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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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David Hoogasian Project Manager Network Building + Consulting, LLC 100 Apollo Drive, Suite 303 Chelmsford, MA 01824 dhoogasian@nbcllc.com

RE: **TS-DISH-135-220516** – Dish Wireless, LLC request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at Eastover Road (a/k/a 5 High Ridge Park Road), Stamford, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Hoogasian:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received the tower share request for the above-referenced facility on May 16, 2022.

According to Section 16-50j-90 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "no tower share application shall be approved until a complete application containing all information deemed relevant by the Council has been filed. Relevant information shall at a minimum include that listed in Section 16-50j-89 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies..."

Staff has reviewed this tower share request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in the Structural Analysis Report (SA) provided with the filing. The SA prepared by American Tower Corporation and dated June 28, 2021, does not include a passing value (<100%) for the percentage structural capacity of the tower. Therefore, it is unclear whether the tower would be able to support Dish's proposed equipment.

Therefore, the tower share request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Network Building + Consulting, LLC provide a complete and updated SA for the request that includes a passing value (<100%) for the percentage structural capacity of the tower on or before July 5, 2022. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to July 5, 2022. Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the requested information for the incomplete tower share filing to be rendered complete and processed. Please include the Council's tower share identification number referenced above with the submittal.

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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