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Re: Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for Rebuild of Old Town Substation in Bridgeport, Connecticut

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes ("CGS") §16-50/(a), The United Illuminating Company ("UI") hereby submits to the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") an Application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need ("Application") for the rebuild of the Old Town Substation located at 280 Kaechele Place, Bridgeport, Connecticut, and the relocation of the existing transmission and distribution lines that connect the existing Old Town Substation. After the associated transmission and distribution lines are connected and the new substation is placed into service, the existing Old Town Substation will be decommissioned.

Given that the Council's modifications to its hard copy filing requirements as part of its response to the COVID-19 pandemic, by this letter, UI submits to the Council (1) one copy of its Application and (2) an electronic copy of its Application and the associated exhibits, and all other relevant attachments in connection therewith.

In addition, UI encloses electronic copies of the following City of Bridgeport documents: (i) Zoning & Subdivision Regulations; (ii) Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Regulations; (iii); Master Plan of Conservation and Development; (iv) Connecticut Inland Wetlands Soils Map; and (v) Zoning Map.

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Should the Council require any additional material for the review of this Application or have any questions regarding the Application, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

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Bruce L. McDermott

Enclosures