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Amanda Cornwall
Crown Castle
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RE: **EM-SPRINT-132-170224** - Sprint notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 300 Governors Highway, South Windsor, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Cornwall:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on February 24, 2017.

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 the following deficiency: notice to the municipal planning and zoning department is not evident. Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time.

The Council recommends that Crown Castle provide evidence that notice was provided to the municipal planning and zoning department on or before March 16, 2017. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to March 16, 2017.

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.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

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c: The Honorable Carolyn Mirek, Mayor, Town of South Windsor
Matthew B. Galligan, Town Manager, Town of South Windsor
Michele R. Lipe, AICP, Director of Planning, Town of South Windsor