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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

May 3, 2021

Kathleen M. Shanley Manager – Transmission Siting Eversource Energy 56 Prospect Street P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06103

RE: **SUB-PETITION NO. 1293 - BWSWM-01 (Bloomfield, Windsor, South Windsor and Manchester)** – Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for all transmission facility asset condition maintenance improvements statewide to comply with the updated National Electrical Safety Code clearance requirements.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your letter dated April 30, 2021 requesting an extension of time to complete maintenance improvements associated with the above-referenced sub-petition.

Pursuant to Condition No. 5 of the Council's decision letter on this sub-petition dated July 9, 2019, and the Council's construction extension decision letter dated May 7, 2020, the Council hereby grants an additional extension of time until July 9, 2022 to complete these improvements.

This extension is granted with the understanding that the Council will be notified should Eversource need additional time to complete maintenance improvements or decides not to proceed with construction.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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Melanie Bachman, Esq. Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

RE: Sub-Petition 1293-BWSWM-01 (Bloomfield, Windsor, South Windsor, Manchester) Request for Extension

Dear Attorney Bachman:

The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource) received approval from the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") on July 9, 2019 (Petition No. 1293). On May 7, 2020 Eversource was granted a one-year extension to complete the improvements associated with the above-referenced sub-petition by July 9, 2021. In its May 7, 2020 letter granting a one-year extension, the Council included conditions regarding the work undertaken pursuant to this Sub-Petition. Eversource is requesting an extension of the deadline for completing the work activities based on the following condition:

• This extension is granted with the understanding that the Council will be notified should Eversource need additional time to complete maintenance improvements or decides not to proceed with construction.

The project has experienced delays due to a number of factors and Eversource hereby requests that the one-year deadline to complete these activities be extended to July 9, 2022.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or comments, please call me at (860) 728-4532.

Sincerely,

Kathleen M. Shanley Manager - Transmission Siting