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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

August 25, 2020

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

RE:

PETITION NO. 1293 - Eversource Energy petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for all transmission facility asset condition maintenance improvements to comply with the updated National Electric Safety Code clearance requirements. **NM-01 (New Milford)**

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your letter dated August 24, 2020 requesting an extension of time to complete maintenance improvements associated with the above-referenced subpetition.

Pursuant to Condition No. 5 of the Council's decision letter dated October 24, 2019, the Council hereby grants an extension of time until October 24, 2021 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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August 24, 2020

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

RE: Sub-Petition 1293-NM-01

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 October 24, 2019 (Petition No. 1293). In its October 24, 2019 letter acknowledging the above-referenced Sub-Petition, 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:

• The petitioner may file a request for an extension of time beyond the one-year deadline provided that such request is submitted to the Council not less than 60 days prior to the expiration.

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 October 24, 2021.

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

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