

August 28, 2023 Via Electronic Mail

Daniel Goldner
Chairman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit St., Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

Dear Chairman Goldner:

## Re: DE 23-044; Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Default Service Solicitations-Compliance Tariff Record Request

On August 18, 2023, Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty ("Company") received a compliance letter from the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") ("August 18 Compliance Letter") regarding the Company's tariff filing submitted on July 20, 2023, in the above captioned proceeding ("July 20 Tariff Filing"). Specifically, the August 18 Compliance Letter stated that the Energy Service Rates for Rate Class D-11 and Rate EV in the July 20 Tariff Filing do not match the illustrative tariff pages filed on June 27, 2023, and will remain provisionally non-compliant until the Company satisfactorily justifies the Energy Service rates for Rate Class D-11 and Rate EV.

The Company's explanation follows.

At the June 28, 2023, hearing in the above captioned proceeding, Commissioner Chattopadhyay identified an error within the Energy Services model which occurred when the Company updated the prior year model to separately calculate rates for Small and Large Customer groups<sup>1</sup>. After the hearing, the Company corrected the formula within the Energy Services model and the TOU model containing the Energy Service Rates for Rate Class D-11 and Rate EV. Thus, the rates flowing from the corrected model do not match the illustrative rates filed in advance of the hearing.

The TOU model containing the recalculated rates is attached herewith. The Energy Service rates for Rate Class D-11 and Rate EV are highlighted in tab TOU Rate Summary, on Line 19, Columns C:E, which are the corrected rates that the Company included in its July 20 Tariff Filing.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Transcript of Hearing Held 6/28/23, Pages 35-36.



Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/James M. King

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Enclosures

Cc: Service List