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Kri Pelletier
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RE: **EM-SPRINT-036-180719** - Sprint notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 220 Winthrop Road, Deep River, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Pelletier:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on July 19, 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 deficiency in the filing due to the antennas shown in the Radio Frequency Emissions Analysis (RF) Report do not match the antennas shown in the Structural Analysis Report.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that SBA Communications provide an RF Report based on the Structural analysis report that shows matching antennas to the carrier's proposed final configuration as indicated in the Structural Analysis Report on or before August 18, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to August 18, 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 Angus McDonald, Jr., First Selectman, Town of Deep River
Cathie Jefferson, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Deep River