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RE: **PETITION NO. 1443** - SR North Stonington, LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 9.9-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on five parcels located north and south of Providence New London Turnpike (State Route 184), west of Boombridge Road and north of Interstate 95 in North Stonington, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

Dear Attorney Avena:

During a public meeting of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on April 8, 2021, the Council granted the Town of North Stonington's March 24, 2021 request for a public hearing on the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling. The Council will issue a hearing notice when a date is determined and copy the service list for this matter.

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176(e), within 60 days after receipt of a petition for a declaratory ruling, an administrative agency in writing shall: 1) issue a declaratory ruling; 2) order the matter for specified proceedings; 3) agree to issue a declaratory ruling by a specified date; 4) decide not to issue a declaratory ruling and initiate regulation-making proceedings on the subject; or 5) decide not to issue a declaratory ruling stating the reasons for the action.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

s/ Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

MAB/MP/lm

c: Service List, dated February 26, 2021