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Kathleen M. Shanley
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RE: **PETITION NO. 1314** – The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed 1555 Line Rebuild Project consisting of the structure and conductor replacements on its existing 115-kilovolt electric transmission line extending approximately 6.6 miles within existing Eversource electric transmission line right-of-way between the existing Bulls Bridge Substation located at 781 Kent Road and the existing Rocky River Junction located off Boardman Road in New Milford, Connecticut.

Dear Ms. Shanley:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) is in receipt of your correspondence dated February 15, 2018 regarding the minor project changes to the above-referenced declaratory ruling that was approved by the Council on August 31, 2017.

Pursuant to Condition No. 1 of the Council's Decision on August 31, 2017, your request to relocate Structure No. 573 approximately 20 feet north* of its existing location to provide additional clearance and utilize four guy wires; relocate Structure No. 542 approximately five feet north of its previously approved location and utilize a two-pole structure without guy wires and with the insulators in an uplift position; relocate Structure No. 2626 approximately 100 feet north** of its existing location, utilize a three-pole structure with guy wires and relocate the associated construction pad approximately 80 feet to the north**; and relocate Structure No. 541 approximately five feet northwest of its existing location is hereby approved.


*According to attached Map Sheet 1 of 12 dated November 2017, the relocation appears to be more to the west than the north.

**According to attached Map Sheet 7 of 12 dated November 2017, the relocation appears to be more to the northwest than north.

This approval applies only to the minor project changes dated February 15, 2018. Any significant changes to the project require advance Council notification and approval.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Sincerely,


Melanie A. Bachman
Executive Director
MB/MP

c: Parties and Intervenors
Council Members
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