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Re: DW 17-145 Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc.
Petition to Expand Franchise in the Town of Strafford
Report of Technical Session

Dear Ms. Howland,

Following the October 31 prehearing conference in this docket, Staff, Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc. (HAWC) and Bow Lake Estates Water Company, Inc. (Bow Lake) met in a technical session. The parties were in agreement that no discovery is needed, and agreed to move forward on the development of a settlement agreement to enable HAWC's acquisition of the water system owned by Bow Lake in Strafford. To that end, the parties expect to be filing an agreement in the coming days.

If there are any questions regarding this, please so advise.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark A. Naylor".

Mark A Naylor

Director, Gas & Water Division

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