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By Federal Express and Email

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



Re: *In re New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules — Part Puc 400, Rules for Telephone Service, DRM 12-036*

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing are the original and six copies of the Preliminary Comments of the CLEC Association of Northern New England, Inc. (CANNE).

CANNE respectfully requests that the Commission accept this filing after the date set forth in the amended order of notice. This filing was delayed due to the need to coordinate the positions in these comments among CANNE's members and a death in undersigned counsel's family last week. No party will be prejudiced, and CANNE believes that its comments will be helpful to the Commission's decisionmaking in this proceeding.

Thank you, and please contact me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,


Gregory M. Kennan

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