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Ms. Debra A. Howland **Executive Director and Secretary** New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, New Hampshire 03301

> Docket No. DE 09-067, Complaint of Clean Power Development, LLC Re: Against Public Service of New Hampshire

Dear Secretary Howland:

By Order No. 25,075 dated February 24, 2010, the Commission ordered the parties in Docket No. DE 09-067 to submit legal memoranda regarding the nature and extent of PSNH's duty to negotiate with and contract for power from CPD. Per Rule Puc 203.02, PSNH hereby submits seven copies of its Legal Memorandum. Electronic copies have been provided to the Commission and the parties on the Service List for this docket.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Bersak Assistant Secretary and

Assistant General Counsel

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