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To: Council on Environmental Quality, Environmental Monitor

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Subject: Memorandum of Findings and Determination - Student Recreation Center

University of Connecticut

Storrs, CT

The University of Connecticut placed the notice of scoping for the subject project in the Environmental Monitor on February 2, 2016. Public comments on the EIE were received from the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (CTDEEP), the Town of Mansfield, the Connecticut Department of Public Health (CTDPH), and a private citizen.

The Environmental Assessment Review report for the project is attached. The comments received were reviewed in conjunction with preparation of the Environmental Assessment Review and are addressed in an attachment thereto.

Based on the environmental assessment of the proposed Student Recreation Center and a review of comments received during the scoping process, the University of Connecticut concludes that the proposed action will have no significant impact on the environment and that preparation of an EIE under CEPA is not warranted.