

Responses of New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Staff

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2021-2023 Triennial Energy Efficiency Plan
NH Utilities Set 1 Data Requests

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Request:

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- a) Do any of the other New England states have proposed rates through 2023? If so please provide details.
- b) Are the proposed 2021 rates for NH the highest proposed rates for 2021 in New England, including all EE funding components?

Response:

- a) Staff is not aware of any other New England states, except NH, that have proposed rates past 2021. See Attachment Utilities 1-005 for the data used by Staff in reviewing C&I rates.
- b) For 2021, the only data available to staff at the time of the testimony filing was for Rhode Island National Grid, which appears to have higher rates than that proposed for New Hampshire. See Attachment Utilities 1-005 for the data used by Staff for comparison purposes. Based on this data, Staff noted that Eversource's C&I rate in 2023 in NH is the highest C&I rate of the data currently available to Staff. Note that the data in Attachment Utilities 1-005 is not the total SBC rate in NH, but instead the energy efficiency portion only. It is Staff's understanding that the rates in the other states are comprised of the same elements, and may also include some reconciliation.

System Benefit Charges – New England

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