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Re: Docket No. DE 15-464
Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
Petition for Approval of Lease to Northern Pass Transmission, LLC

Request for Approval of Agreed-Upon Suspension of Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

Pursuant to a procedural schedule in the above-captioned docket, Staff and the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) must respond to data requests on prefiled testimony by October 4, 2017. The only parties to the docket filing data requests are Eversource and Northern Pass Transmission, LLC (NPT). Staff and the Consumer Advocate have initiated settlement discussions with Eversource and NPT. To allow these discussions to continue, Eversource and NPT have agreed to suspend the date for OCA and Staff to respond to data requests by one week, from October 4, 2017 to October 11, 2017. We are not requesting a change to the technical session scheduled for October 11, 2017 at this time.

Staff on behalf of the above parties respectfully requests that the Commission approve suspension of the procedural schedule as set forth above. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Amidon Staff Counsel

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