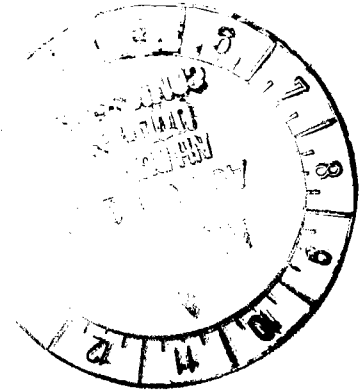


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***Re: DG 07-072, Indirect Gas Costs-
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Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission in the above-referenced docket please find an original and 7 copies of Northern Utilities, Inc.'s Response to Public Service Company of New Hampshire's Motion To Be Dismissed As A Necessary Party. Please let me know if there are any questions about this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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