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RE: **DOCKET NO. 509** – Homeland Towers, LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 1837 Ponus Ridge Road, New Canaan, Connecticut. **Request for Extension of Construction Time.**

Dear Attorney Chiocchio:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the request for an extension of construction time in the above-referenced matter dated April 3, 2024.

Pursuant to Condition No. 9 of the Certificate issued on December 8, 2022, the deadline for construction of the telecommunications facility is June 8, 2024. However, Condition No. 9 also indicates that the time between the filing and resolution of any appeals of the Council's Final Decision shall not be counted in calculating the deadline for construction.

As noted in the April 3, 2024 request, the resolution of the Buschmann appeal is pending in the New Britain Superior Court. Therefore, under Condition No. 9 of the December 8, 2022 Certificate, the deadline for construction of the telecommunications facility will be eighteen months after the date that the Buschmann appeal is resolved.

Thank you for your attention to this very important matter.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

MAB/RDM/lm

c: Service List dated September 23, 2022
The Honorable Dionna Carlson, First Selectperson, Town of New Canaan
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The Honorable Caroline Simmons, Mayor, City of Stamford
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