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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

November 27, 2018

Nicole M. Lugli, Esq.
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Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
79 Elm Street
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1354** – Chatfield Solar Fund, LLC, petition for a declaratory ruling, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §4-176 and §16-50k, for the proposed construction, maintenance and operation of a 1.98-megawatt AC solar photovoltaic electric generating facility on approximately 25 acres located generally south of Route 80 (North Branford Road) and east of Chestnut Hill Road in Killingworth, Connecticut, and associated electrical interconnection to Eversource Energy's Green Hill Substation located at 775 Green Hill Road, Madison, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Lugli:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection's (DEEP) request for an extension of time, dated November 26, 2018, to submit state agency comments on the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling submitted by Chatfield Solar Fund, LLC on October 23, 2018. The current deadline for comments is November 26, 2018.

The Council hereby grants the DEEP's request for an extension of time to submit state agency comments on the above-referenced petition for a declaratory ruling to December 17, 2018. This extension shall also apply to all interested persons who wish to comment on the proposed project.

Due to the Council's statutory time limitations under the Uniform Administrative Procedure Act, the Council must take an action in writing within 60 days of receipt of a petition for a declaratory ruling. The deadline for action on this matter is December 22, 2018. Please be advised that this 60-day deadline cannot be extended by law. The Council's next regular meeting is scheduled for December 6, 2018.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Council's office at 860-827-2935.

Thank you for your interest and concern in this matter.

Sincerely,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

MAB/RDM/lm

Enclosure

cc: Council Members
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RE: Petition No. 1354, Chatfield Solar Fund, LLC

Dear Siting Council members and Executive Director Bachman,

The Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (“DEEP”) submits this letter in reference to Petition No. 1354. DEEP would like to request a 21 day extension from the November 26, 2018 deadline provided by the Council in the Connecticut State Agency Comment Memo to compile our comments.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nicole M. Lugli".

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