



# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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Nicole Caplan  
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RE: **EM-AT&T-144-161223** - AT&T notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 124 Quarry Road, Trumbull, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Caplan:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on December 23, 2016.

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 notice to the underlying property owner. The filing states that municipal officials and the structure owner were provided notice, but does not mention the underlying property owner.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends Empire Telecom provide proof of notice of the proposed modification to the underlying property owner on or before January 20, 2017. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to January 20, 2017.

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.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman  
Acting Executive Director

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- c: The Honorable Timothy M. Herbst, First Selectman, Town of Trumbull
- Rob Librandi, Land Use Planner, Town of Trumbull
- Douglas Wenz, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Trumbull
- Eversource Energy, structure owner
- Francis Daddario & Joan Benedetto, property owners