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**BY OVERNIGHT DELIVERY AND E-MAIL**

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

**RE: Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.**  
**Petition for RSA 371:17 Water Crossing License**  
**Docket No. DE 16-\_\_\_\_\_**

Dear Director Howland:

On behalf of Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (Unitil Energy), enclosed for filing is an *original* and six copies of a Petition for a license to rebuild and maintain the poles and electric line crossing the Merrimack River near Sewalls Falls Rd, Concord NH. The rebuilding of the line is necessary due to the City of Concord's reconstruction of the Sewalls Falls Bridge. In support of the Company's Petition, please find the following exhibits:

Exhibit 1 – Line Plan and Profile  
Exhibit 2 – Pole Top Design  
Exhibit 3 – Sewalls Falls Rd Water Crossing Overview Map  
Exhibit 4 - FEMA Flood Zone Map of the Sewalls Falls Rd Water Crossing

As indicated in the Petition, Unitil Energy respectfully requests that the Petition be granted without a hearing, on a *nisi* basis. Please feel free to contact me with any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Epler".

Gary Epler  
Attorney for Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.

Enclosures

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