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**
	:	**AUGUST 10, 2026**

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME BY THE CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy ("CL&P" or the "Company") respectfully requests that the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority ("PURA") grant an extension of time for the Company to submit a response to an interrogatory issued by the Office of Consumer Counsel ("OCC") on July 30, 2026 ("OCC Set 2"). Specifically, the Company seeks an extension of time for OCC-190. The Company requests an extension of time for OCC-190 consistent with PURA's Notice of Proceeding issued on June 2, 2026 ("Notice"), which requires that any person requesting a procedural change or other PURA approval must file a motion. Notice at 2. Specifically, the Notice requires that motions for extension of time "shall be filed in advance of the prescribed deadline and should provide sufficient time for the Authority to consider timely objections and to rule on the motion." Id. The Company submits this Motion three business days in advance of the current due date for OCC-190.

OCC-190 in OCC Set 2 was issued with an initial due date of August 13, 2026. OCC Set 2 encompassed a total of 50 individual interrogatories, plus sub-parts. OCC-190 seeks detailed information related to relevant aspects of the Company rate case application. Specifically, OCC-190 requests detailed information regarding pole owner requirements, internal resources related to poles, and documentation related to pole costs.

At this time, the Company has determined it is unlikely it will be able to produce a complete and accurate response to OCC-190 within the current due date. OCC-190 requires in-depth research, data extraction, analysis and review, and input from subject matter experts and numerous individuals from various parts of the organization, including management personnel and legal counsel, to ensure complete and accurate responses.

The Company bears the evidentiary burden to prove the elements of its rate proposals, and therefore requires a fair and reasonable opportunity to collect and provide information sought by PURA and other parties in furtherance of that obligation. Although many aspects of a rate proceeding are reasonably anticipated by the Company, the Company cannot anticipate all permutations of information that may be requested; the timing of those requests; requests for specific documentation; or, requests that involve research of historical records, records of accounts, or even employee-related recollections. The Company must have a reasonable opportunity to respond with full and adequate information, consistent with the Company's due process rights to present its case.

The Company is working diligently and using best efforts to produce the response to OCC-190 on a timely basis. However, for the reasons stated in this Motion, the Company requires a 5 business-day extension of time for OCC-190 in order to have a reasonable amount of time to research, prepare, review, and submit a complete and accurate response to OCC-190. Where feasible, the Company has filed responses to interrogatories in advance of due dates. For OCC-190 that requires a longer time to produce a complete and accurate response, the Company will continue to use best efforts to submit its response as soon as possible. The Company has limited this extension request to only OCC-190 to ensure that it does not prejudice any other party.

The Company has informed OCC in advance of this Motion and received confirmation that OCC consents to OCC-190 being filed on August 20, 2026.

WHEREFORE, the Company respectfully requests PURA grant a 5 business-day extension of time for OCC-190, thereby moving the response deadline to August 20, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

THE CONNECTICUT LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY d/b/a EVERSOURCE ENERGY

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that on August 10, 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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