

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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## VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

June 12, 2020

Kristina Cottone Smartlink, LLC Building 3, Suite 102 North Billerica, MA 01862

RE: **EM-AT&T-009-200604** – AT&T Mobility, LLC notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 7 Stony Hill Road, Bethel, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Cottone:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on June 4, 2020.

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 deficiency in the Structural Analysis (SA) dated October 24, 2019 and Mount Analysis (MA) dated May 21, 2019 provided with the filing. The MA and SA are stamped but not signed by a Professional Engineer licensed in the State of Connecticut.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Smartlink, LLC provide a SA and MA that is signed and stamped by a Professional Engineer licensed in the State of Connecticut on or before July 13, 2020. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to July 13, 2020. Please provide an electronic version of the requested information for the incomplete exempt modification to be rendered complete and processed. Please include the Council's exempt modification identification number referenced above with the submittal.

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.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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