

OFFICE OF ADJUDICATIONS

IN THE MATTER OF : ***APPLICATION NO 201501126-SJ***

GREGORY MELVILLE : ***April 4, 2016***

FINAL DECISION

The Proposed Final Decision in the above referenced matter was released on March 31, 2016. That decision found that the preponderance of the evidence demonstrated that the proposed regulated activity, as detailed in the application and conditioned by the draft permit, would comply with the statutes concerning structures, dredging and fill (General Statutes § 22a-361), the statutes and regulations concerning activities conducted in tidal wetlands (General Statutes § 22a-32 and Regs., Conn. State Agencies §§ 22a-30-1 through 22a-30-17) and the applicable portions of the Coastal Management Act (General Statutes §§ 22a-90 through 22a-112). Accordingly, that decision recommends that the proposed draft permit be finalized and issued to the applicant Gregory Melville.

On April 1, 2016, the parties to this matter waived the filing of exceptions. The Commissioner has delegated final decision-making authority to the agency's Office of Adjudications and its hearing officers in limited circumstances. Included in this delegation is the authority to issue final decisions in "matters where the hearing officer has issued a proposed final decision and the parties, including staff of the Department, by written stipulation waive compliance with the right to file exceptions to such decision, pursuant to [General Statutes] § 4-179(d)." Delegation of Authority, February 3, 2015, § VIII, F. 4. c. vii.

The Proposed Final Decision is therefore affirmed and adopted as the Final Decision of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection.



Brendan Schain, Hearing Officer

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