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STATE OF CONNECTICUT)

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COUNTY OF HARTFORD)



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Pursuant to Section VIII of the Connecticut Siting Council's Application Guide for an Electric and Fuel Transmission Line Facility dated April 2010, I hereby certify that on or about January 16, 2013, I caused the attached notice regarding an Application of The Connecticut Light and Power Company to the Connecticut Siting Council for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction of a new underground 115-kV electric transmission line between CL&P's Glenbrook Substation in Stamford, Connecticut and its South End Substation also in Stamford, and related modifications to those substations, to be sent to the community groups set forth on the attached mailing list.

Anuj Mathur Project Manager

On this the <u>18</u> day of January, 2013, before me, the undersigned officer, personally appeared, Anuj Mathur, known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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March 31, 2014

| Attachment: Community Organizations Name | s Organization | Street | City, State | Zip Code |
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| Chet Valiante, Chairman | Stamford Chamber of Commerce | 733 Summer Street | Stamford, CT | 10690 |
| Richard Chiaramonte, President Jonathan Wiesner, Chairman | Stamford Land Conservation Trust Westchester Land Trust | 22 First Street 403 Harris Road | Stamford, CT Bedford, NY | 06905-0247 10507 |
| Robert Martinez, President | Connecticut Audubon Society Center at Fairfield | 2325 Burr Street | Fairfield, CT | 06824 |
| Donald S. Strait, Executive Director | Connecticut Fund for the Environment | 142 Temple Street, Suite 305 | New Haven, CT | 06510 |
| Lori Brown, Executive Director | Connecticut League of Conservation Voters | 553 Farmington Avenue, Suite 201 Hartford, CT | Hartford, CT | 06105 |
| Frogard Ryan, State Director | The Nature Conservancy in Connecticut | 55 Church Street, Floor 3 | New Haven, CT | 06510-3029 |
| Eric Hammerling, Executive Director | Connecticut Forest & Park Association (CFPA) | 16 Meriden Road | Rockfall, CT | 06481 |
| Milton Puryear, Executive Director | Mill River Collaborative | 888 Washington Blvd 7th Fl., c/o Land Use Bureau | Stamford, CT | 106901 |
| Margaret Miner, Executive Director | Rivers Alliance of Connecticut | P.O. Box 1797 | Litchfield, CT | 06759 |
| Attn: Kevin Case | Farmington River Watershed Association | 749 Hopmeadow Street | Simsbury, CT | 02090 |
| Attn: Liz Lacy | Farmington River Coordinating Committee | P.O. Box 395 | Pleasant Valley, CT | 06063 |
| Thomas Zoubek, Pn.d, Executive Director | The Stamford Historical Society Inc. | 1508 High Ridge Rd | Stamford, CT | 06903 |
| Renee Kahn, Director | The Historic Neighborhood Protection Program, Inc. | 78 Webb's Hill Road | Stamford, CT | 06903 |
| Susan McNamara, Executive Director | Long Island Sound Foundation | 1080 Shennecossett Road, Community & Professional Bldg | Groton, CT | 06340 |
| Terry Backer, Executive Director | Soundkeeper | P.O. Box 4058 | Norwalk, CT | 06855 |
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Notice of Application by The Connecticut Light and Power Company for Approval of an Underground Electric Transmission Line in the City of Stamford, Connecticut

Pursuant to the Application Guide for an Electric and Fuel Transmission Line Facility of the Connecticut Siting Council (adopted April 2010), notice is hereby given that The Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P) will on or about January 18, 2013, submit an application to the Connecticut Siting Council seeking a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Stamford Reliability Cable Project. The Stamford Reliability Cable Project would include construction of a new underground 115-kV electric transmission line between CL&P's Glenbrook Substation in Stamford, Connecticut and its South End Substation also in Stamford, and related modifications to those substations. The new 115-kV transmission lines would be constructed underground and aligned primarily along public roads in Stamford, Connecticut.

The Project is proposed to improve the reliability of the electric transmission system serving the Stamford and Greenwich, Connecticut local area in order to achieve future compliance with national and regional reliability criteria. The Project also would increase the capability of the transmission system to accommodate increased demand for electricity resulting from the City of Stamford's robust economic development efforts. It is designed to work in conjunction with recently completed transmission projects in Southwestern Connecticut to address system reliability problems that currently exist.

The Application will include a description of three possible routes, along with an evaluation of the environmental, engineering, reliability, operability, and cost considerations associated with those routes. The Application will also describe the required modifications of the Glenbrook Substation located on Lincoln Avenue in Stamford and the South End Substation located on Manhattan Street in Stamford, to accommodate additional equipment.

Copies of the Application will be available at the municipal offices of the City of Stamford.

For further information about this project, please visit www.StamfordCable.com, call 1.800.793.2202, or email TransmissionInfo@nu.com.

Sincerely,

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Project Manager, Transmission Projects