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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



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Mr. S. Derek Phelps Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Dear Mr. Phelps:

Subject: DOCKET NO. 317 - The United Illuminating Company Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction, Maintenance, and Operation of a Proposed 115-kV/13.8-kV Electric Substation and Associated Facilities Located at 3-7 Wildflower Lane, Trumbull, Connecticut. Revision to EMF Assessment.

The Department of Transportation has solicited for comments for the above-mentioned Docket. Enclosed is a copy of the comment.

Should you have any questions regarding these comments, please contact Mr. Gregg Hendrickon, Utility Engineer (Utilities), at (860) 594-3264.

Very truly yours,

Sohrab Afrazi Transportation Principal Engineer

Bureau of Engineering and

Highway Operations

Enclosure

STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 2800 Berlin Turnpike P.O. Box 317456, Rm. 3214 Newington, CT. 06131-7546

RE: DOCKET NO. 317 - The United Illuminating Company
Application for a Certificate of Environmental
Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction,
Maintenance, and Operation of a Proposed 115-kV/13.8-kV
Electric Substation and Associated Facilities Located at 37 Wildflower Lane, Trumbull, Connecticut. Revision to EMF
Assessment.

The Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) has reviewed the above mentioned Docket and has the following comment.

This office has no objection to "Site 1" of the proposed project.

However, if the proposed project will result in work within the state highway right of way, United Illuminating Company must obtain an encroachment permit pursuant to the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, Sections 13b-17-1 and sequence, prior to performing any work within the state highway right of way. The District 3 Permit Office in New Haven will need to review seven complete sets of construction plans which shows all work within the highway right of way, all site work, and required easements and standard details for highway construction prior to issuing the encroachment permit.

The District Permit Office will determine the bond amount, insurance coverage, maintenance and protection of traffic, inspection, roadway restoration and pavement restoration requirements.