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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

December 8, 2023

TO: Service List, dated November 28, 2023

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Executive Director *MAB*

RE: **DOCKET NO. 516** – The United Illuminating Company (UI) application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Fairfield to Congress Railroad Transmission Line 115-kV Rebuild Project that consists of the relocation and rebuild of its existing 115- kilovolt (kV) electric transmission lines from the railroad catenary structures to new steel monopole structures and related modifications along approximately 7.3 miles of the Connecticut Department of Transportation’s Metro-North Railroad corridor between Structure B648S located east of Sasco Creek in Fairfield and UI’s Congress Street Substation in Bridgeport, and the rebuild of two existing 115-kV transmission lines along 0.23 mile of existing UI right-of-way to facilitate interconnection of the rebuilt 115-kV electric transmission lines at UI’s existing Ash Creek, Resco, Pequonnock and Congress Street Substations traversing the municipalities of Bridgeport and Fairfield, Connecticut.

Referencing the Connecticut Siting Council’s (Council) November 29, 2023 Continued Evidentiary Hearing Memorandum, please be advised that during the December 12, 2023 continued evidentiary hearing session, each of the 7 listed party/intervenor appearances¹ shall be allotted a total of **one hour** for cross examination by the other parties/intervenors to the proceeding and the Council.

Should any party/intervenor appearance for cross examination conclude earlier than the allotted one hour, the remaining time cannot be transferred and/or added to another party/intervenor appearance.

A copy of the Council’s November 29, 2023 Memorandum is available at the following link:
[DO516-20231129-continuationofevidentiaryonDec12th_dconmotions_final_a.pdf \(ct.gov\)](https://portal.ct.gov/csc/DO516-20231129-continuationofevidentiaryonDec12th_dconmotions_final_a.pdf).

If you have any questions about Council procedures, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Council office at 860-827-2935.

Thank you.

MAB/MP/laf

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¹ BWC’s appearance is limited to cross examination by the parties and intervenors and the Council on the new exhibits requested by UI during the October 17, 2023 evidentiary hearing session.