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S. Derek Phelps
Connecticut Siting Council
Ten Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Docket No. F-2008 - Connecticut Siting Council Review of the Ten-Year Forecast of Connecticut Electric Loads and Resources.

Dear Mr. Phelps:

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes §§ 4-177a(a) and 16-50n(a)(2), The Department of Public Utility Control (Department) hereby requests that the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) designate the Department as party to the above-captioned proceeding.

Communications concerning this proceeding should be served upon the following person:

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The Department of Public Utility Control is statutorily charged with regulating the rates and services of Connecticut's private investor-owned public electric utilities. The Department must balance the public's right to safe, adequate and reliable utility service at reasonable rates with the utility's right to a reasonable return on its investment. The Department also monitors competitive retail electric suppliers and the competitive marketplace to ensure that consumers have access and their rights are protected. The Department requests to be involved in the Council's docket process as the Forecast Report has valuable information which the Department may utilize in the course of its business.

Sincerely,

Donald W. Downes