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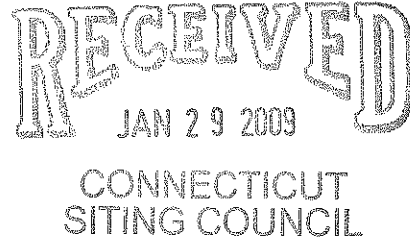
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January 29, 2009

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. S. Derek Phelps
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051



Re: Request for Intervenor Status in Docket No. 370

Dear Mr. Phelps:

I am writing on behalf of NRG Energy, Inc. to provide you with a Request for Intervenor Status in the proceedings relating to the Connecticut Light and Power Company's application for Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the above-referenced docket. An original and 25 copies are enclosed for your convenience.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Andrew W. Lord".

Andrew W. Lord

Enclosures

cc: Julie L. Friedberg, Esq.
Service List

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

The Connecticut Light and Power Company : Docket No. 370
Application for Certificates of Environmental :
Compatibility and Public Need for the Connecticut :
Valley Electric Transmission Reliability Projects :
Which consist of (1) The Connecticut portion of :
The Greater Springfield Reliability Project that :
Traverses the municipalities of Bloomfield, East :
Granby, and Suffield, or potentially including an :
alternate portion that traverses the municipalities of :
Suffield and Enfield, terminating at the North :
Bloomfield Substation; and (2) the Manchester :
Substation to Meekville Junction Circuit :
Separation Project in Manchester, Connecticut : January 29, 2009

REQUEST FOR INTERVENOR STATUS

To: Mr. S: Derek Phelps
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, Connecticut 06051

NRG Energy, Inc. ("NRG") hereby requests that the Connecticut Siting Council
("Siting Council") grant intervenor status to NRG in the above-captioned proceeding regarding
Docket No. 370. This request is made pursuant to Section 16-50n and Section 4-177a of the

Connecticut General Statutes and Section 16-50j-15a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

NRG owns, operates and develops electric generation facilities within the State of Connecticut. NRG will be substantially and specifically affected by the outcome of this proceeding because it will impact NRG's ability to develop generation alternatives to the transmission project being proposed by The Connecticut Light and Power Company ("CL&P") in this docket. Additionally, NRG has submitted comments on, and a response to, the Connecticut Energy Advisory Board's Reactive Request for Proposals Seeking Alternatives to CL&P's Proposed Greater Springfield Reliability Project and Manchester to Meekville Project.

NRG respectfully requests intervenor status in this proceeding in order to monitor its progress through the receipt of filings and notices from the Siting Council, the applicant and other parties and intervenors. As necessary, NRG will participate in hearings before the Siting Council by filing written testimony, conducting cross-examination and filing written comments.

NRG respectfully requests that copies of all correspondence relating to this docket be sent to:

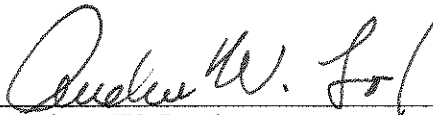
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