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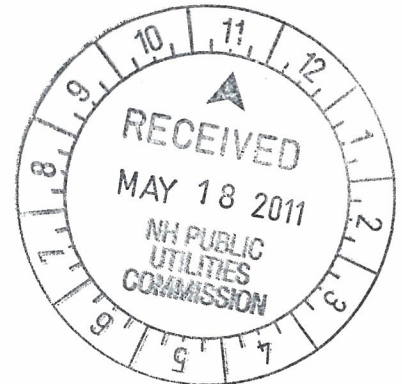
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May 17, 2011

VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL & E-MAIL  
Hon. Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director and Secretary  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit Street  
Suite 10  
Concord, NH 03301-2429



RE: Hess Corporation Monthly and Annual Natural Gas Usage Report

Dear Executive Director Howland:

Pursuant to the New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Section 3003.03(a), please find enclosed Hess Corporation's monthly and annual natural gas usage in New Hampshire for the prior year ending March 31, 2011.

As the enclosed contains commercially sensitive data, Hess respectfully submits this information with the understanding that all company-specific information contained within is to be treated as confidential and proprietary.

I have also enclosed an additional copy of this letter and report. In order to assist in our recordkeeping, please file stamp the additional copy set and return it to me in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided for that purpose. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (732) 750-6367.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kristyn Noeth".

Kristyn Noeth  
Director of Regulatory Affairs

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