbricata</u>	E	Oceanic summer visitor coastal waters
Turtle, leatherback*	<u>Dermochelys coriacea</u>	E	Oceanic summer resident coastal waters
Turtle, loggerhead*	<u>Caretta caretta</u>	T	Oceanic summer resident coastal waters
Turtle, Atlantic ridley*	<u>Lepidochelys kempii</u>	E	Oceanic summer resident coastal waters
<u>BIRDS:</u>			
Eagle, bald	<u>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</u>	E	Entire state
Falcon, American peregrine	<u>Falco peregrinus anatum</u>	E	Entire state - re-establishment to former breeding range in progress
Falcon, Arctic	<u>Falco peregrinus tundrius</u>	E	Entire state migratory - no nesting
<u>MAMMALS:</u>			
Bat, Indiana	<u>Myotis sodalis</u>	E	Entire state
Cougar, eastern	<u>Felis concolor cougar</u>	E	Entire state - probably extinct
Whale, blue*	<u>Balaenoptera musculus</u>	E	Oceanic
Whale, finback*	<u>Balaenoptera physalus</u>	E	Oceanic
Whale, humpback*	<u>Megaptera novaeangliae</u>	E	Oceanic
Whale, right*	<u>Eubalaena spp. (all species)</u>	E	Oceanic
Whale, sei*	<u>Balaenoptera borealis</u>	E	Oceanic
Whale, sperm*	<u>Physeter catodon</u>	E	Oceanic

* Except for sea turtle nesting habitat, principal responsibility for these species is vested with the National Marine Fisheries Service.

FEDERALLY LISTED ENDANGERED AND THREATENED SPECIES
IN NEW YORK (Cont'd)

Common Name	Scientific Name	Status	Distribution
<u>MOLLUSKS:</u>			
Snail, chittenango ovate amber	<u>Succinea ovalis</u> <u>chittenangoensis</u>	T	Madison County
<u>PLANTS:</u>			
Monkshood, northern wild	<u>Aconitum noveboracense</u>	T	Ulster County

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