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Steven J. Quinn
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RE: **TS-AT&T-043-140401** – AT&T request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at 100 Sunset Ridge, East Hartford, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Quinn:

At a public meeting held July 10, 2014, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) considered and denied without prejudice the shared use of this existing tower site. According to Section 16-50j-90 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "no tower share application shall be approved until a complete application containing all information deemed relevant by the Council has been filed. Relevant information shall at a minimum include that listed in Section 16-50j-89 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies..."

This tower share request was submitted to the Council on April 1, 2014. Council staff reviewed this tower share request for completeness and had identified deficiencies that were depicted in a letter to Smartlink dated June 5, 2014, and recommended that Smartlink submit a drawing depicting the facility's expanded compound within the facility's lease area and a complete structural analysis signed by a professional engineer licensed in Connecticut on or before July 11, 2014. In accordance with Paragraph 49 of the FCC Declaratory Ruling issued on November 18, 2009, the Council's written notice of incompleteness had the effect of tolling the 90-day collocation timeframe.

To date, the Council is not in receipt of the requested information. Please note that if an amended tower share request is presented to the Council in the future for 100 Sunset Ridge, East Hartford, Connecticut, it will need to be submitted as a new tower share request that must follow the applicable statutory and regulatory requirements for a new tower share request.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Robert Stein
Chairman

RS/CDM/CM

c: The Honorable Marcia A. Leclerc, Mayor, Town of East Hartford
Michael J. Dayton, Town Planner, Town of East Hartford