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October 27, 2016

Re: DE 14-216, Electric and Gas Utilities  
2017 Core New Hampshire Electric and Gas Energy Efficiency Programs  
Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On October 26, 2016, the Commission held a duly noticed prehearing conference in the above referenced matter. Appearances were entered by Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. and Northern Utilities, Inc., Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy, New Hampshire Community Action Association, Office of Energy and Planning, Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities, Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities, New Hampshire Electric Cooperative, Inc., Conservation Law Foundation, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, the Office of Consumer Advocate, and Commission Staff. The motion for intervention from the Conservation Law Foundation was granted.

Following the prehearing, parties and Staff met in a technical session and agreed upon the following schedule, which Staff submitted to the Commission by letter dated October 26, 2016:

Utility 2017 Continuation Filing	09/23/16
Data Requests on Utility Filing	10/10/16
Responses to Data Requests	10/24/16
Technical Session	10/26/16
Staff/OCA/Intervenor Testimony	11/08/16
Data Requests on Testimony	11/15/16
Responses to Data Requests	11/29/16
Settlement Conference	12/05/16
Settlement	12/09/16
Hearing on the Merits	12/19/16 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,

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

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

cc: Service List (Electronically)  
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