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April 23, 2009

Via Electronic and U.S. Mail

Sam M. Laniado, Esq.
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Re: Case 08-T-1388 – Long Island Power Authority – 138 kV Underground Cable in an Existing Conduit from the Riverhead to the Canal Substation.

Dear Mr. Laniado:

Enclosed is a notice of public statement hearings concerning the 138 kV underground cable proposed by the Long Island Power Authority. LIPA is directed to publish this notice twice in advance of the scheduled hearing in newspapers of general circulation in the communities where the facility will be located.

Consistent with our objective to provide ample awareness of the public statement hearings, the notice should be published in a manner to attract public attention. Accordingly, the notice should be placed in a prominent location in the body of the newspapers rather than be set forth in small print in the legal notices section.

Affidavits of publication for the public statement hearings should be presented to the presiding officer either at the hearings or shortly thereafter. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

William Bouteiller

Administrative Law Judge

Enclosure

cc: Central Files

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