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**RE: Florida Towers, LLC Application : DOCKET #458
for a Certificate of Environmental
Compatibility and Public Need
for a Telecommunications Facility Located :
at 62-64 Codfish Hill Road
Bethel, Connecticut**

Dear Ms. Bachman:

I am writing to comment on the proposed findings of fact, specifically Fact #134. The proposed finding which, while accurate regarding the statement made at the specific portion of the transcript cited, is misleading as to the position of CHET due to later testimony.

At Transcript page 62, following testimony from Mr. Libertine that a monopine would be indistinguishable from surrounding trees at distance, CHET expressed the preference for a monopine to give relief to those neighbors with close views, given the relatively minor impact at distance views.

Without clarification, FOF #134 erroneously suggests that after all the testimony CHET favors a monopine only if it does not project significantly above the treeline.

FOF #134 should more accurately read:

CHET favors a monopine configuration given testimony indicating a monopine would be nearly indistinguishable from natural trees at distant views, yet would give meaningful relief to those residences with close views. (Tr. pp. 20-22, 61-62)

Very truly yours,

Keith R. Ainsworth