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RE: **EM-CING-025-180403** - New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC (AT&T) notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 500 Highland Avenue, Cheshire, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Roberts:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on April 3, 2018. On April 12, 2018, the Council issued a letter (enclosed) stating that your filing was incomplete because "the construction drawing Sheet C02 prepared by Dewberry Engineers, last revised on March 15, 2018, depicts new dual remote radio head unit mounts. It is unclear if these new mounts are included in the Structural Analysis Report prepared by GPD Engineering and Architecture dated February 23, 2018." The Council requested that QC Development provide an updated Structural Analysis Report accounting for all existing and proposed equipment that would be located on the tower as shown in the construction drawings of March 15, 2018.

On June 6, 2018, the Council received an email and an attachment to the email providing detail on the remote radio head unit bracket. Unfortunately, this information is not responsive to the Council's request as an updated Structural Analysis Report accounting for all existing and proposed equipment that would be located on the tower was not provided as requested in the Council's April 12, 2018 correspondence. The notation included with the identification of the proposed remote radio head units and mounts refers to notes 3 and 8 on the Proposed Elevation section of construction drawing Sheet C02. Note 3 on that page states that "Dewberry was not provided with or contracted to perform a structural analysis on this tower. Tower related improvements are not to be installed without a passing structural analysis" and Note 8 states "Install proposed equipment in accordance with the mount analysis report by B+T Group, dated 02/19/18."

Therefore, the exempt modification filing remains incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that QC Development provide an updated Structural Analysis Report accounting for all existing and proposed equipment that would be located on the tower as shown in the construction drawings of March 15, 2018 on or before July 9, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to July 9, 2018.

This notice of incompleteness 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,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director



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- c: The Honorable Robert Oris, Jr., Chairman, Town of Cheshire
- Michael A. Milone, Town Manager, Town of Cheshire
- William S. Voelker, AICP, Town Planner, Town of Cheshire
- SBA, tower owner