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Nicole Caplan
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RE: **EM-AT&T-126-170120** – AT&T notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 17 Daybreak Lane, Shelton, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Caplan:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received a notice of intent to modify the above-referenced facility on January 20, 2017.

According to Section 16-50j-71 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "...any modification, as defined in Section 16-50j-2a of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, to an existing tower site, except as specified in Sections 16-50j-72 and 16-50j-88 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, may have a substantial adverse environmental effect."

Staff has reviewed this exempt modification request for completeness and has identified a deficiency in notice to the underlying property owner.

Therefore, the exempt modification request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that AT&T provide proof of notice to the underlying property owner on or before February 6, 2017. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to February 6, 2017.

This notice of incompleteness shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman
Executive Director

MAB/FC

c: The Honorable Mark A. Lauretti, Mayor, City of Shelton
Richard Schultz, Planning Administrator, City of Shelton
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