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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

December 27, 2019

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RE: **DOCKET NO. 424** - The Connecticut Light & Power Company Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Connecticut portion of the Interstate Reliability Project that traverses the municipalities of Lebanon, Columbia, Coventry, Mansfield, Chaplin, Hampton, Brooklyn, Pomfret, Killingly, Putnam, Thompson, and Windham, which consists of (a) new overhead 345-kV electric transmission lines and associated facilities extending between CL&P's Card Street Substation in the Town of Lebanon, Lake Road Switching Station in the Town of Killingly, and the Connecticut/Rhode Island border in the Town of Thompson; and (b) related additions at CL&P's existing Card Street Substation, Lake Road Switching Station, and Killingly Substation.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated December 17, 2019 regarding compliance with Condition No. 9 of the Council's Decision and Order of December 27, 2012 for the above-referenced project.

The Council acknowledges that the Decision and Order Condition 9 has been satisfied. This acknowledgment applies only to the Decision and Order condition satisfied by the December 17, 2019 correspondence. Any significant changes to the above-referenced project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Council Members



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December 17, 2019

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**RE: Docket No. 424: Interstate Reliability Project
Decision and Order Condition #9 – Third Year Operating Report**

Dear Melanie Bachman:

On December 27, 2012, in Docket 424, the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) granted a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (“Eversource”) Interstate Reliability Project. Condition #9 of the Council’s Decision & Order directed that Eversource “provide the Council an operating report within three months after the conclusion of the first year of operation of all facilities herein, and annually thereafter for a period of three years, with information relative to the condition, safety, reliability and operation of the transmission systems”.

In compliance with Condition #9 Eversource submits that the overall condition and safety of the 345-kV line and extending from Eversource’s Card Street Substation to the Connecticut/Rhode Island border and associated modifications at Card Street Substation, Lake Road Switching Station and Killingly Substation has been excellent. There have been no forced outages since the line went into service on December 18, 2015.

Should you or other Council members have any questions regarding this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me via e-mail at kathleen.shanley@eversource.com or telephone at (860) 728-4527.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathleen M. Shanley", written over a white background.

Kathleen M. Shanley