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October 29, 2012

Re:

DT 12-263, Dixville Telephone Company

Joint Petition with Balsams View, LLC for Transfer of Assets

Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On October 16, 2012, a duly noticed prehearing conference was held in the above referenced proceeding. Appearances at the prehearing conference were entered by representatives of Dixville Telephone Company, and Commission Staff. The Office of Consumer Advocate has a statutory right to intervene in the proceeding but chose not to at this time.

Following the prehearing conference, the parties and Staff met in a technical session and agreed upon the following schedule which was submitted to the Commission by letter from Staff dated October 22, 2012:

Data Requests to Joint Petitioners 10/26/12 Data Responses 11/09/12

Technical Session 11/16/12 at 10:00 a.m. Hearing on the Merits 12/20/12 at 10:00 a.m.

The Commission has determined that the proposed schedule is in the public interest and therefore has approved it. For administrative efficiency, the Commission has elected to issue this Secretarial Letter as its prehearing order in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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