

**Affidavit**

State of Connecticut)
) ss: Groton
City of Groton )

I, Randall Surprenant, being duly sworn, deposes and states that:

- 1. I am over the age of eighteen and understand the obligation of making a statement under oath.
2. My name is Randall Surprenant and I am the Manager of Electric Engineering for Groton Utilities.
3. I submit this affidavit in support of Groton Utilities' Motion for Protective Order as it relates to the ISO-NE's Eastern Connecticut 2029 Needs Assessment.
4. The ECT is designated as CEII by ISO-NE and ISO-NE used its best efforts to maintain the ECT as CEII as the information, if disclosed, could reveal vulnerabilities to the Bulk Electric System.
5. To the best of my knowledge this information has not previously been disclosed or released to the public.
6. I have been advised by legal counsel that neither federal nor Connecticut law requires the information to be filed in the public record.

Handwritten signature of Randall Surprenant in blue ink.

Randall Surprenant
Manger, Electric Engineering
Groton Utilities

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 28 day of October 2020.

Handwritten signature of Notary Public in blue ink.
Notary Public
My Commission Expires

NOEMI LYNN WALENCEWICZ
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JAN. 31, 2025

