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Mr. Robert Stein, Chairman Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

RE: Docket No. 466: Frost Bridge to Campville 115-kV Project

Request for Approval of Independent Environmental Inspector per Decision and Order

Condition No. 4

Dear Chairman Stein:

Pursuant to Condition No.4 of the Connecticut Siting Council's (Council's) Decision and Order, dated April 14, 2016, regarding the Frost Bridge to Campville 115-kV Project (Project), The Connecticut Light and Power Company, doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource), requested the Council's approval of TRC as the independent environmental inspector for the Project facilities. Along with the request, Eversource submitted information relative to TRC's corporate qualifications and the resumes of the environmental inspectors and key personnel that TRC proposes to assign to the Project. The Council approved TRC as the independent inspector at its Energy/Telecommunications Meeting held on October 13, 2016.

Subsequent to the Council's approval, one of the proposed TRC personnel has relocated. Please see the attached resume for Mr. Kevin O'Brien, who is proposed to replace Mr. Ryan Bane, and which has been submitted for the Council's approval.

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,

Kathleen M. Shanley

Manager, Transmission Siting

Enclosures

cc: Service List, with enclosures



KEVIN M. O'BRION

EDUCATION

B.S. 2009 - Environmental Science, Saint Anselm College M.S. 2012 - Environmental Science, University of Massachusetts Boston

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Mr. Kevin O'Brion has experience in the following areas:

- Construction Environmental Management and Compliance
 - o Environmental Compliance Site Inspections and Reporting
 - o Erosion and Sediment Control Methods and Implementation
- Federal/State/Local Environmental Permitting
 - Linear Utilities
 - Site Development
- Wetlands/Waterways
 - o Delineation
 - Mitigation Monitoring
 - Vernal Pool Surveys
 - Stream Ecology and Restoration
 - Aquatic Bioassessment
 - Stream Habitat Assessment

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

Mr. O'Brion is an Environmental Scientist with specialized experience in utility construction inspections and reporting to ensure compliance with environmental permit requirements, stormwater pollution prevention plan (SWPPP) inspections, wetlands and waterways delineation, vernal pool surveys, stream ecology studies, habitat assessments, and biomonitoring. He has spent a considerable amount of time in the field on construction sites establishing working relationships with contractors and regulatory agencies to ensure compliance while avoiding time and money costing delays that would have resulted from noncompliance. He also has extensive experience preparing environmental permit compliance matrices, supporting and preparing environmental permit applications, writing technical reports, and environmental data research. His Master's Thesis focused on the assessment of instream habitat and biomonitoring of fish and macroinvertebrates at the Eel River Headwaters Restoration Project in Plymouth, Massachusetts.

National Grid – Hampden County Reliability Project (HCRP), West Hampden, Hampden and Monson, MA (June 2012 – October 2014)

Mr. O'Brion performed construction monitoring and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) SWPPP inspections at the new West Hampden Substation from initial construction through restoration. He also performed environmental monitoring of geotechnical investigations as well as environmental compliance monitoring for access road construction on approximately 10 miles of transmission line ROW. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required in



wetlands and over streams, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of Best Management Practices (BMPs) and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

National Grid – Phase I Shieldwire Replacement Project, Brockton, Bridgewater, West Bridgewater and Whitman, MA (June 2015 through June 2016)

Mr. O'Brion performed weekly environmental compliance inspections and generated reports to the client and contractors for a 20-mile shieldwire replacement project in Brockton, Bridgewater, West Bridgewater and Whitman, Massachusetts. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required in wetlands and over streams, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of BMPs and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

National Grid – T20 Line Refurbishment Project, Spencer, Charlton and Douglas, MA (Summer 2015)

Mr. O'Brion performed weekly environmental compliance inspections and generated reports to the client and contractors for a 19-mile refurbishment project in Spencer, Charlton and Douglas, Massachusetts. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required in wetlands and over streams, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of BMPs and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

National Grid – Line 2284 Maintenance Project, Wrentham, MA (Spring 2014)

Mr. O'Brion performed weekly environmental compliance inspections and generated reports to the client and contractors for a three-mile refurbishment project in Wrentham, Massachusetts. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required in wetlands and over streams, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of BMPs and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

National Grid - Phillips Lane Substation Project, Hanover, MA (Summer 2014)

Mr. O'Brion performed weekly NPDES SWPPP inspections and generated reports to the client and contractors for a substation expansion project in Hanover, Massachusetts. Inspections included review of BMPs in stockpile areas relative to regulated resources, and documentation of site restoration.

National Grid – L1/M1 Shieldwire Replacement Project, West Bridgewater, MA (September 2016)

Mr. O'Brion performed weekly environmental compliance inspections and

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generated reports to the client and contractors for a 1.9-mile shieldwire replacement project in West Bridgewater, Massachusetts. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required in wetlands and over streams, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of BMPs and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

Algonquin Gas Transmission – G-6 Lateral Anomaly, Swansea, MA (September 2015)

Mr. O'Brion performed daily environmental compliance inspections and generated reports to the client and contractors for a natural gas transmission line anomaly repair project in Swansea, Massachusetts. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required within a small pond, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of BMPs and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

Algonquin Gas Transmission – Mainline Line Anomaly, Uxbridge, MA (September 2016)

Mr. O'Brion performed daily environmental compliance inspections and generated reports to the client and contractors for a natural gas transmission line anomaly repair project in Uxbridge, Massachusetts. Installation of temporary "swamp mats" were required within wetlands, in conjunction with erosion controls. Inspections included review of BMPs and access routes relative to regulated resources, and documentation of swamp mat placement, removal and restoration.

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