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March 26, 2024

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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. **Request for
Additional Extension of Construction Time.**

Dear Kathleen Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated March 26, 2024
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, and the Council's
construction extension decision letters dated April 5, 2021, March 23, 2022, and March 31, 2023, the Council
hereby grants an additional extension of time until June 2, 2025 to complete the 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: Sub-Petition No. 1293-SBMM-01 (Southington, Berlin, Meriden, and Middletown)
Request for Extension

Dear Attorney Bachman:

The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy (Eversource) received project approval from the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") on June 2, 2020 (Sub-Petition No. 1293-SBMM-01). On March 31, 2023 Eversource was granted a third one-year extension to complete the improvements associated with the above-referenced sub-petition by June 2, 2024.

In its March 31, 2023 letter granting a one-year extension, the Council included conditions regarding the need for additional time to complete maintenance improvements on the above-referenced Sub-Petition 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 several factors and Eversource hereby requests that the deadline to complete these activities be further extended to June 2, 2025.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or comments, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Deborah Denfeld".

Deborah Denfeld

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