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RE: **PETITION NO. 984** - BNE Energy, Inc. petition for a declaratory ruling that no Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is required for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a 4.8 MW Wind Renewable Generating facility located on Winsted-Norfolk Road (Route 44), Colebrook, Connecticut. **D&M Plan – Conservation Restriction.**

Dear Attorney Hoffman:

In response to your letter dated May 25, 2012, requesting approval of the Conservation Restriction, please be advised that by this writing the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) staff hereby approves the proposed Conservation Restriction. The Conservation Restriction complies with Paragraph 3(b) of the Council's Decision and Order dated June 9, 2011 and with the Council's approval of the Development and Management Plan dated December 16, 2011. The Conservation Restriction also conforms to the requirements under Connecticut General Statutes Chapter 822, Easements and Restrictions.

This approval applies only to the Conservation Restriction submitted on May 25, 2012. Any changes to the D&M Plan require advance Council notification and approval.

Please be advised that deviations from this plan are enforceable under the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes § 16-50u.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Linda Roberts
Executive Director

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c: Parties and Intervenors