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**NDSHPO REF. : 06-0088rr PSC/ Department of State/ENSR
TransCanada Keystone Pipeline: Addendum 15: Class I, II, and III CRI,
National Register Eligibility Determination and Determination of Effect for
Site 32WA260**

Chester E. Nelson, Jr.
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Dear Elizabeth:

A. Ruric Todd III
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We have received and reviewed 06-0088rr DOS correspondence and Attachment A of June 23 for **TransCanada Keystone Pipeline**: "Addendum 15 to Keystone Project: Class I, II, and III Cultural Resource Investigations in Eastern North Dakota: Kratochvil 2/Bina Reroute" by Ed Stine, Andrea Kulevsky, and Damien Rhinehart (Metcalf Archaeological Consultants, June 2008) and find it acceptable. We concur with the scope of identification efforts undertaken in the TransCanada Keystone project APE, as reported. Also, we concur with "**No Historic Properties Affected**" and "**No Significant Sites Affected**" determinations provided the protective fencing is used to avoid 32WA260 as stipulated (Attachment A). Thank you and we look forward to further consultation and to further review of outstanding documents regarding the project. If you have questions please contact either Paul Picha at (701) 328-3574 or Susan Quinnell at (701) 328-3576.

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Sincerely,

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**Letter - Concurrence No Historic Sites Affected -
Addendum 15, Class I,II and III CRI**

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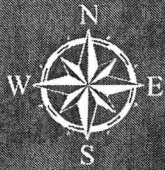
Director, State Historical Society of North Dakota
enc. Attachment A as stated

✓ c: Susan E. Wefald, President, Commissioner, PSC (with Attachment A)

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Attachment A: DOS Determinations of Eligibility & Project Effect					
Project Item	Site	Site Type	NRHP Eligibility (Applicant Recommendation/DOS finding)	Anticipated Action by Keystone	Project Effect
Kratochvil 2/Bina Reroute	32WA260	Historic foundation	Not Eligible/Unevaluated	Protective fencing on construction sides	No historic properties affected

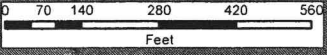
NRHP = National Register of Historic Places



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Safety Fence to be installed along north side of construction corridor for site AMA5ANDWA01

 REROUTE
 ORIGINAL CENTERLINE
 EXTRA WORK SPACE
 SAFETY FENCE



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 AMA5ANDWA01

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 Cultural Site Drawings - ND

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