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

RE: DE 12-292, Public Service Company of New Hampshire Review of PSNH Generation Costs

Dear Ms. Howland:

In Order No. 25,380 in Docket No. DE 11-215, the Commission ordered that Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH) review various operational and cost issues relating to its fossil-fueled generation units and to submit the results of that review with PSNH's next Energy Service rate filing. Enclosed with this letter, please find a report prepared by PSNH in response to the Commission's directive. Also accompanying this letter is a motion for confidential treatment regarding the report.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,

Matthew J. Fossum

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