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July 21, 2020

Debra A. Howland
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New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
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**RE: DE 20-002 Unutil Energy Systems, Inc.
2020 Least Cost Integrated Resource Plan
Request to Amend Procedural Schedule**

Dear Ms. Howland:

On May 27, 2020, the Commission issued a Secretarial Letter approving a procedural schedule in the above-captioned docket. On July 15, 2020, Unutil requested additional time to respond to Staff's third set of discovery. Staff agreed to this extension and now requests, with the assent of the parties, that the Commission amend the procedural schedule in order to preserve the opportunity for the parties to issue follow-up requests after reviewing the Set 3 responses and add a technical session. The remainder of the proposed procedural schedule is presented below. Modifying the procedural schedule would optimize use of the parties' resources and not unduly delay this proceeding.

Set 4 Data Requests to Unutil	August 14, 2020
Unutil's Final Responses to Set 4 Data Requests	August 28, 2020 (ten business days)
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	September 11, 2020 at 1pm
Staff/OCA/Intervenor Testimony	September 23, 2020
Data Requests to Staff/OCA/Intervenors	October 7, 2020
Staff/OCA/Intervenor Responses to Data Requests	October 21, 2020 (ten business days)
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	November 3, 2020, at 10 am
Settlement Conference/Rebuttal Testimony	November 17, 2020, at 10 am
Hearing	December 2, 2020, at 10 am

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Brian D. Buckley
Staff Attorney