

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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Paul F. Sagristano Cherundolo Consulting 1280 Route 46 West, Suite 9 Parsippany, NJ 07054

RE: **EM-SPRINT-003-180504** – Sprint Spectrum Realty Company, L.P. notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 20 Seles Road, Ashford, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Sagristano:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on May 4, 2018.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a discrepancy between the antenna height of 180 feet listed in the Structural Analysis (SA) Report and Radio Frequency Emissions Analysis (RF) Report compared to 170 feet stated in the transmittal letter and construction drawings (CD) Sheet numbers A-2 and A-4 [Sprint's existing position on the tower is at 170 feet]. Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time.

The Council recommends that Cherundolo Consulting provide the requisite documents, either updated SA and RF reports or corrected transmittal letter and CD, for consistency purposes on or before June 15, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to June 15, 2018.

This notice of incompletion shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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c: The Honorable Michael J. Zambo, First Selectman, Town of Ashford Michael Gardner, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Ashford Cordless Data Transfer, Inc., Tower owner Raymond and Kathleen Baker, property owners.