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RE:

TS-T-MOBILE-167-180529 – T-Mobile Northeast LLC request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at 1116 Johnson Road (a/k/a 1027 Racebrook Road), Woodbridge, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Snell:

At a public meeting held September 27, 2018, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) considered and denied the shared use of this existing tower site. 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..."

This tower share request was submitted to the Council on May 29, 2018. Council staff reviewed this tower share request for completeness and has identified three deficiencies with this request:

1. The Radio Frequency (RF) Emissions Compliance Report is for a site in the town of East Hampton;

2. The owners authorization letter agreeing to the proposed shared use of the facility is not included with the tower share request; and

3. The number of antenna models (radio 4449/RRUS 11 B12/ATMA4P4DBP-1A20) listed on the Structural Analysis (SA) Report prepared by B+T Group, dated March 26, 2018 do not align with numbers being installed on the site plan Sheet Number A-2 prepared by Hudson Design Group, last revised May 8, 2018 and the handrail kit depicted on same site plan is not listed on the SA report. The SA report Section 4 analysis results conclude the structure rating is 99.9 percent.

The Council issued an incomplete notice to T-Mobile dated June 7, 2018 requesting clarification of the identified deficiencies on or before July 12, 2018. Upon receipt of an extension request from T-Mobile dated July 9, 2018, the Council granted an extension with a response deadline of August 16, 2018. A second extension was also requested and granted in a letter dated August 17, 2018 with a response deadline of September 17, 2018. In accordance with Paragraph 49 of the FCC Declaratory Ruling issued on November 18, 2009, the Council's written notice of incompletion had the effect of tolling the 90-day collocation timeframe.

To date, the Council is not in receipt of the requested information. Please note that if an amended tower share request is presented to the Council in the future for 1116 Johnson Road (a/k/a 1027 Racebrook Road), Woodbridge, Connecticut, it will need to be submitted as a new tower share request that must follow the applicable statutory and regulatory requirements for a new tower share request.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely.

Robert Stein Chairman

RS/IN/lm

C: The Honorable Beth Heller, First Selectman, Town of Woodbridge Terry Gilbertson, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Woodbridge Jeffrey M. Kaufman, Chm, Planning and Zoning Comm. Town of Woodbridge Traditional Golf Club at Oak Lane LLC, property own

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