

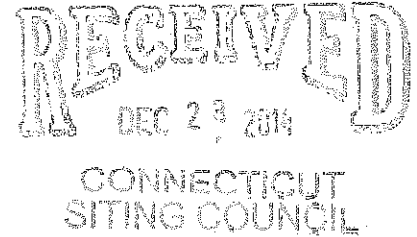
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Robert Stein, Chairman
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**Re: Dockets 370A-MR
Manchester to Meekville Junction Project ("MMP")
Decision and Order Condition #8 – Annual Operating Report**

Dear Chairman Stein:

On July 20, 2010, in Docket 370A-MR, the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") granted a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for The Connecticut Light and Power Company's ("CL&P's") Manchester to Meekville Junction Project ("MMP"). Condition #8 of the Council's Decision & Order directed that CL&P "provide the Council an operating report within three months after the conclusion of the first year of operation of all facilities herein, and annually thereafter for a period of three years, with information relevant to the condition, safety, reliability and operation of the transmission systems."

CL&P submits the following information to the Council in compliance with Condition #8:

The purpose of this letter is to respond to this condition of approval. The new MMP 345-kV line (circuit # 3557) entered service on September 28, 2012. The overall condition and safety of the 345-kV transmission line and associated facilities between Manchester Substation and Meekville Junction both in Manchester, Connecticut has been excellent. During 2013 and 2014 there were no forced outages of the line.

Please direct any questions you may have to me at 860-728-4532.

Sincerely,

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