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Dear Mr. Phelps:

Subject: Docket No. 360
Telecommunications Facility
Town of Canaan

The Department of Transportation has reviewed the above-mentioned docket. Attached is a copy of the comments.

Should you have any further questions, please contact, Mr. Gregg Hendrickson, Utility Engineer (Utilities), @ (860) 594-3264.

Very truly yours,

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Transportation Principal Engineer

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 2800 Berlin Turnpike P.O.Box 317456, Rm. 3214 Newington, CT. 06131-7546

RE: **DOCKET NO.** – 360 Cellco Partnership d/b/a/ Verizon Wireless application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunication facility located at 188 Route 7 South, Falls Village (Canaan), Connecticut.

The Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) has reviewed the above mentioned Docket and has the following comment.

1.) If the proposed project requires access to Route 7 or would require any work within the Route 7 right of way, then the applicant must obtain an encroachment permit pursuant to the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, Section 13b-17-1. The District 4 Permit office will need to review a complete set of construction plans which show all work within the highway, all site work, any required easements and standard details for highway construction prior to issuing the permit.

The District 4 Permit Office will determine the bond amount, insurance coverage, maintenance and protection of traffic, inspection, roadway restoration and pavement restoration requirements.