August 1, 2026

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Public Utilities Regulatory Authority
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Re: Docket No. 26-08-05, Annual Energy Storage Solutions Program Review – Year 6 – Motion for Review and Approval in Compliance with Order No. 3 and 8

Docket No. 25-08-05, Annual Energy Storage Solutions Program Review – Year 5 – Motion for Review and Approval in Compliance with Order No. 3 and 8

Dear Mr. Gaudiosi:

The Connecticut Light & Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy ("Eversource"), the Connecticut Green Bank ("Green Bank"), and The United Illuminating Company ("UI"; together with Green Bank and Eversource, the Program Administrators, or "PAs") submit the attached Motion to the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority ("PURA"), in compliance with Order Nos. 3 and 8 of the Final Decision issued on December 17, 2025, in Docket No. 25-08-05.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have any questions concerning this filing. The undersigned certify that a copy of this filing was served on all parties on this service list in this proceeding on this date.

Sincerely,

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ANNUAL ENERGY STORAGE SOLUTIONS PROGRAM REVIEW – YEAR5	:	**DOCKET NO. 26-08-05**
		AUGUST 1, 2026

MOTION FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF COMPLIANCE WITH ORDER NO. 3 & 8

I. INTRODUCTION

The Connecticut Green Bank ("Green Bank"), The Connecticut Light & Power Company d/b/a Eversource Energy ("Eversource"), and The United Illuminating Company ("UI"; together with Green Bank and Eversource, the "Program Administrators" or "PAs") respectfully submit to the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority ("PURA" or "Authority") this Motion for Review and Approval in compliance with Order No. 3 and 8 in the Final Decision issued on December 17, 2025 in Docket No. 25-08-05 (the "Final Decision").

Specifically, Order No. 3 states:

> *Reference Decision, Dec. 21, 2022, Docket No. 22-08-05, Order No. 3, p. 38: No later than August 1, 2022, and annually thereafter until the ESS Program stops accepting new enrollments, the Program Administrators shall submit an annual report summarizing the Program results to date, including an updated BCA using AESC counterfactual one and an updated BCA calculator and including a CT specific RIM score, and recommendations for any Program modifications to the ESS Program documents including the Program Manual, providing both a clean and a redlined version of all documents and an accompanying narrative document explaining how the recommended changes would help achieve the Program Objectives, which may also be the annual report, in the relevant Annual Review proceeding (i.e., in Docket No. 23- 08-05 on August 1, 2023, etc.). The Program Administrators shall include active dispatch only projects in the Program's total 580 MW deployment goal, and the Program Administrators shall exclude active dispatch only projects from the Program's Tranche and incentive step MW capacity limits. Further, the Program Administrators shall track total active dispatch only project MW deployment and include such information in the annual report filed with the Authority. Last, the Program Administrators shall include all DERMS fees paid to support by each DERMS provider the Program in an aggregate or total*

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amount, and data on instances where a system could not perform due to OEM-triggered severe storm events called during uncanceled passive dispatch hours.

Specifically, Order No. 8 states:

- *Reference Decision, Dec. 8, 2021, Docket No. 21-08-05, Order No. 9, p. 40: No later than August 1, 2022, and annually thereafter until the ESS Program stops accepting new enrollments, the Program Administrators shall submit its compliance with Order No. 22 of the Storage Decision, incorporating the direction provided in Sections IV.B.2. and V.A.4.iii. of this Decision.*

The PAs submit the attached supporting documentation entitled:

- **Attachment 1,** Docket 26-08-05 Order 3 ESS BCA Calculator 07282026.
- **Attachment 2,** Docket 26-08-05 Order 3 CT Energy Storage Solutions Annual Evaluation Report August 1, 2026.
- **Attachment 3,** OEM Outage Protection Data Summer 2025.
- **Attachment 4,** Narrative of ESS Program Recommendations
- **Attachment 5,** ESS Program Manual Clean 08012026 FINAL
- **Attachment 6,** ESS Program Manual Redline 08012026 FINAL
- **Attachment 7,** ESS Marketing Supplement

Any substantial changes approved by PURA in the forthcoming Docket No. 26-08-05 Final Decision, and not currently included in this Program Manual, will need to be incorporated within a reasonable timeframe after the issuance of the final decision. Additionally, the PAs note in Attachment 4, which summarizes proposed Program Manual modifications, there are some areas where the PAs are not in full agreement, and the differences are noted in the recommendation sections of Attachment 4. The **DERMS fees** for calendar year 2025 are $148,939.00 for Eversource and $78,807.74 for UI.

The PAs respectfully request that PURA review and approve Order Nos. 3 and 8 for the Energy Storage Solutions program.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this day a copy of the foregoing was sent to the official service list in this proceeding in compliance with Conn. Regs. § 16-1-15, as amended.

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