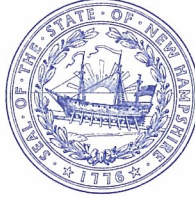


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December 4, 2012

Re: DE 12-320, Public Service Company of New Hampshire
Petition for Recovery of Pre-Staging Costs through the Major Storm Cost Reserve
Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On November 27, 2012, a duly noticed prehearing conference was held in the above referenced proceeding. The Commission's attorney, Alex Speidel, presided as the Hearings Examiner and submitted a report with recommendations on December 3, 2012. Appearances at the prehearing conference were entered by representatives of Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH), and Commission Staff. There were no motions to intervene.

Following the prehearing conference, the parties and Staff met in a technical session and agreed upon the following schedule which was submitted to the Commission by letter from Staff dated November 27, 2012:

Staff Data Requests	By 11/30/12
PSNH Data Responses	By 12/07/12
Conference Call, if necessary	12/13/12 at 10:00 a.m.

On November 28, 2012, the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) filed a letter of participation.

The Commission has determined that the proposed schedule is in the public interest and therefore has approved it. For administrative efficiency, the Commission has elected to issue this Secretarial Letter as its prehearing order in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director

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