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Melanie Bachman, Esq.  
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Re: **PETITION NO. 1649** - The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for proposed modifications to its existing Falls Village Substation and associated equipment located at 35 Water Street, Canaan, Connecticut, and related electric transmission line structure replacement and improvements.

**Notice of Start of Construction**

Dear Attorney Bachman:

On March 6, 2025, the Siting Council acknowledged that the above referenced project would not have a substantial adverse environmental effect and issued a Declaratory Ruling with conditions.

- Pursuant to Condition 7, this letter serves as Eversource's notice to the Siting Council at least two weeks prior to commencement of site construction activities.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Deborah Denfeld".

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