

STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

June 11, 2024

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RE: **PETITION NO. 1442** - SR Litchfield, LLC Declaratory Ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the construction, maintenance and operation of a 19.8-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on 6 contiguous parcels located both east and west of Wilson Road south of the intersection with Litchfield Town Farm Road in Litchfield, Connecticut, and both east and west of Rossi Road, south of the intersection with Highland Avenue in Torrington, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection. **Request for Extension of Construction Time.**

Dear Attorney Schaefer:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the request for an extension of construction time in the above-referenced matter, dated June 10, 2024. Pursuant to Condition No. 4 of the Declaratory Ruling issued on September 23, 2021, the Council hereby grants your request for an extension of time to complete the construction of this facility until March 23, 2025.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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c: Service List, dated March 26, 2021

Denise Raap, First Selectperson, Town of Litchfield (<u>1stselectman@townoflitchfield.org</u>) Elinor Carbone, Mayor, City of Torrington (<u>elinor_carbone@torringtonct.org</u>)

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Re: PETITION NO. 1442 - SR Litchfield, LLC petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 19.8-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on 6 contiguous parcels located both east and west of Wilson Road south of the intersection with Litchfield Town Farm Road in Litchfield, Connecticut, and both east and west of Rossi Road, south of the intersection with Highland Avenue in Torrington, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection.

Request for Extension to Complete Construction

Dear Attorney Bachman:

The Siting Council approved this Project by Decision and Order on September 23, 2021 (Decision), giving SR Litchfield, LLC three years to construct the Project (*see* Condition No. 3). SR Litchfield, LLC commenced construction in November 2023 but will not complete construction by the September 23, 2024 deadline. SR Litchfield, LLC, therefore, requests an extension of six (6) months to complete the work.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Jonathan H. Schaefer

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