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### VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

March 31, 2023

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RE: **SUB-PETITION NO. 1293- SBMM-01** (Southington, Berlin, Meriden and Middletown) –  
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 Deborah Denfeld:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your letter dated March 31, 2023 requesting an additional 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 dated June 2, 2020, the Council hereby grants an extension of time until June 2, 2024 to complete these improvements for the above-referenced sub-petition.

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,

Melanie A. Bachman  
Executive Director

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RE: Request for Extension - Sub-Petition 1293-SBMM-01 (Southington, Berlin, Meriden and Middletown), 3754 Transmission Line Structure Replacement Project.

Dear Attorney Bachman:

The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (“Eversource”) received approval from the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) on June 2, 2020 for Sub-Petition No. 1293-SBMM-01). On April 5, 2021 Eversource was granted a one-year extension to complete the improvements associated with the above-referenced sub-petition by June 2, 2022. On March 23, 2022 Eversource was granted a second one-year extension to complete the improvements associated with the above-referenced sub-petition by June 2, 2023. 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 deadline to complete these activities be further extended to June 2, 2024.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or comments, please call me at (860) 728-4654.

Sincerely,

  
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Deborah Denfeld  
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