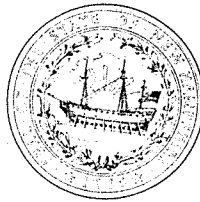


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September 18, 2009

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Re: DT 09-151, FairPoint Communications, Inc.  
Tariff Filing to Revise Service Packages – Regional Essentials  
Docket Closure

Dear Mr. Shea:

On August 18, 2009, you filed a tariff that would revise the Service Package in the Regional Essentials in NHPUC Tariff No. 83. On September 16, 2009, you filed a letter withdrawing the tariff stating that you would be refileing at a later date.

Accordingly, the Commission considers the filing withdrawn and has closed the docket without prejudice.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director