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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

April 4, 2023

Deborah Denfeld, P.E. Team Lead – Transmission Siting Eversource Energy P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06141-0270 deborah.denfeld@eversource.com

RE: **PETITION NO. 1531** – 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 1200/1300 Line Structure Replacement Project consisting of the replacement and reconductoring of approximately 0.39 mile of its existing No. 1200 and No. 1300 115-kilovolt electric transmission lines within existing Eversource electric transmission line right-of-way between Eversource's Windsor Locks Substation in Windsor Locks and Warehouse Point Junction in East Windsor, Connecticut and related transmission line and substation improvements.

Dear Deborah Denfeld:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the email correspondence dated April 4, 2023, regarding a temporary change to work hours for the above-referenced Declaratory Ruling that was issued by the Council on September 30, 2022.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Declaratory Ruling, your request to perform work from 7:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on April 4, 2023 is hereby approved. The extended work hours are necessary due to the evaluation and resolution of an incident that occurred earlier in the workday.

This approval applies only to the request for a temporary change to work hours dated April 4, 2023.

Please be advised that deviations from the standards established by the Council in the Declaratory Ruling are enforceable under the provisions of Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman Executive Director

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c: Kathleen Shanley, Manager – Transmission Siting, Eversource Energy (<u>kathleen.shanley@eversource.com</u>) The Honorable Jason E. Bowsza, First Selectperson, Town of East Windsor (<u>jbowsza@eastwindsorct.com</u>) The Honorable Paul M. Harrington, First Selectperson, Town of Windsor Locks (<u>pharrington@wlocks.com</u>) From: DENFELD, DEBORAH <deborah.denfeld@eversource.com> Sent: Tuesday, April 4, 2023 2:21 PM To: CSC-DL Siting Council <Siting.Council@ct.gov> Cc: Shanley, Kathleen M <kathleen.shanley@eversource.com> Subject: RE: PE 1531 - Extended Work Hours Request due to Emergency Situation Today

Dear Melanie Bachman:

Eversource is requesting approval from Council staff for extended work hours (7:00 pm - 8:00 pm) today (April 4, 2023), to complete work in installing taps on the 1200 Line at Structure 6209, and return the Line back to a restored condition.

Bucket trucks and cranes will be located on work pads at Structures 6207 and 6208 (East Windsor) and Structure 6209 (Windsor Locks). This request is a result of a safety incident earlier in the day, resulting in a stand-down, re-evaluating the situation for resolution, and lost work hours.

Eversource has provided notice to the Towns of East Windsor and Windsor Locks.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Deb Denfeld, P.E. Team Lead Transmission Siting

