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Re: DW 18-022: Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW) 2018 Petition for Qualified Capital Project Adjustment Charge (QCPAC) Staff Recommendation to Amend Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

On April 6, 2018, the Commission issued a Secretarial Letter approving a procedural schedule in this case. Included in the approved schedule was a date of August 8, 2018 on which the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA) and the Commission Staff (Staff) would file their respective recommendations with the Commission on PWW's QCPAC filing. These recommendations would not only address PWW's proposed QCPAC surcharge for 2018, based on its 2017 capital projects, but also the Company's proposed 2018 capital budget.

On July 11, 2018, PWW, the OCA, and Staff held a technical session in this proceeding. During that meeting, the parties agreed that PWW should file its quarterly update concerning its 2018 budgeted capital projects on August 15, 2018 rather than the July 15, 2018 date that was originally contemplated. As a result, the parties also agreed that the procedural schedule in this case should be amended so that the Staff's and the OCA's recommendations would include consideration of PWW's August 15 quarterly update filing. Therefore, PWW, the OCA, and Staff agree and recommend that the Commission amend the procedural schedule in this proceeding in order that the date on which the OCA and Staff file their respective recommendations on PWW's QCPAC filing would now be August 29, 2018 rather than August 8, 2018, as originally approved. Thank you for your assistance and consideration of this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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