## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

## **BEFORE THE**

## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

# PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE d/b/a EVERSOURCE ENERGY

#### Docket No. DE 19-057

#### **Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules**

# **MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

NOW COME Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (hereinafter "Eversource" or the "Company") by and through its undersigned attorneys, and respectfully moves the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (the "Commission") pursuant to Puc 202.04 for an extension of time to comply with the Commission's directives set forth in Order 26,804 regarding the Business Process Audit ("BPA") Report filed by the Department of Energy ("DOE") on April 20, 2023.

In support of this Motion, Eversource states as follows:

- 1. On March 17, 2023, Eversource filed a Motion to Resolve Settlement Dispute with respect to the BPA agreed to as part of the Settlement Agreement approved in this proceeding pursuant to Order No. 26,433 (the "Motion").
- 2. On April 20, 2023, the DOE filed the BPA Report with the Commission as a confidential document.
- 3. On April 24, 2023, the Commission issued Order No. 26,804 denying the Company's Motion and directing the Company to file within thirty days (i.e., May 24, 2023) (1) the full BPA Report (in confidential and redacted forms); (2) a Motion for Protective

- Treatment; and (3) the Company's written response to the BPA Report. Order No. 26,804 at 4.
- 4. The Company has been diligently compiling its comments in response to the BPA Report. However, certain key Company personnel have been unavailable during the 30 day period impacting the Company's ability to timely submit a complete set of written comments.
- 5. The Company respectfully requests a four business day extension of time to comply with the directives set forth in the Order. This would move the deadline from Wednesday, May 24, 2023 to Wednesday, May 31, 2023. This brief extension of time will allow the Company to file an accurate and complete set of comments.
- 6. The Company has consulted with DOE and the Office of Consumer Advocate regarding this request and is authorized to represent that neither party objects to this request.
- 7. The Commission's granting of this Motion will not unduly delay the proceeding or adversely affect the rights of any party to this docket.

WHEREFORE, Eversource respectfully request that this Commission:

A. Issue an order that adjusts the procedural schedule in this Docket consistent with paragraph 5 of this Motion; and

B. Grant such additional relief as it deems appropriate.

Dated: May 24, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE D/B/A EVERSOURCE ENERGY,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 24, 2023, a copy of this motion has been electronically forwarded to the service list in this docket.

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