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## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE OF COASTAL RESTORATION AND MANAGEMENT

October 2, 2007

Linda G. Mathies Chief, Environmental Function U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, New Orleans District P. O. Box 60267 New Orleans, Louisiana 70160-0267

RE: C20070432, Coastal Zone Consistency

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, New Orleans District

Direct Federal Action

10 YR Consistency Determination for Saltwater Barrier Sill 2008 - 2018, Plaquemines

Parish, Louisiana

Dear Ms. Mathies:

The above referenced project has been reviewed for consistency with the approved Louisiana Coastal Resource Program (LCRP) as required by Section 307 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended. The project, as proposed in the application, is consistent with the LCRP. Please be aware that comments from the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (LDWF) suggest that the Pallid Sturgeon and its habitat could potentially be impacted by the proposed work. Coastal Management Division of the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources strongly encourages coordination with LDWF and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to minimize any impacts. If you have any questions concerning this determination please contact Agaha Brass of the Consistency Section at (225) 342-9425.

Sincerely yours,

Jim Rives Administrator

Attachment JR/JH/ayb

cc: Venise Ortego, LDWF

Albertine Kimble, Plaquemines Parish

Michelle Ulm, COE-NOD