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> Re: Docket No. DE 15-147 Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. Petition to Recover Distribution Revenue Displaced to Net Metering Status of Case

Dear Ms. Howland:

On May 14, 2015, Until Energy Systems, Inc. (Unitil) filed a petition to recover distribution revenue displaced due to net metering. An Order of Notice was issued on June 4, 2015, and the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) filed a letter of participation on May 18, 2015.

Discovery ensued. Staff, the OCA and Unitil held several technical sessions on the filing. Ultimately, Staff concluded that the method used by Unitil to derive the amount of revenue displaced by net metering is appropriate.

My current understanding of the status of this docket is that Unitil will prepare a settlement agreement for consideration by the parties. I also understand that in its next External Delivery Charge filing due in June, Unitil will be requesting displaced revenue associated with net metering for 2013, 2014 and 2015 with rates for effect August 1, 2016.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Amidon Staff Attorney

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