

July 26, 2002

Mr. Joel Rinebold
Executive Director
Institute for Sustainable Energy
Eastern Connecticut State University
670-676 Main Street
Willimantic, CT 06226

Re: Docket: 02-04-23 – Task Force Investigation of All Proposals for Gas or Electric Transmission Projects – Working Group Position Paper of The Connecticut Light and Power Company

Dear Mr. Rinebold:

The Connecticut Light and Power Company submits herewith its position paper related to the Working Group work effort. At the Task Force/Working Group meeting on June 12, 2002, you requested that Working Group members submit position papers regarding the work to be accomplished by the Working Group. The Company has focused its comments in a manner to assist members in setting the workplan and agenda for preparing the assessment and report that is to be completed under the direction of the Institute for Sustainable Energy next year.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (860) 665-3568.

Very truly yours,

Richard A. Soderman
Director-Regulatory Policy & Planning

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