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Debra A. Howland **Executive Director** State of New Hampshire **Public Utilities Commission** 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re:

DE 16-308

NHEC and PSNH Joint Petition to Alter Franchise Areas in

Nottingham NH

Dear Ms. Howland:

As directed by the Commission's Order Nisi dated September 8, 2016, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy has caused to be published a legal notice relative to the above-captioned docket. The legal notice appeared in The Union Leader on September 16, 2016.

Enclosed is the required affidavit of publication with a copy of the legal notice attached.

Very truly yours,

Matthew J. Fossum

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MJF:mlp **Enclosure**

UNION LEADER CORPORATION

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> 0000057491 **EVERSOURCE** ATTN: MELISSA L. PRICE PO BOX 330

I hereby certify that the legal notice: (0001949590) ORDER NISI NO. 25,941-NOTTINGH was published in the New Hampshire Union Leader On:

09/16/2016.

State of New Hampshire Hillsborough County

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of

COMMISSION EXPIRES