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Via Electronic Mail Only

Daniel Goldner, Chairman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-2429

**Re: Docket No. DE 19-197; Electric and Natural Gas Utilities
Development of a Statewide, Multi-use Online Energy Data Platform
Governance Council GRIP Grant Application Update**

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On behalf of the New Hampshire Governance Council, I write to inform the Commission that the U.S. Department of Energy issued a “letter of encouragement” in response to the Council’s concept paper: “Your organization is hereby encouraged to submit a full application in accordance with the instructions and requirements contained within the FOA by the due date/time specified on the FOA cover page.” A copy is attached.

The Council will continue to work with its consultant to prepare a full application that it will submit to US DOE in advance of the due date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "M. Sheehan", is written in a cursive style.

Michael J. Sheehan

Cc: Service List
Attachment