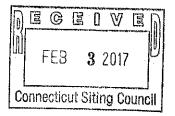


January 31, 2017

Robert Stein, Chairman Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051





RE: **EM-PSEG-015-160205** – PSEG Power Connecticut LLC notice of intent to modify and existing energy facility located at 1 Atlantic Street, Bridgeport, Connecticut.

Dear Chairman Stein:

By letter dated March 1, 2016, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) acknowledged PSEG Power Connecticut's (PSEG) request for an exempt modification to install a new fuel oil tank, demolish and remove 7 existing fuel oil tanks and to perform approved remediation activities on the site in accordance with Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (CT DEEP) requirements. The approval contained the following condition and this memo is intended to provide a status update to the Council:

Not less than 45 days after completion of construction, the Council shall be notified in writing that construction has been completed.

PSEG has completed the construction, commissioning and filling of the new No. 2 Fuel Oil Tank and appurtenant unloading and transfer pumphouse facilities. That work was completed on November 21, 2016. The four large No. 6 oil tanks have been emptied, cleaned and removed. Similarly, the three smaller Underground Storage Tanks (USTs) have also been cleaned and removed.

The removal of foundations and related equipment (pump and foam houses, ductbanks, pipe rack, etc.) continues and remediation is ongoing. The demolition work is expected to be completed by May 31, 2017 and the remediation completion, inclusive of required documentation filings to CT DEEP is expected to be completed by November 30, 2017.

PSEG will provide a status update and closure documentation upon completion of the scope of work as detailed in the Exempt Modification request.

Should you have any questions regarding this information, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Edward Gusciora, Manager, Environmental Compliance and Programs for BHS, at 203-551-6032 or ed.gusciora@pseg.com at your convenience.

Respectfully Submitted,

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