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RE: DOCKET NO. 518 – New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T and Tarpon Towers III, LLC application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 99 Dart Hill Road, South Windsor, Connecticut. **Council Request for Extension of Time to Render a Final Decision.**

Dear Attorneys Chiocchio, Patrick, Ball and Pires:

The current decision deadline for the above-mentioned application is January 19, 2024. Due to the timing of the public hearing in this matter, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) will need additional time to render a final decision.

Connecticut General Statutes §16-50p(a) states, in part, “The Council’s decision shall be rendered... Not later than one hundred eighty days after the filing of an application... provided the Council may extend such period by not more than one hundred eighty days with the consent of the applicant.”

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §16-50p(a), the Council hereby requests consent from the applicants for an extension of the decision deadline in Docket 518 until July 17, 2024. Please respond in writing by **January 5, 2024**.

The applicants’ consent to the requested extension of time shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 150-day tower siting timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 49 of the FCC Declaratory Ruling issued on November 18, 2009 (FCC WT Docket No. 08-165).

We thank you in advance for your timely response to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Melanie A. Bachman".

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Service List, dated August 22, 2023
Council Members