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June 9, 2014

John R. Morissette  
Project Manager-Transmission Siting  
Northeast Utilities Service Company  
P.O. Box 270  
Hartford, CT 06141

RE: **DOCKET NO. 435** - The Connecticut Light & Power Company Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Stamford Reliability Cable Project, which consists of construction, maintenance, and operation of a new 115-kV underground transmission circuit extending approximately 1.5 miles between Glenbrook and South End Substations, Stamford, Connecticut and related substation improvements.

Dear Mr. Morissette:

Pursuant to a decision made in accordance with R.C.S.A. §16-50j-62 (b) at a public meeting of the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on December 12, 2013, Council staff hereby approves the location of the staging area for this project submitted to the Council on June 6, 2014.

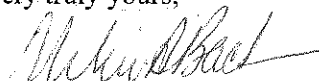
This staging area is comprised of a 1.5 acre property located between the Glenbrook Substation and the Metro North rail line with access from Hamilton Avenue. This area shall be used for the storage of construction equipment and materials and tools, and for the parking of construction and personal vehicles. This property is located in an urbanized area that has a paved or compacted gravel surface. Appropriate erosion and sedimentation controls shall be installed and maintained around piles of soil materials, in accordance with the Best Management Practices presented in the approved Development and Management (D&M) Plan.

This approval applies only to the Staging Area Request submitted on June 6, 2014. Any additional changes to the D&M Plan require advance notification and approval in accordance with the Council's approval of the D&M Plan on December 12, 2013. Furthermore, the Certificate Holder is responsible for reporting requirements pursuant to R.C.S.A. Section 16-50j-62.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

  
Melanie Bachman  
Acting Executive Director

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c: Parties and Intervenors  
David Martin, Mayor, City of Stamford