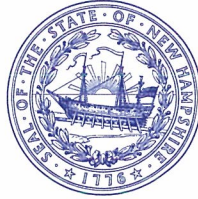


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March 18, 2014

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director
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Re: DG 13-313; Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp., d/b/a Liberty Utilities, Integrated Resource Plan – Proposed Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp., d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty), the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA), and Staff met in a technical session following the prehearing conference held in this matter on March 18, 2014. Staff and the parties developed the following proposed procedural schedule for the Commission’s consideration and approval.

Discovery Set 1 to Liberty (Rolling) Liberty Responses	Until May 30, 2014 Within 2 Weeks of Requests; no later than June 13, 2014
Technical Session Discovery Set 2 to Liberty (Rolling) Liberty Responses	June 19, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. Until August 1, 2014 Within 2 Weeks of Requests; no later than August 15, 2014
Technical Session/Settlement Conference Testimony (Staff and OCA) or Settlement Agreement	September 11, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. November 7, 2014
Rebuttal Testimony (if any)	November 14, 2014
Hearing on the Merits	December 2, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.

The parties agreed to exchange discovery and filings by email. The parties agreed to “rolling” data requests to be filed no later than the deadlines stated above, with responses due two weeks after each request. The parties discussed placing a limit on the number of data requests, but agreed that no limits are necessary in this docket due to the nature of the case, the

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parties involved, and past experience with similar dockets. The parties agreed to informally discuss any discovery issues that may arise.

Filings made directly to the Commission will follow the usual practice of seven hardcopies plus an electronic copy, pursuant to N.H. Code Admin Rules Puc 203.02.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Sheehan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letter of the first name being a large, stylized "M".

Michael J. Sheehan, Esq.
Staff Attorney

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