

November 22, 2016

Mr. Robert Stein, Chairman
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

**RE: Docket No. 370A-MR:
Manchester to Meekville Junction Project (“MMP”)
Decision and Order Condition #8 – Annual Operating Report**

Dear Chairman Stein:

On March 16, 2010, in Docket 370, 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 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 relative 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 MMP 345-kV line (circuit #3557) entered service on September 28, 2012. The overall condition and safety of the 345-kV line and associated facilities between Manchester Substation and Meekville Junction, both located in Manchester, Connecticut, has been excellent. There were no forced outages in 2016.

This report represents the third and final annual operating report to the Council. Please direct any questions you may have to me at 860-728-4527.

Sincerely,



