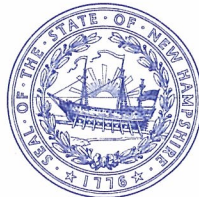


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Re: DE 12-130 Granite State Electric Company, Inc. d/b/a National Grid  
2012 Reliability Enhancement Plan and Vegetation Management Plan

Dear Ms. Pak:

This letter serves as an acknowledgement of Granite State Electric Company, Inc. d/b/a National Grid's filing, received May 15, 2012. Please reference the docket number cited above on any additional material to be filed in this matter. All filings should consist of one (1) original and six (6) copies of both the cover letter and any associated material.

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Very truly yours,

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

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

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