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July 19, 2019

Aaron Meyers Site Acquisition Centerline Communications, LLC 750 W. Center Street, Floor 3 West Bridgewater, MA 02379

RE: **EM-CING-097-190703** – New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC (AT&T) notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 151 Berkshire Road, Newtown, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Meyers:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on July 18, 2015.

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 an inconsistency between the Structural Analysis Report (SA) prepared by Tower Engineering Solutions and dated June 14, 2019, and the Mount Analysis (MA) prepared by Hudson Design Group and dated April 22, 2019. The proposed final configuration as shown on page 4 of the SA indicates that 6 tower mounted amplifiers (TMA) would be part of the equipment loading, however, the MA does not show any TMA's on its equipment listing as indicated on page 1.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Centerline Communications provide a MA that accounts for all AT&T's proposed and existing equipment and is consistent with the SA, on or before August 19, 2019. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to August 19, 2019. Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the response for the incomplete request to be rendered complete and processed.

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,

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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c: The Honorable Daniel C. Rosenthal, First Selectman, Town of Newtown George Benson, Director of Planning and Land Use, Town of Newtown Wes Thompson, Chairman, Economic Development Commission, Town of Newtown