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April 28, 2009

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RE: **DOCKET NO. 378** – SBA Towers II, LLC application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunications facility located at one of two sites on Rabbit Hill Road, Warren, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Larson:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) requests your responses to the enclosed questions no later than May 12, 2009. To help expedite the Council's review, please file individual responses as soon as they are available.

Please forward an original and 15 copies to this office. In accordance with the State Solid Waste Management Plan, the Council is requesting that all filings be submitted on recyclable paper, primarily regular weight white office paper. Please avoid using heavy stock paper, colored paper, and metal or plastic binders and separators. Fewer copies of bulk material may be provided as appropriate.

Yours very truly

Executive Director

c: Council Members
Parties and Intervenors



#### Docket 378: Warren, Connecticut SBA Towers II LLC Pre-Hearing Interrogatories, Set Two

- 1. Can an alternate access road to Site A be developed that begins from the barnyard area, descending to the tower site? If so, please depict a possible route.
- 2. Can an alternate access road to Site A be developed that enters the pasture at a higher elevation along Rabbit Hill Road? If so, please depict a possible route.
- 3. Provide a copy of the letter from Bruce Coleman to SBA dated September 9, 2008.
- 4. What is the height of the retaining wall on the north, east and west sides of the Site A compound?
- 5. What were the comments from the Towns of Warren and Washington, and area residents that necessitated SBA to develop an alternative location at Site B? How was this location chosen?
- 6. In correspondence dated February 11, 2009 to the Town of Warren, SBA indicated Verizon was interested in locating at the Site B facility. What was the basis of this statement?
- 7. Did the site search include properties south of Route 202? If so, list the properties investigated and reasons for rejection. If not, why not?
- 8. Would development of either site directly affect any habitat for the Sedge Skipper butterfly, Bronze Copper butterfly or the wood turtle? If so, describe the potential impact and any measures SBA could undertake to mitigate such impact.
- 9. Provide a copy of the Natural Diversity Database map used to determine no listed species occur at either site.
- 10. Was SBA invited to the October 5, 2008 Washington Conservation Commission meeting. If so, how was this request made? How did SBA respond to this request?
- 11. Did SBA respond to the Town of Washington's October 24, 2008 request that SBA attend the November 5, 2008 Conservation Commission meeting? If so, how? If not, why not?

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