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Debra A. Howland Executive director & Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street Suite 10 Concord NH 03301-2429

> Re: Docket No. DE 07-097 Public Service Company of New Hampshire Petition for Adjustment of Stranded Cost Recovery Charge Proposed Procedural Schedule



Dear Ms. Howland:

On September 7, 2007, Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH) filed with the Commission a Petition for Adjustment of the Stranded Cost Recovery Charge effective January 1, 2008 (Docket No. DE 07-097). On September 14, 2007, the Commission issued an Order of Notice setting a prehearing conference for October 9, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. The prehearing conference was held, at which time the Commission granted a Petition for Intervention filed by the Campaign for Ratepayers Rights (CRR) and took initial positions of the parties. Following the prehearing conference, Staff, PSNH, CRR and the Office of Consumer Advocate held a technical session to establish a procedural schedule. The following represents the procedural scheduled agreed to at the technical session:

Data Requests to PSNH Responses to Data Requests **Technical Session** Staff & Intervenor Testimony Data Requests on Staff and Intervenor **Testimony** Settlement Conference Responses to Data Requests PSNH files updated market price data Hearing on the merits

October 16, 2007 October 26, 2007 November 1, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. November 9, 2007

November 14, 2007 November 16, 2007 at 9:00 a.m. November 21, 2007 November 21, 2007 November 28, 2007

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The parties and Staff respectfully request that the Commission approve this proposed procedural schedule for Docket No. DE 07-097. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Suzanne G. Amidon

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