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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Melanie Bachman
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Re: Petition No. 1668 – Johnson Controls Inc. (JCI) petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a grid-side 3.9-megawatt fuel cell facility and associated equipment located at 35 North Main Street, Ansonia, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection

Dear Ms. Bachman:

On September 25, 2025, Johnson Controls Inc. (“JCI”) requested a 180 day extension to submit information to the Connecticut siting Council (“Council”) to address the deficiency noted by the Council in its August 21, 2025 decision granting HyAxiom, Inc.’s (“HyAxiom”) Motion to Dismiss and/or Deny Petition. The Council also rejected JCI’s petition for a declaratory ruling as incomplete “because it is premature for the Council to review this petition due to the existence of a valid Council-issued Declaratory Ruling for a fuel cell facility at the 35 North Main Street site in Ansonia.” The Council gave JCI until September 25, 2025 to correct the deficiency, submit a request for an extension of time to correct the deficiency or withdraw its petition. On September 25, 2025, JCI requested a 180 day extension to submit information to address the deficiency.

The Council’s deadline for a final decision on the JCI petition is November 9, 2025. JCI’s 180 day extension request would require an extension of the Council’s decision deadline beyond November 9, 2025. HyAxiom does not consent to an extension of decision deadline. Further, because JCI has failed to provide any information to the Council as to why an extension of the September 25, 2025 deadline to correct the deficiency noted by the Council is necessary, HyAxiom requests that the Council deny any extension of the September 25, 2025 deadline.

Very truly yours,



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