STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

DE 19-142

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

Rate Recovery of Costs in Excess of the Cumulative Reduction Cap Under the Power Purchase Agreement with Berlin Station, LLC

Procedural Order Re: Motion for Expedited Status Conference

On February 8, 2022, Berlin Station, LLC (Berlin Station) filed a motion requesting the Commission to schedule an expedited status conference, preferably on or before February 28, 2022, to address the status of the power purchase agreement cap on the Cumulative Reduction Fund. The Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA) filed a letter objecting to this request on February 9, 2022.

As noted by the OCA in its objection, Berlin Station has not requested any specific relief in its motion, and SB 271, "relative to the Burgess BioPower facility," is presently pending in the New Hampshire Legislature. Berlin Station's motion for expedited status conference is DENIED, because it is unclear what purpose would be served by holding a status conference at this time. If Berlin Station wishes to request specific relief, it may file a pleading with the Commission stating the relief sought and the grounds therefor. *See* N.H. Admin. R., Puc 203.05.

In Order No. 26,333 issued on February 18, 2020, the Commission directed Berlin Station to

to submit annually to the Commission Berlin Station's cost and profitability records, which shall include, but not be limited to, the facility's annual capital costs, operating and maintenance costs, generation output (in megawatt hours), revenues from the sale of renewable energy credits (to Eversource and to other load serving entities), Forward Capacity Market revenues, energy market revenues (including ancillary services), any tax

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benefits received, the value of the tax benefits, and the start and ending dates for the tax benefits.

Id. at 9-10. The Commission anticipates that Berlin Station will file the required information on or before March 1, 2022, in accordance with Order No. 26,333.

So ordered, this twenty-fifth day of February, 2022.

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Presiding Officer

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