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April 12, 2017

Kathleen Shanley Manager-Transmission Siting Eversource Energy P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06141-0270

RE: PETITION NO. 1217 – Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed separation of the existing 1779/1777 115 kilovolt (kV) electric transmission lines for 1.6 miles within existing right of way from Bloomfield Substation to Bloomfield Junction; proposed separation of the existing 1751/1777 115kV electric transmission lines for 5.3 miles within existing right of way from Bloomfield Junction to North Bloomfield Substation; modifications to the existing overhead 1779 115 kV electric transmission line to loop into the Rood Avenue Substation via underground cables; including related transmission line structure improvements; and modifications to the Bloomfield Substation, 40 Crestview Drive and North Bloomfield Substation, 2 Hoskins Road both in Bloomfield, Connecticut and modifications to the Rood Avenue Substation located at 275 Rood Avenue, Windsor, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

Pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies §16-50j-62 (b) and in response to the email of April 12, 2017, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Substation Development and Management (D&M) Plan to allow construction activities associated with the above project to occur on Friday, April 14, 2017 and Saturday, April 15, 2017 from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. for work in the vicinity of Rood Avenue Substation. The extended work hours (beyond the currently approved 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday work window) are necessary in order to conduct work on the last phase of cross-linked polyethylene insulated (XLPE) cable on Transition Structure No. 20076A.

This approval applies only to the April 14 and 15, 2017 extended work hours requested by email on April 12, 2017. Any additional changes to the D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the Substation D&M Plan on September 15, 2016. Furthermore, the petitioner is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-62.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u. Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Melanie Bachman

Acting Executive Director

MB/MP

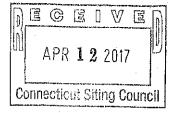
c: Helen M. Taylor, MBA, Project Siting Specialist, Eversource Energy The Honorable Donald Trinks, Mayor, Town of Windsor Peter Souza, Town Manager, Town of Windsor Eric Barz, AICP, Town Planner, Town of Windsor From:

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Sent: To: Wednesday, April 12, 2017 10:36 AM CSC-DL Siting Council; Bachman, Melanie

Subject:

Petition 1217: Request for Extended Work Hours 4/14 and 4/15



Dear Meianie Bachman:

Eversource is requesting to work 2 additional hours on Friday, 4/14 and Saturday, 4/15 at Rood Avenue Substation in Windsor. The current approved working hours for the Project are Monday Through Saturday, 7:00am to 7:00pm. The Project would like to extend the working hours on the referenced dates from 7:00am to 9:00pm. The additional hours are being requested to complete work during the 1779 line outage. This outage is required for Eversource's contractor to conduct work on the last phase of XLPE cable on transition structure 20076A.

Municipal officials and abutters will be contacted about this work in advance of work activities.

If you have any questions or concerns about this work, please contact me. I am out of state today, but can be reached at 203-314-6317.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.

Kate

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