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**VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL**

December 7, 2021

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RE: **EM-VER-169-211018** - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 1825 Route 198, Woodstock, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on October 18, 2021.

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 the submittal. The exempt modification request provided the Council's Decision and Order for Docket No. 423; however, that Decision and Order pertains to a different facility on Route 198 in Woodstock. Therefore, the request lacks documentation of the original facility approval and any conditions of such approval or correspondence with the Town of Woodstock stating that the town no longer retains records of its decision.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Robinson & Cole provide documentation showing the original facility approval with conditions, if any, or correspondence with the Town stating that there are no records of the original facility approval, on or before January 6, 2022. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to January 6, 2022. **Please provide an electronic version and one hard copy of the response for the incomplete request to be rendered complete and processed. Please include the Council's exempt modification identification number referenced above with the submittal.**

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.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in purple ink, appearing to read "Melanie Bachman", with a stylized, flowing script.

Melanie Bachman  
Executive Director

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