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RE: **PETITION NO. 1371** – The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed 667 Line Rebuild Project consisting of the replacement and reconductoring of approximately 6.1 miles of its existing No. 667 69-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line structures within existing Eversource electric transmission line right-of-way between Falls Village Substation in Falls Village (Canaan) and Salisbury Substation in Salisbury, Connecticut, traversing Canaan, Sharon and Salisbury, and related substation and electric transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Mr. Lord:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the correspondence dated October 7, 2020 regarding project changes to the above-referenced Declaratory Ruling issued by the Council on June 7, 2019. The project changes consist of additional work hours, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the following Sundays: October 11, October 18, October 25, November 1, and November 8, 2020. The extended work hours are necessary to complete work that has been delayed by unforeseen circumstances. Work must be completed during the scheduled outage on the 667 Line, which ends on November 12, 2020, as no further scheduled outages are planned.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's June 7, 2019 Declaratory Ruling, the request for the above project changes, as detailed in the October 7, 2020 correspondence, is hereby approved. This approval applies only to the project changes described in the October 7, 2020 correspondence. Any significant changes to the project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie Bachman

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

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Dear Ms. Bachman:

Eversource Energy is requesting Siting Council staff review and approval for extended work hours of 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. for the above-referenced project on Sunday, 10/11/2020; Sunday, 10/18/2020; Sunday, 10/25; Sunday, 11/1 and Sunday, 11/8/2020. The extended hours are needed to complete work during the scheduled outage on the 667 line, which ends on 11/12/2020. The additional work days are needed to make up for lost time due to an incident involving the removal of a structure (5 days) and time lost to the storm response (1.5 days). The outage cannot be extended at this time due to other planned outages on the transmission system. In addition, an extension of the 667 Line outage would prolong the need for the back-up generators at Falls Village.

We have notified the Towns of Falls Village, Sharon and Salisbury of our intention to submit this request to the Council. We will continue to work with the Towns and nearby residents to apprise them of the work and to resolve any potential conflicts or concerns. Please note that, if this request is granted, the work will not be conducted at all locations on every Sunday.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this request.

Best regards,
Andrew

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