Memo of Findings and Determination

To: Connecticut Council on Environmental Quality, Environmental Monitor

From: Joseph Salvatore, Connecticut Port Authority

Date: 7/25/17

Re: State Pier Complex Improvements, New London, CT

Attached please find the Environmental Assessment Checklist for the above referenced project. On May 16, 2017, the Department of Economic & Community Development upon the request of the Connecticut Port Authority published a Notice of Scoping in the Environmental Monitor to solicit public comments for the subject project. Scoping period ended on June 16, 2017.

Scoping comments were received from the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection. The issues/concerns raised by the State agency are explained in the attached Environmental Assessment Checklist. The Connecticut Port Authority has taken those comments into consideration and has concluded that the project does not require the preparation of an Environmental Impact Evaluation under CEPA.