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Paul F. Sagristano
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RE: EM-SPRINT-099-190417 - Sprint Spectrum LP notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 59 Youngs Apple Orchard Road, North Branford, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Sagristano:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on April 17, 2019.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in the Construction Drawing (CD) last revised March 22, 2019, and prepared by Infinigy. The above-referenced document refers to the 2012 International Building Code (IBC); however, the 2018 CSBC which incorporates the 2015 IBC with amendments, became effective on October 1, 2018, and should be applied to this project.

Also, the above referenced request for exempt modification lacks proof that, the entire request for exempt modification was physically mailed to the underlying property owner, listed in the property card provided with the request as Southern New England Telephone Company.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Cherundolo Consulting provide proof of proper notice of this exempt modification request to the correct underlying property owner, and an updated CD that references the 2018 CSBC, on or before May 19, 2019. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to May 19, 2019. Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the CD for the incomplete request to be rendered complete and processed.

This notice of incompleteness shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Sincerely,

[Handwritten signature of Melanie Bachman]

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

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- The Honorable Michael J. Doody, Mayor, Town of North Branford
Michael T. Paulhus, Town Manager, Town of North Branford
Carey Duques, Town Planner, Town of North Branford

