COMMISSIONER Jared S. Chicoine

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER Christopher J. Ellms, Jr.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY 21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10 Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

April 5, 2024

Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street Concord, NH 03301

Re: DE 23-092; Until Energy Systems, Inc.; 2024 Reliability Enhancement Program and Vegetation Management Plan; Technical Statement of Jay E. Dudley, Department of Energy & Joseph J. DeVirgilio and Ronald D. Willoughby, River Consulting Group, Inc.

Dear Chairman Goldner:

Pursuant to a Procedural Order issued in this docket on March 13, 2024, attached is the Technical Statement of Jay E. Dudley, Department of Energy & Joseph J. DeVirgilio and Ronald D. Willoughby, River Consulting Group, Inc., which contains the Department of Energy's analysis and recommendations concerning Unitil Energy System Inc.'s 2024 Reliability Enhancement Program and Vegetation Management Plan.

Consistent with the Commission's current practices, this letter is being filed only in electronic form.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Marie-Helene Bailinson

Marie-Helene Bailinson-Georges, Esq. Hearings Examiner

cc: Service List

TDD Access: Relay NH 1-800-735-2964

Tel. (603) 271-3670

Website: www.energy.nh.gov ClerksOffice@puc.nh.gov

amanda.o.noonan@energy.nh.gov

donald.m.kreis@oca.nh.gov

elizabeth.r.nixon@energy.nh.gov

Energy-Litigation@energy.nh.gov

jay.e.dudley@energy.nh.gov

Marie-Helene.B.Bailinson@energy.nh.gov

mark.p.toscano@energy.nh.gov

ocalitigation@oca.nh.gov

paul.b.dexter@energy.nh.gov

Stephen.R.Eckberg@energy.nh.gov

taylorp@unitil.com

thomas.c.frantz@energy.nh.gov

willoughbyconsulting@gmail.com