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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

July 21, 2020

Justin Adams Bloom Energy Corporation 4535 North First Street San Jose, CA 95134

RE: **PETITION NO. 1416-** Bloom Energy Corporation petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 150-kilowatt customer-side fuel cell facility and associated equipment to be located at the Home Depot, 89 Interstate Park Drive, Southington, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Adams:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) requests your responses to the enclosed questions no later than August 3, 2020. To help expedite the Council's review, please file individual responses as soon as they are available. At this time, consistent with the Council's policy to prevent the spread of Coronavirus, please submit an electronic copy only to siting.council@ct.gov. However, please be advised that the Council may later request one or more hard copies for records retention purposes.

Any request for an extension of time to submit responses to interrogatories shall be submitted to the Council in writing pursuant to §16-50j-22a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

Sincerely,

s/Melanie A. Bachman

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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c: Alicia Surowiec, Bloom Energy Corporation

Petition No. 1416 Bloom Energy Corporation Home Depot, 89 Interstate Park Drive Southington, Connecticut

Interrogatories – Set I

- 1. Please provide a detailed Site Plan of the proposed facility, including but not limited to, the dimensions and locations of the proposed fuel cell facility, concrete pads, cabinets, fence design, bollards (if applicable) and utility connections.
- 2. Regarding the sound study provided as Exhibit 6 of the Petition, how close does a building have to be to be considered under Scenario 1?
- 3. Would Bloom install the sound dampening material mentioned on page 8 of the Petition? If so, what would be the predicted sound emissions levels from the facility at the nearest property boundaries with the sound dampening material in place?
- 4. Section IV Notice and Consultation on Page 10 of the filing references notice to municipal officials. Other than what was provided in the petition, did the Town offer any comments regarding the proposed project?
- 5. Is the project interconnection required to be reviewed by ISO-NE?
- 6. Was the project selected for the LREC/ZREC program?
- 7. Will fuel cell operation/emergency training be conducted with Town of Southington emergency responders?
- 8. Please identify the media to be used for pipe cleaning procedures at the proposed facility in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50ii as referenced on Petition page 4.
- 9. Does Bloom intend to reach out to the Southington Fire Marshal regarding natural gas pipe cleaning procedures prior to submission of a pipe cleaning plan/protocol?