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Richard J. Reed, PMP
Vice President-Engineering and Project Excellence
The United Illuminating Company
180 Marsh Hill Road
Orange, CT 06477

RE: **PETITION NO. 1120** – 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 Hawthorne Substation located at 180 Hawthorne Drive, Fairfield, Connecticut. Motion for Protective Order. Set Date for Decision.

Dear Mr. Reed:

At a public meeting held on December 11, 2014, the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) voted to set the date by which to make a decision on the above-referenced petition by May 4, 2015 in accordance with Conn. Gen. Stat. §4-176(e) and with Section 16-50j-40(c) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

The Council also granted the petitioner's Motion for Protective Order, dated October 30, 2014, related to the disclosure of Critical Energy Infrastructure Information (CEII), pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §1-210(b), on the basis that disclosure of the CEII may result in a safety and security risk.

The Protective Order shall apply to documents currently filed and any other CEII documents that may be filed in this petition proceeding.

Please feel free to call Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive Director and Staff Attorney, if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Robert Stein MAB

Robert Stein
Chairman

RS/RDM/lm

c: The Honorable Michael C. Tetreau, First Selectman, Town of Fairfield
Joseph E. Devonshuk, Planning Director, Town of Fairfield