STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL : Docket F-2012/2013

REVIEW OF THE TEN-YEAR FORECAST

OF CONNECTICUT ELECTRIC LOADS

AND RESOURCES : March 2, 2012

MOTION OF THE UNITED ILLUMINATING COMPANY FOR PARTY STATUS

The United Illuminating Company ("UI") hereby moves to be designated as a party in this proceeding. In support of this motion, UI states as follows:

- UI is a specially chartered Connecticut corporation, with its principal office at 157
 Church Street, New Haven, Connecticut. UI is a public service company and an electric distribution service company as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 16-1.
- 2. UI provides transmission, distribution and bundled electricity service to customers in seventeen (17) municipalities in the State of Connecticut.
- 3. Connecticut General Statutes §16-50r(a) requires UI to file a report on its forecast of loads and resources and thereafter the Council is to hold a hearing on UI's report. As one of the two electric distribution companies in Connecticut, UI has substantial contributions to make that will assist the Council in its preparation of the *Review of the Ten Year Forecast of Connecticut Electric Loads and Resources*.
- 4. UI seeks full rights as a party in this proceeding, including the rights to participate in the Council's hearing, introduce evidence, present and cross-examine witnesses and submit written argument.

- 5. UI's participation in this proceeding is in the public interest, and good cause exists to grant this motion. UI's participation will promote the interests of justice and will not impair the orderly conduct of the proceeding.
- 6. Correspondence and other communications in regard to this matter should be served upon the following persons:

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that on this 2nd day of March, 2012 one (1) copy of the foregoing was sent via electronic mail and an original and twenty (20) copies of the foregoing was hand-delivered to The Connecticut Siting Council, 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT 06051 and one (1) copy was sent via electronic mail or mailed, postage prepaid, on this 2nd day of March, 2012 to all other known parties and intervenors.

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