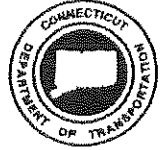


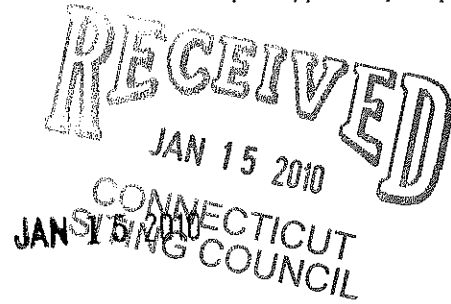
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Dear Mr. Phelps:

**Subject: Petition No. 709  
40 MW Biomass-fuel Generating Unit  
Town of Montville**

The Department of Transportation has reviewed the above-mentioned Petition and has no comments.

Should you have any further questions, please contact, Mr. Gregg Hendrickson, Utility Engineer (Utilities), @ (860) 594-3264.

Very truly yours,

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RE: **PETITION NO. 907**– Montville power LLC petition for declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the retrofit and operation of a 40 MW Biomass-Fueled Generating Unit at the Montville Station in Uncasville, Connecticut.

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The Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) has reviewed the above mentioned Docket and has no comment.