

Notice of Application by The Connecticut Light and Power Company
for Approval of an Underground Electric Transmission Line in the
City of Stamford, Connecticut

Pursuant to the Application Guide for an Electric and Fuel Transmission Line Facility of the Connecticut Siting Council (adopted April 2010), notice is hereby given that The Connecticut Light and Power Company (CL&P) will on or about January 18, 2013, submit an application to the Connecticut Siting Council seeking a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Stamford Reliability Cable Project. The Stamford Reliability Cable Project would include construction of a new underground 115-kV electric transmission line between CL&P's Glenbrook Substation in Stamford, Connecticut and its South End Substation also in Stamford, and related modifications to those substations. The new 115-kV transmission lines would be constructed underground and aligned primarily along public roads in Stamford, Connecticut.

The Project is proposed to improve the reliability of the electric transmission system serving the Stamford and Greenwich, Connecticut local area in order to achieve future compliance with national and regional reliability criteria. The Project also would increase the capability of the transmission system to accommodate increased demand for electricity resulting from the City of Stamford's robust economic development efforts. It is designed to work in conjunction with recently completed transmission projects in Southwestern Connecticut to address system reliability problems that currently exist.

The Application will include a description of three possible routes, along with an evaluation of the environmental, engineering, reliability, operability, and cost considerations associated with those routes. The Application will also describe the required modifications of the Glenbrook Substation located on Lincoln Avenue in Stamford and the South End Substation located on Manhattan Street in Stamford, to accommodate additional equipment.

Copies of the Application will be available at the municipal offices of the City of Stamford.

For further information about this project, please visit www.StamfordCable.com, call 1.800.793.2202, or email TransmissionInfo@nu.com.

Sincerely,



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