



April 6, 2017

Mr. Robert Stein
Chairman
The Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: **PETITION NO. 1189 – The United Illuminating Company petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed modifications to the existing Mix Avenue Substation located at 690 Mix Avenue, Hamden, Connecticut and related improvements to existing electric transmission line circuits from Mix Avenue Substation to Glen Lake Junction and from June Street Substation to Pease Road – Notification of Completion**

Dear Chairman Stein:

The United Illuminating Company ("UI") received acknowledgement from the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") on November 12, 2015 that the UI proposed modifications to the existing Mix Avenue Substation would not have a substantial adverse environmental effect, and pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Section 16-50k, would not require a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need. UI regrets that it failed to provide the completion date in a timely manner in accordance with the Council's conditions, and hereby submits this letter to provide notice that construction was completed on December 16, 2016.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions or comments, please call me at (203) 499-2586

Sincerely,

Amy Hicks, Analyst
The United Illuminating Company

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