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Melanie Bachman, Acting Director  
Connecticut Siting Council  
Ten Franklin Square  
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Re: Docket No. 435: Stamford Reliability Cable Project  
Monthly Construction Progress Report - March

Dear Ms. Bachman:

Pursuant to Section 7.1 of the Development and Management Plan for the 115-kV underground transmission line and the South End Substation and Glenbrook Substation upgrades for the Stamford Reliability Cable Project. The Connecticut Light and Power Company ("CL&P") hereby provides a copy of the Monthly Construction Progress Report for March 2014.

Please contact me at 860-728-4532 with any questions that you or other Council members may have on this report.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John Morissette" with a small flourish at the end.

John Morissette  
Project Manager - Transmission Siting

Enclosure

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**UNDERGROUND TRANSMISSION LINE**

Construction commenced the week of March 17, 2014. Crews mobilized and began to perform three construction activities:

- Crews began to mark the road between CL&P's Glenbrook Substation on Lincoln Avenue and CL&P's South End Substation on Pacific Street.
- Crews began sawcut trenching along South State Street
- Crews began the duct bank installation within the fence at CL&P's South End substation.

**SUBSTATIONS**

Glenbrook Substation: Completed installation of the new 115-kV circuit breaker, the 115-kV intermediate coupling capacitors for breaker protection, motor operated disconnect switches and erection of steel structure for cable termination.

South End Substation: Completed installation and testing of CCVTs.

**MINOR DEVELOPMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLAN CHANGES**

As described in Section 7.2 of the D&M Plan, CL&P is reporting the following construction modifications as having limited impacts and which have been identified as non-significant changes to the D&M Plan:

Adjusted work hours to accommodate survey work during daytime hours across entire route. The City of Stamford approved the adjusted work hours.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL INSPECTIONS**

CL&P's environmental contractor AECOM Technology Corporation conducted five environmental inspections at Glenbrook Substation and South End Substation. AECOM observed that:

- The Erosion and Sediment Controls are installed in accordance with plan.
- Some sediment tracking was observed on Lincoln Avenue from Glenbrook Substation. The sediment tracking is not a result of the Stamford Cable Project. A tracking pad will be installed to prevent future tracking onto Lincoln Avenue.
- Install protection at the catch basin outside of Glenbrook Substation.