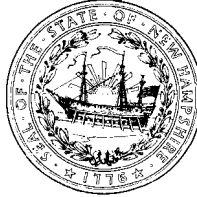


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September 27, 2010

Re: DW 10-091, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.
Rate Case
Amendment to Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On September 7, 2010, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW, or the Company) filed a motion to amend the procedural schedule in the above referenced matter. PWW is seeking additional discovery on issues related to the Company's special contract with Anheuser-Busch earlier than provided in the approved procedural schedule in order to allow the parties time to explore certain rate design issues. In its motion, PWW proposes discovery on Anheuser-Busch be allowed on December 8, 2010 with responses due on January 5, 2010, dates that correspond with the third set of discovery submitted to the Company. PWW represents in its motion that Anheuser-Busch, the OCA and Staff concur with the motion.

The Commission has determined that the proposed amendment to the procedural schedule is in the public interest and therefore has approved it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director