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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 September 5, 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 4 AM until 7 PM each day from Saturday, September 6, 2014 through Tuesday, September 16, 2014 at Card Street Substation in Lebanon. Work activities between 4 AM and 7 AM shall be confined to the control building at Card Street Substation and no civil work will occur during these hours. The additional work hours are necessary to prepare for construction that will occur during a major CONVEX-approved outage on the existing 330 Line. The proposed work shall be conducted in compliance with the state noise control regulations.

This approval applies only to the temporary additional work hours requested in your email of September 5, 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

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From: john.morissette@nu.com
Sent: Friday, September 05, 2014 8:24 AM
To: CSC-DL Siting Council
Cc: Bachman, Melanie; Walsh, Christina
Subject: Docket 424 - Interstate Reliability Project - Extended Work Hours

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 critical Project facilities at Card Street Substation (Town of Lebanon) in preparation for the upcoming major CONVEX-approved outage on CL&P's existing 330 Line (which extends between Card Street Substation and Lake Road Switching Station).

This work is in preparation for the major CONVEX-approved outage on the existing 330 Line, commencing on September 17, 2014. The outage, which will commence on September 17, 2014 and extend through October 11, 2014, is the only time that certain key Project activities can be completed this year.

The extended work hours will facilitate the performance of critical construction activities at Card Street substation that is essential to complete in advance of CONVEX-approved outages at Card Street and CL&P's existing 330 line that are scheduled to begin on September 17. All work during the requested hours (4 AM to 7 AM) would be confined to the control building at Card Street and no civil work conducted during these work hours. Therefore, the overall proposed work hours at Card Street Substation would be from Saturday, September 6, 2014 through Tuesday, September 16, 2014 would be 4 AM until 7 PM, seven days a week (Sunday through Saturday)."

In advance of the proposed work, CL&P will inform representatives of the towns of Lebanon and Killingly, as well as the owners of property abutting the stations, regarding the planned extra work hours.

Regards
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