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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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Executive Secretary
Public Utilities Regulatory Authority
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New Britain, CT 06051

Re: Docket No. 26-05-10 – Application of The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy to Amend its Rate Schedules – CL&P's Response to OCC's Comment on Motion No. 10

Dear Mr. Gaudiosi:

The Connecticut Light and Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy (the "Company" of "CL&P") provides the following additional detail to the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority ("PURA") in response to the Office of Consumer Counsel's ("OCC's") July 17, 2026 Comment on Motion No. 10 ("OCC's Comment"). In OCC's Comment, the OCC notes that "[i]t appears that the Motion might have inadvertently omitted requested protection for Exhibit CLP-ADDITIONS-12 REDACTED FOR RELEVANCE.pdf, which was filed as redacted in the public filing and OCC does not see a confidential version in the material received."

To clarify for the OCC and PURA, the Company does not seek confidential treatment for an unredacted, confidential version of Exhibit CLP-ADDITIONS-12 REDACTED FOR RELEVANCE, because there is not one. As stated in the electronic file name, the redacted information is not relevant to this proceeding, indicating the Company chose not to provide that information in this proceeding as it does not relate to CL&P. In other words, the Company does not seek to enter non-relevant information into this proceeding, and therefore the Company removed that information from its public filing while preserving information that does relate to CL&P in the public filing. There is no need for or a pending request for PURA to make a determination as to the confidentiality of the material that is redacted, as it is redacted because it is information pertaining to other Eversource affiliates or jurisdictions outside of Connecticut that is not relevant to this adjudication of the proposed amendment to CL&P's base distribution rate.

This is not a new practice. PURA's Rules of Evidence in R.S.C.A. § 16-1-38 state that irrelevant evidence should be excluded. That is exactly what the Company has done in preparing Exhibit CLP-ADDITIONS-12. CL&P's affiliate, Yankee Gas Services Company, likewise followed this practice of excluding irrelevant evidence about other affiliates or jurisdictions where

appropriate in its recent rate case, Docket No. 24-12-01.[1] For these reasons, PURA need not evaluate Exhibit CLP-ADDITIONS-12 within the context of reviewing the Company's July 15, 2026 Motion for Protective Treatment of Confidential Information.

Additionally, CL&P encourages OCC and other parties to contact the Company's counsel, in the future, if they have a question or a perceived concern about any information CL&P files in the rate case. CL&P welcomes such outreach from parties. Calling or e-mailing CL&P's counsel in such circumstances could potentially avoid or reduce the number of times another party raises perceived concerns with PURA, which promotes administrative efficiency by reducing the number of issues that require adjudication.

Please contact me if there are any questions with respect to this filing.

Very truly yours,



Tiffany N. Tisler

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[1] See, e.g., OCC-410, Attachment 3 REDACTED FOR RELEVANCE, filed March 6, 2025, and LFE-112, Attachment 1 REDACTED FOR RELEVANCE, filed June 23, 2025, both in Docket No. 24-12-01.