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Kathleen Shanley
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1238** - Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed re-conductoring of 0.6 miles of its existing No. 1779 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line between South Meadow Substation in Hartford and the east side of structure 3001 in East Hartford and for the proposed rebuilding of 4.6 miles of its existing No. 1779 electric transmission line within existing Eversource right of way extending from structure 3001.5 in East Hartford to South Windsor Junction in South Windsor, traversing the municipalities of Hartford, East Hartford, and South Windsor, Connecticut, and related transmission line structure and substation improvements.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of Eversource Energy's submittal of the State Historic Preservation Office's (SHPO) concurrence that no historic properties will be affected by the project dated January 12, 2017 and submitted in compliance with Conditon No. 4 of the Council's Decision on October 27, 2016.

This applies only to the submittal of the SHPO letter dated January 12, 2017. Any significant changes to the above-referenced project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director

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c: Council Members