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Pamela B. Katz, Chairman  
Connecticut Siting Council  
Ten Franklin Square  
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Docket 272 - Connecticut Light and Power Company and United Illuminating Company application for a new 345-kV electric transmission line between Scoyill Rock Switching Station in Middletown and Norwalk Substation in Norwalk.

Dear Chairman Katz:

In response to the Siting Council's request for topics on clean-up days, the Department of Transportation would like to reserve the right to ask the Applicants about the impacts and costs of constructing the transmission facility on the preferred route versus the impacts and costs of constructing the transmission facility on alternative rights-of-way.

Sincerely,

Charles H. Walsh  
Assistant Attorney General

Cc: Service List