### **OFFICE OF ADJUDICATIONS**

IN THE MATTER OF : APPLICATION NO.200201976-MG

THE CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

: JULY 18, 2007

### **FINAL DECISION**

I have reviewed the hearing officer's Proposed Final Decision adopting and supplementing the Agreed Draft Decision of the parties. I affirm her decision and accept her recommendation to issue the requested permit incorporating the terms and conditions set forth in the draft permit attached to her decision and the recommended revisions to the draft permit that are set forth in her Proposed Final Decision.

In addition, I adopt the following additional information, clarification and/or corrections to the Proposed Final Decision as provided by the parties:

1. Paragraph 3b, revise third sentence to read:

"Cables would be laid in prepared trenches landward of mean low water (MLW) and would be buried seaward of MLW with a remote operated hydraulic jet plow with some diver assistance where necessary."

2. Paragraph 3c, revise second sentence to read:

"Concrete mattresses located within the trenches on the south side of Sheffield Island, south to the NY State line, would also be used for additional protection."

3. Paragraph 3d, revise second	and third sentences to read:
"The hydraulic jet plo	ow would be used to install cables to MLW
Installation landward o	of MLW would be conducted with conventional
excavation equipment."	
<u>7/18/07</u>	/s/ Gina McCarthy
Date	Gina McCarthy
	Commissioner

# PARTY LIST

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## **PARTY**

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