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August 8, 2014

John Morissette, Project Manager
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RE: **DOCKET NO. 424** - The Connecticut Light & Power Company Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Connecticut portion of the Interstate Reliability Project that traverses the municipalities of Lebanon, Columbia, Coventry, Mansfield, Chaplin, Hampton, Brooklyn, Pomfret, Killingly, Putnam, Thompson, and Windham, which consists of (a) new overhead 345-kV electric transmission lines and associated facilities extending between CL&P's Card Street Substation in the Town of Lebanon, Lake Road Switching Station in the Town of Killingly, and the Connecticut/Rhode Island border in the Town of Thompson; and (b) related additions at CL&P's existing Card Street Substation, Lake Road Switching Station, and Killingly Substation.

Dear Mr. Morissette:

Pursuant to a decision made in accordance with R.C.S.A. §16-50j-62 (b) at a public meeting of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on September 19, 2013, and in response to your email of August 8, 2014, Council staff hereby approves a temporary change to the Development and Management (D&M) Plan to allow construction activities associated with the above project to occur from 7 AM until 7 PM on Sunday, August 10, 2014 at Card Street Substation in Lebanon and Lake Road Switching Station in Killingly. The extended work hours will facilitate the performance of critical construction activities, including electrical equipment installation and wire pulling, during optimal weather conditions, within each of the two stations that is essential to complete in advance of CONVEX-approved outages on CL&P's existing 330 line. All construction activities that are the subject of this request will be confined to the substation and switching station sites.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of August 8, 2014. Any additional changes to the D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the D&M Plan on September 19, 2013. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder 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/CMW

c: Parties and Intervenors

The Honorable Joyce Okunuk, First Selectman, Town of Lebanon
Philip Chester, AICP, Town Planner, Town of Lebanon
The Honorable John Hallbergh, Council Chairman, Town of Killingly
Sean Hendricks, Town Manager, Town of Killingly
Linda E. Walden, Director of Planning and Development, Town of Killingly



Bachman, Melanie

From: john.morissette@nu.com
Sent: Friday, August 08, 2014 11:10 AM
To: CSC-DL Siting Council
Cc: Bachman, Melanie; Walsh, Christina
Subject: DO 424 - Card Street and Lake Road - Extended Work Hours Request

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Section 16-50j-62(a)(1) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA) and Sections 4 and 7.2 of the *Development and Management (D&M) Plan for the Construction of the Interstate Reliability Project (Project, Interstate) Modifications to Card Street Substation, Lake Road Switching Station, and Killingly Substation*, The Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P) requests that the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) review and approve the following extra work hours to facilitate the construction of Project facilities at Card Street Substation (Town of Lebanon) and Lake Road Switching Station (Town of Killingly) prior to and during scheduled outages on the existing 330 Line in August, September, and October. The specific extra work hours requested is:

- CL&P's contractor, ES Boulos (ESB), is requesting permission to work at Card Street Substation and Lake Road Switching Station on Sunday, August 10, 2014, from 7 AM to 7:00 PM.

The request is to facilitate the performance of critical construction activities, including electrical equipment installation and wire pulling, during optimal weather conditions, within each of the two stations. Equipment to be used during the Sunday work includes man lifts, cranes, and hand tools. All activities will be confined to the station sites.

This work is essential to complete in advance of key, CONVEX-approved outages on CL&P's existing 330 Line in the upcoming months, particularly September - October. CL&P will inform the towns of Lebanon and Killingly regarding the planned Sunday work hours.

Regards
John Morissette

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