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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

January 27, 2022

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RE: **DOCKET NO. 487** – Homeland Towers, LLC Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 183 Soundview Lane, New Canaan, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Chiocchio:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the request for an extension of construction time in the above-referenced matter dated January 26, 2022. Pursuant to Condition No. 7 of the Certificate issued September 29, 2020, the Council hereby grants your request for an extension of time to complete the construction until March 29, 2023.

Pursuant to Condition Nos. 8 and 9 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 of New Canaan.

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 Executive Director

MB/MP

c: Service List dated July 8, 2020 The Honorable Kevin Moynihan, First Selectman, Town of New Canaan (kevin.moynihan@newcanaanct.gov)



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January 26, 2022

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Melanie Bachman Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Docket No. 487– Application of Homeland Towers, LLC and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction, Maintenance, and Operation of a Telecommunications Facility at 183 Soundview Lane, Town of New Canaan, Connecticut

Dear Executive Director Bachman:

This letter is respectfully submitted on behalf of our clients, Homeland Towers, LLC and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a "AT&T", in connection with the captioned Facility for which the Siting Council issued a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need to Homeland Towers, LLC in Docket 487 ("Certificate").

Condition 9 of the Decision and Order dated September 24, 2020 required the approved facility to be fully constructed and providing wireless services within eighteen months from the date of the mailing of the Council's Findings of Fact, Opinion, and Decision and Order.

Homeland Towers constructed the Facility approved in this docket and AT&T installed its wireless facility. AT&T recently learned the fiber backhaul required to make its facility operational is delayed. At this time, AT&T anticipates that its facility will be operational by the end of May. Accordingly, a six-month extension to September 29, 2022 of the Certificate issued in this docket is respectfully requested. In accordance with condition 11 of the Decision and Order, notification will be provided regarding the commencement of facility operation.

Should Council members or Staff have any questions regarding the foregoing please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

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