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December 19, 2018

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RE: **DOCKET NO. 474** - The Connecticut Light & Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Greater Hartford-Central Connecticut Reliability Project that traverses the municipalities of Hartford, West Hartford, and Newington, which consists of (a) construction, maintenance and operation of a new 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line within existing Eversource, Amtrak and public road rights-of-way and associated facilities extending overhead approximately 2.4 miles and underground approximately 1.3 miles between Eversource's existing Newington Substation in the Town of Newington and existing Southwest Hartford Substation in the City of Hartford; (b) modifications to a .01 mile section within existing Eversource right-of-way of the existing overhead 115-kV electric transmission line connection to the Newington Substation (Newington Tap); and (c) related modifications to Newington Substation and Southwest Hartford Substation. **D&M Plan Work Hours Extension.**

Dear Ms. Taylor:

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62 (b) and in response to your email of December 19, 2018, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Partial Development and Management (D&M) Plan to allow construction activities associated with the above project to be performed overnight from 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 19, 2018 through 7:00 a.m. on Thursday, December 20, 2018 in the vicinity of a vault location on Eversource property adjacent to Avery Road, Newington. The overnight work hours are necessary to support dewatering of a vault located in a high water table area. A low-decibel generator will be used for the dewatering process. Noise levels at the nearest abutters are expected to comply with the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection noise standards.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of December 19, 2018. Any additional changes to the Partial D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the Partial D&M Plan on August 31, 2018. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.



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Sincerely,



Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

MB/MP

- c: Parties and Intervenors
 - The Honorable Roy Zartarian, Mayor, Town of Newington
 - Tanya Lane, Town Manager, Town of Newington
 - Craig Minor, Town Planner, Town of Newington

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From: Taylor, Helen M <helen.taylor@eversource.com>
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Subject: Docket No. 474: Overnight Work Hours for 12/19

Docket No. 474: Greater Hartford-Central Connecticut Reliability Project (GHCCRP)
Development and Management Plan Change Notice Request - Overnight Work Hours

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Eversource hereby requests Connecticut Siting Council staff approval of a Development and Management (D&M) Plan Change for extended work hours pursuant to Section A.2 of the GHCCRP D&M Plan - Volume 2. The requested overnight work hours (7 PM to 7 AM) on December 19 through December 20 is to support dewatering of the vault that is located in a high water table area on Eversource property adjacent to Avery Road. Also, a low decibel generator is required for overnight dewatering to mitigate the excavated hole from collapsing before the installation of the concrete vault sections on Thursday during normal construction work hours. The nearest abutters (approximately 100 feet) should anticipate the generator to emit noise levels less than approximately 20 decibels (the Town of Newington's nighttime noise level standard is within 45 decibels).

Eversource informed the Town of Newington and abutters of the proposed overnight work.

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

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