STATE OF CONNECTICUT

PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY

APPLICATION OF THE CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY d/b/a EVERSOURCE ENERGY TO AMEND ITS RATE SCHEDULES	:	**DOCKET NO. 26-05-10**
		OCTOBER 22, 2026

MOTION OF CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY D/B/A EVERSOURCE ENERGY FOR PROTECTIVE TREATMENT OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy (the "Company" or "CL&P") hereby moves that the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority ("PURA") grant protective treatment as described in this motion to ensure that certain confidential information provided by the Company in the above-referenced proceeding is not subject to public disclosure. As outlined below, certain information provided by the Company in response to an interrogatory issued by the New England Connectivity and Telecommunications Association ("NECTA") on October 2, 2026 ("NECTA Set 5") contain employee names, which the Company does not disclose publicly.

In support of this motion, the Company states as follows:

1. The confidential information addressed in this motion includes information provided by the Company in the following attachment to an interrogatory in NECTA Set 5:

Interrogatory Number	Attachment Name	Redacted Filing Date	Confidential Filing Date
NECTA-120	Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL	October 19, 2026	October 19, 2026

NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL, was submitted to PURA via email on October 19, 2026. The last response to NECTA Set 5 was filed with PURA on October 19, 2026.

Employee Names and Contact Information

2. NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL, contains names of individual Eversource employees. Employee names should be protected from public disclosure. If the Company makes employee information public, there are both cybersecurity and physical security risks to individual Eversource employees. Making employee information public triggers an increased risk in phishing attacks as there is more information available about Eversource employees, centralized and publicly available. Additionally, there is a risk of personal harassment for individual employees.

3. This information is protected from public disclosure pursuant to Item 6(f) of PURA's Revised Procedural Order and Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-210(b)(2) as the public disclosure would constitute an invasion of personal privacy. The public disclosure of the employee information may also result in a safety risk or a security risk to information technology systems, and therefore should be exempt from public disclosure under Conn. Gen. Stat. §§ 1-210(b)(19) and (20). PURA has protected employee names from public disclosure in this docket. See, Docket No. 26-05-10, Aug. 3, 2026 Ruling on Motion No. 10 at 5-6, and Docket No. 26-05-10, Sept. 10, 2026 Ruling on Motion No. 32.

4. PURA has previously protected employee names from public disclosure pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 1-210(b)(5)(B) ("Commercial or financial information given in confidence, not required by statute."). In Docket No. 24-01-03, PURA Annual Review of the Rate Adjustment Mechanisms of The Connecticut Light and Power Company, PURA approved CL&P's motion for reconsideration for protection of Eversource employee names and contact information pursuant to Section 1-210(b)(5)(B). Docket No. 24-01-03 (July 16, 2024 Ruling on Motion No. 28 at 2); see also Docket No. 21-08-24, Petition of William Tong, Attorney General for the State of

Connecticut, and the Office of Consumer Counsel for an Investigation into Eversource Energy Regarding Gas Expansion Marketing (Oct. 25, 2021 Ruling to Motion No. 7) (protecting employee names, addresses, and telephone numbers).

5. NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL, is maintained by the Company as confidential and has not been disclosed or released to the public.

6. NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL, is exempt from disclosure under Conn. Gen. Stat. §§ 1-210(b)(2), as described herein.

7. Additionally, pursuant to the Revised Procedural Order, NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL, is the type of information that is typically subject to protected treatment, specifically employee names.

8. In this case, the necessity of withholding public disclosure of NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL, outweighs the public interest in such disclosure.

9. Attached in support of this motion as Attachment A, is the Affidavit of Casandra Dickson, Director of Regulatory Projects and Compliance for Eversource Energy Service Company. The affidavit addresses the need for protective treatment of NECTA-120, Attachment 2 CONFIDENTIAL.

10. For the foregoing reasons, CL&P respectfully requests that PURA grant this motion for protective order.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that on October 22, 2026, a copy of the foregoing was sent to the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority, the Office of Consumer Counsel, and to the official service list in this proceeding in Compliance with Conn. Regs. §16-1-15, as amended.

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