June 1, 2016

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director
Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: **Notice of Exempt Modification – Antenna Swap**
Property Address: **1 Willis St Bristol, CT 06010**
Applicant: **AT&T Mobility, LLC**

Dear Ms. Bachman:

On behalf of AT&T, please accept this application as notification pursuant to R.C.S.A. §16-50j-73, for construction that constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. §16-50j-72(b) (2).

AT&T currently maintains a wireless telecommunications facility consisting of nine (9) wireless telecommunication antennas at an antenna center line height of 124-feet on an existing 120 -foot monopole tower, owned by American Tower Corporation located at 1 Willis St, Bristol, Ct 06010. AT&T now intends to remove (3) Power wave 7770 panel antennas on position 2 all sectors, while retaining three (3) KMW AM-X-CD-16-65-00T-RETon position 1 all sectors, three (3) KMW AM-X_CD-16-65-005-RET on position 4 all sectors and install three (3) new CCI OPA-65R-LCUU-H6on position 2 all sectors (for a total of (9) panel antennas), at the 124-foot level. AT&T also intends to install one DC-6 surge suppressor and 3 RRU-32's on the existing antenna masts. Inside AT& T's shelter, a new power plant will be installed as well as a RXAIT cabinet and one LLC 1900 band to combine UMTS and GSM.

This facility was unanimously approved by the Connecticut Siting Council at public meeting on December 15, 1993 (refer to petition no. 314) for the proposed construction of a 120-foot replacement telecommunications tower, equipment building, security fence and access road improvements and the removal of two existing 80-foot towers and a portable equipment building, located off Willis Street in Bristol, Connecticut.

The following is a list of subsequent decisions by the Connecticut Siting Council:

Springwich Cellular Ltd. Partnership notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility owned by SNET located off Willis

EM-CING-033-017-060728 - New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC notice of intent to modify existing telecommunications facilities located at 179 Shunpike Road, Cromwell; and Willis Street, **Bristol**,Connecticut.

EM-CLEARWIRE-017-090923 – Clearwire Corporation notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 760 Beecher Road aka Willis Street, **Bristol**, Connecticut.

EM-AT&T-017-120507 – AT&T Mobility notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 790 Willis Street, **Bristol**, Connecticut.

EM-CING-017-140818 – New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 790 Willis Street, **Bristol**, Connecticut

Please accept this letter pursuant to Regulation of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-73, for construction that constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. § 16-5I0j-72(b)(2). In accordance with R.C.S.A., a copy of this letter is being sent to Ken Cockayne-Mayor –City of Bristol 36 Allen Street Bristol, CT. A copy of this letter is also being sent to American Tower Corporation-Tower Owner- at 116 Huntington Ave., 11th floor, Boston, MA 02116 and Conn Light + Power 107 Selden St Berlin, CT 06037.

The planned modifications to AT&T's facility fall squarely within those activities explicitly provided for in R.C.S.A. §16-50j-72(b) (2).

1. The proposed modifications will not result in an increase in the height of the existing tower. AT&T's replacement antennas will be installed at the 124-foot level of the 120-foot monopole.
2. The proposed modifications will not involve any changes to ground-mounted equipment and, therefore, will not require and extension of the site boundary.
3. The proposed modifications will not increase the noise levels at the facility by six decibels or more, or to levels that exceed state and local criteria.
4. The operation of the modified facility will not increase radio frequency (RF) emissions at the facility to a level at or above the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) safety standard. A cumulative worst-case RF emissions calculation for AT&T's modified facility is provided in the RF Emissions Compliance Report, included in Tab 2.
5. The proposed modifications will not cause a change or alteration in the physical or environmental characteristics of the site.
6. The tower and its foundation can support AT&T's proposed modifications. (See Structural Analysis Report included in Tab 3).

For the foregoing reasons, AT&T respectfully submits that the proposed modifications to the above referenced telecommunications facility constitutes an exempt modification under R.C.S.A. §16-50j-72(b) (2).

Sincerely,

David Barbagallo

Enclosures
CC w/enclosures:

Ken Cockayne-Mayor –City of Bristol
American Tower Corporation-Tower Owner
Conn Light +Power Co- Land owner