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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

June 22, 2021

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RE: **DOCKET 433 - UIL Holdings Corporation Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a 115/13.8 kilovolt substation located at 14 Old Stratford Road, Shelton, Connecticut. Revision to Development and Management Plan.**

Dear Ms. Hicks:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated June 17, 2021 regarding a revision to the Development and Management (D&M) Plan for the above-referenced project. The D&M Plan revision includes a modification to the landscape plan to remove all plantings within the Eversource Energy-owned electric transmission line right-of-way (ROW) adjacent to the northwest corner of The United Illuminating Company's Pootatuck Substation in order to meet updated ROW clearance specifications, address security concerns and to facilitate inspection and maintenance of an adjacent transmission line structure. The affected area is within and adjacent to the ROW between the substation access drive and the Pootatuck River.

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62(b), your request for approval of the modified landscape plan is hereby granted. This approval applies only to the revised landscape plan included with your June 17, 2021 submittal. Any significant changes to the D&M Plan require advance Council notification and approval.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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