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TO: Robert Hannon

FROM: Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive Director **MAB**

RE: **PETITION NO. 1246** - Eversource Energy petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the proposed removal of one existing 69-kV dead-end wood electric transmission line structure, replacement of two existing 69-kilovolt (kV) wood H-frame tap angle electric transmission line structures (Line 100 and Line 400) with two 3-pole weathering steel angle electric transmission line structures, relocation of the conductors from the existing electric transmission line structures to the proposed electric transmission line structures located at Gales Ferry Substation, 301 Whalehead Road, Ledyard, Connecticut and related transmission line and substation improvements.

The Connecticut Siting Council has scheduled a field inspection for Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. to review this petition. Interested parties should meet near the entrance gate of Gales Ferry Substation.

MB/MP

- c: Secretary of the State (via e-mail service)
Honorable Michael Finkelstein, Mayor, Town of Ledyard
Charles Karno, Planning Director, Town of Ledyard
Kathleen M. Shanley, Manager – Transmission Siting, Eversource
Helen M. Taylor, Project Siting Specialist, Eversource