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October 14, 2016

Lucia Chiocchio, Esq. Cuddy & Feder LLP 445 Hamilton Avenue, 14th Floor White Plains, NY 10601

RE: **DOCKET NO. 444** – New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at the FirstLight Hydro Generating Company property, Kent Road, New Milford, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Chiocchio:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the request for an extension of construction time in this docket dated October 7, 2016. Pursuant to Condition No. 7 of the Certificate dated May 29, 2014, the Council hereby grants a second one year extension of construction time in this docket until December 31, 2017, to complete the construction of this facility.

Pursuant to Condition No. 8 of the Certificate, any request for an extension to fully construct this telecommunications facility with at least one fully operational wireless telecommunications carrier shall be filed with the Council not later than 60 days prior to the expiration of this Certificate and shall be served on all parties and intervenors, as listed on the current service list and the Town.

This extension is granted with the understanding that the Council will be notified should the Certificate Holder decide not to proceed with construction.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Acting Executive Director

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Parties and Intervenors

David Gronbach, Mayor, Town of New Milford

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