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STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

Docket No. F-2014/2015  
Connecticut Siting Council Review of the Ten  
Year Forecast of Connecticut Electric Loads  
and Resources (2014-2023)

Public Hearing held at the Connecticut  
Siting Council, 10 Franklin Square, New  
Britain, Connecticut, on June 24, 2014,  
beginning at 6:30 p.m.

H e l d        B e f o r e:  
                  MELANIE BACHMAN, ESQ.,  
                  Acting Executive Director

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1 MS. BACHMAN: Ladies and  
2 gentlemen, this hearing is called to order  
3 this Tuesday, June 24, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. My  
4 Name is Melanie Bachman, Acting Executive  
5 Director and staff attorney with the  
6 Connecticut Siting Council. Members of the  
7 staff are Michael Perrone, siting analyst.

8 The Connecticut Siting Council  
9 is holding this public hearing on the 2014  
10 ten-year forecast of electric loads and  
11 resources in Connecticut pursuant to  
12 Connecticut General Statute Section 16-50r.

13 The purpose of the hearing is  
14 to examine the adequacy and reliability of  
15 electric generation and transmission in the  
16 state, while considering the cost to  
17 consumers and protecting the environment.

18 Pursuant to these statutory  
19 requirements, the proceeding will analyze  
20 load-growth forecasts of the state's electric  
21 utilities and plans to meet the demand for  
22 electricity through the year 2023.

23 Is there any member of the  
24 public here this evening who would like to  
25 make a statement into the record?

1 (No response.)

2 MS. BACHMAN: Hearing and  
3 seeing none.

4 The Connecticut Siting Council  
5 has had the responsibility to review the  
6 forecast of electric loads and resources in  
7 the state since 1972. Since that time, the  
8 Council has studied and recorded on the  
9 Utility's plans to adequately forecast and  
10 meet the public's growing demand for  
11 electricity.

12 The state of Connecticut and  
13 this agency understand we must meet the  
14 challenge of a restructured electric industry  
15 to promote efficient and reliable electric  
16 generation and transmission, keep costs as  
17 low as reasonably possible, and protect our  
18 environment. On that basis, we ask for  
19 cooperation and innovation to identify  
20 changes and refinements that will be  
21 necessary to make the Siting process  
22 efficient.

23 Any person who desires to make  
24 their views known to the Council may file a  
25 witness statement by July 24, 2014. Copies

1 of the transcript of this hearing will be  
2 filed at the Council's office, at 10 Franklin  
3 Square, New Britain, Connecticut.

4 I declare this hearing  
5 adjourned. Thank you for your participation.  
6 Please drive safely and conserve energy.

7 (Whereupon, the above  
8 proceedings were adjourned at 6:31 p.m.)

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I hereby certify that the foregoing 6 pages are a complete and accurate transcription of a digital sound recording taken of the Public Hearing in Re: DOCKET NO. F-2014/2015 - CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL REVIEW OF THE TEN-YEAR FORECAST OF CONNECTICUT ELECTRIC LOADS AND RESOURCES (2014 - 2023), which was held before MELANIE BACHMAN, ESQ., Acting Executive Director, at the Connecticut Siting Council, 10 Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut, on June 24, 2014.

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