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September 6, 2017

Sue Bellion Project Siting Specialist Eversource Energy P.O. Box 270 Hartford, CT 06141-0270

RE: **PETITION NO. 1286** - Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed West Brookfield Reliability Project that includes reconductoring of approximately 1.4 miles of its existing No. 1887 115-kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line within existing Eversource electric transmission line right of way between the existing West Brookfield Substation located at 83 Prange Road and the existing West Brookfield Junction near Pocono Road in Brookfield, Connecticut, installation of two 14.4 Megavolt Ampere Reactive (MVAR) capacitor banks at the West Brookfield Substation located at 83 Prange Road, Brookfield, Connecticut and related substation and transmission line structure improvements.

Dear Ms. Bellion:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your email correspondence dated September 5, 2017, regarding temporary changes to work hours for the above-referenced project that was approved by the Council on March 16, 2017.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Decision of March 16, 2017, your request to perform work from 7 AM to 7 PM on Sunday, September 10, 2017 during a scheduled outage is hereby approved. The original outage planned for Wednesday, September 6, 2017 was canceled due to an impending storm, thus necessitating the rescheduling of the outage and the substation work necessary to be completed during the outage.

This approval applies only to the request for changes to work hours dated September 5, 2017. Any significant changes to the 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

The Honorable Stephen C. Dunn, First Selectman, Town of Brookfield Francis Lollie, Zoning Enforcement Officer, Town of Brookfield Kathleen Shanley, Eversource Energy

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Tuesday, September 05, 2017 3:35 PM Mathews, Lisa A: Fontaine, Lisa

Walsh, Christina; Mercier, Robert

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FW: Petition 1286 - West Brookfield Reliability Project

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Subject: Petition 1286 - West Brookfield Reliability Project

Hi Melanie:

Eversource is requesting Sunday work hours for the project approved under the subject petition for Sunday, September 10, 2017. The work activity will be within the construction area for the expanded substation on Prange Road in the Town of Brookfield and will occur from 7AM to 7PM. This work was originally planned to be completed this week; however, due to the impending storm tomorrow, the planned outage was cancelled and rescheduled.

Thank you for consideration of this request.

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