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Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
Mail Code: DTCA, HL 21.3  
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Washington, DC 20426

Dear Secretary Salas:

According to the approved Cultural Resource Management Plan for the Escanaba Hydroelectric Project (FERC Project No. 2506), the Historic Resource Management Plans for the Cataract, (FERC Project No. 10854), Prickett (FERC Project No. 2402), Bond Falls (FERC Project No. 1864) and Au Train (FERC Project No. 10856) Hydroelectric Projects and the Historic Properties Management Plan for the Dead River Hydroelectric Project (FERC Project No. 10855), Upper Peninsula Power Company (UPPCO) is submitting this annual report outlining all of the archaeological activities for 2005.

The completed survey work for 2005 was associated with anticipated ground-disturbing activities (See Appendix 1). UPPCO is still awaiting final reports for some of the survey work. Preliminary reports for this work are enclosed. The final reports will be included in the 2006 annual report.

UPPCO also completed the required review for disturbance to archaeological sites on the Escanaba River Hydroelectric Project as part of the annual exotic species monitoring surveys on August 4, 2005. No impacts were identified.

For the year 2006, UPPCO anticipates the completion of some additional archaeological survey at the Bond Falls Development (part of the Bond Falls Hydroelectric Project). According to the approved Historic Resource Management Plan for the Bond Falls Hydroelectric Project, UPPCO will complete a shoreline erosion survey for archaeological resources.

UPPCO does not at this time anticipate completion of any additional survey work at any of the other hydroelectric projects, but will most-likely need to survey areas as a result of ground-disturbing activities under normal operation.

Should you have any questions relative to this material, please contact Shawn Puzen at (920) 433-1094 at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

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