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Via Hand Delivery and Electronic Mail

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



**Re: DE 13-150; Granite State Electric Company d/b/a Liberty Utilities
Fiscal Year 2013 (April 1, 2012 - March 31, 2013) Reliability Enhancement
Plan and Vegetation Management Plan Report and Reconciliation Filing**

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of Granite State Electric Company, Inc. d/b/a Liberty Utilities, I enclose for filing the affidavit of publication demonstrating that the Order of Notice in the above-captioned docket was published in the Eagle Tribune on June 3, 2013. The Eagle Tribune is a paper in general circulation in the Salem, New Hampshire area.

We were notified today by the Valley News that the newspaper failed to publish the Order of Notice on June 2 as it had agreed to do. As a result, the Company was unable to meet the June 5 deadline to publish the Order of Notice in its Upper Valley service territory. The Valley News has informed us that it will publish the Order of Notice tomorrow, June 11, 2013.

The Company therefore requests that the Commission grant an extension of time until June 11, 2013 to publish the order of notice in the Company's Upper Valley territory. This extension is in the public interest given that there will still be advanced notice of the June 15 hearing in the Upper Valley portion of the Company's service territory.

Thank you for your assistance. Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Sarah B. Knowlton

Enclosure

cc: Service list



June 3, 2013

AFFIDAVIT

I, Theresa Lindner hereby certify that I am employed by the publishers of the Eagle Tribune, and the following legal notice advertisement, concerning:

NH PUC DE13-150

Was published in the Eagle Tribune as follows:

June 3, 2013

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Theresa Lindner", written over a horizontal line.

Theresa Lindner
Legal Advertising Representative

3 June, 2013

State of Massachusetts
County of Essex

Then, personally appeared before me, Theresa Lindner
and declared that the statements in the foregoing were true to
the best of her ability and belief.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Irene D. Carver", written over a horizontal line.

Notary Public
Comm. Exp: 3/9/18