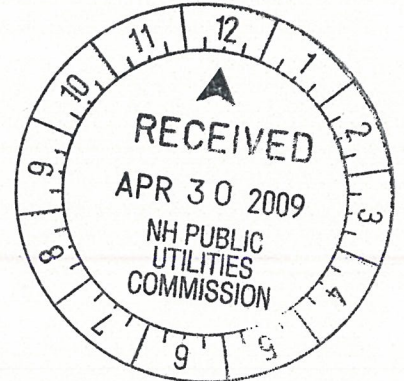




April 29, 2009

BY OVERNIGHT MAIL

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director and Secretary
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429



**RE: Docket No. DG 09-053
Record Request 1 – Reserved Hearing Exhibit 4**

Dear Director Howland:

On April 15, 2009, Attorney Alan Linder, on behalf of his client Mary Polcheis, an intervening party in the above-referenced docket, transmitted by e-mail the following data request to Northern Utilities, Inc., d/b/a Unitil ("Unitil"):

20. For the low income program, is the Company willing to provide quarterly progress reports and a final report after the close of the program period, setting forth the following information for each CAP:

- 1) Expenditures: actual, in process, and proposed, and expressed as a percent of budget;
- 2) Participation (jobs): actual, in process, and proposed, and expressed as a percent of goal;
- 3) Energy savings: actual, in process and proposed, and expressed percent of goal; and
- 4) Administrative costs for the low income program, and expressed as a percent of budget for the program?

During the hearing held in this docket on April 21, 2009, Attorney Linder requested that Unitil confirm its response to this request in writing by letter to the Commission, and Hearing Exhibit No. 4 was reserved for this purpose. Accordingly, Unitil hereby responds in the affirmative to this data request.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Sincerely,

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Attorney for Northern Utilities, Inc.

cc: All parties

State of New Hampshire
Public Utilities Commission

Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.
DG 09-053

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Record Request 1: (Reserved Hearing Exhibit No. 4):

Please confirm whether, with respect to the low-income program, the Company will agree to provide quarterly progress reports and a final report after the close of the program period, as described in further detail in the e-mail from Alan Linder to Gary Epler dated April 15, 2009.

Response:

A letter from Gary Epler, Attorney for Northern Utilities, Inc., confirming this matter was sent to Debra Howland, Executive Director of the Commission on April 29, 2009, with copies to all parties.

Person Responsible: Deborah Jarvis

Date: May 7, 2009