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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

September 11, 2023

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RE:

PETITION NO. 1575 – The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy Declaratory Ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for proposed modifications to its existing Salisbury Substation located at 316 Indian Mountain Road, Salisbury, Connecticut, and related electric transmission line structure improvements. **Compliance with Condition Nos. 2 and 4.**

Dear Deborah Denfeld:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated September 11, 2023 regarding compliance with Condition Nos. 2 and 4 of the Declaratory Ruling issued by the Council on September 1, 2023 for the above-referenced facility. The correspondence includes the identification of staging areas and erosion and sedimentation controls to be installed at the staging areas and notification of the commencement of site construction activities in accordance with Condition Nos. 2 and 4, respectively.

Therefore, the Council acknowledges that Condition Nos. 2 and 4 have been satisfied. This acknowledgment applies only to the conditions satisfied by the September 11, 2023 correspondence.

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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Melanie Bachman, Esq Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council Ten Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Petition No. 1575: Salisbury Substation Transformer Replacement Project

Identification of Staging Areas and Erosion and Sedimentation Controls per Condition 2

and Notice of Start of Construction Per Condition 4

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Condition 4 of the Connecticut Siting Council's (Council's) September 1, 2023 Declaratory Ruling approving the Salisbury Substation Transformer Replacement Project (Project), The Connecticut Light and Power Company doing business as Eversource Energy hereby informs the Council that the construction of the Project will commence the week of September 25, 2023.

Pursuant to Condition 2 of the Council's ruling, the proposed staging areas for the Project are illustrated on Attachment A of the Petition. No erosion and sedimentation controls will be necessary for the main staging area, located east of the fenced substation. However, Eversource will install erosion and sedimentation controls along both sides of the portions of the existing substation access road and adjacent to the small staging areas near wetland W1 and stream S1 (refer to Petition pp 6-7, 9, and Attachment A). These erosion and sedimentation controls will be installed as specified in Eversource's April 2022 Best Management Practices Manual.

Sincerely,

Deborah Denfeld

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