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Re: DE 12-347, Granite State Electric Company d/b/a Liberty Utilities 2012 Least Cost Integrated Resource Plan (LCIRP) Date for Subsequent LCIRP Filing

Dear Ms. Knowlton:

On March 5, 2014, the Commission suspended by secretarial letter the portion of Order No. 25,625 that required Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty) to file its next Least Cost Integrated Resource Plan by December 1. 2014. As delineated in the March 5, 2014 secretarial letter, and in light of the passage of HB 1540 on June 16, 2014, the Commission has determined to fix the due date of the Company's next LCIRP filing as January 15, 2016. This is in conformity with the language of HB 1540, which requires subsequent LCIRP filings to be made "within 2 years of the commission's final order regarding the utility's prior plan," as the final order accepting the Company's current LCIRP was issued on January 27, 2014.

Sincerely,

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Debra A. Howland Executive Director

cc: Service List (Electronically) Docket File

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Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.11 (a) (1): Serve an electronic copy on each person identified on the service list.

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a) Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.02 (a), with the exception of Discovery, file 7 copies, as well as an electronic copy, of all documents including cover letter with: DEBRA A HOWLAND

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- b) Serve an electronic copy with each person identified on the Commission's service list and with the Office of Consumer Advocate.
- c) Serve a written copy on each person on the service list not able to receive electronic mail.