

780 N. Commercial Street P.O. Box 330 Manchester, NH 03105-0330

Jessica Chiavara Counsel

Cell: 315-313-3264 jessica.chiavara@eversource.com

June 8, 2021

Via electronic mail Debra A. Howland Executive Director New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: Docket No. DW 21-090 - Joint Petition for Approval of the Acquisition of Abenaki Water Company by Aquarion Company Affidavit of publication

Director Howland:

In accordance with the Commission's Supplemental Order of Notice dated June 4, 2021 and pursuant to Puc rule 203.12(d), Abenaki Water Company published a copy of said Supplemental Order of Notice for the above-captioned docket on the Abenaki Water Company website on June 7. Attached is an affidavit of publication as well as a screenshot of the link to the publication itself. As a matter of administrative convenience, Aquarion Company is making this filing on behalf of Abenaki Water Company.

Following the March 17th letter of the Commission this petition is being filed electronically only; paper copies will not follow. If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Counsel, Eversource Energy o/b/o Abenaki Water Company

Attachment cc: Service List

AFFIDAVIT OF NICHOLAS LACHANCE

I, Nicholas LaChance, being duly sworn, do hereby depose and state as follows:

1. I am employed by New England Service Company ("NESC") as President.

2. As part of my duties and responsibilities for NESC I handle compliance matters with its affiliates including Abenaki Water Company ("Abenaki").

3. On Friday, June 4 2021, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission issued a Supplemental Order of Notice for Docket No. DW 21-090, regarding approval for acquisition of Abenaki Water Company by Aquarion Company. In part, that Supplemental Order of Notice required that "Aquarion and Abenaki shall notify all persons desiring to participate in this proceeding by publishing a copy of this supplemental order of notice on its websites no later than one business day after the date of issue, such publication to be documented by affidavit filed with the Commission on or before June 14, 2021." Order of Notice at 3-4.

4. On June 7, 2021, a copy of the Notice was published on Abenaki Water Company's website. Attached is a screenshot from June 7, 2021 of Abenaki Water Company's webpage showing a copy of the Supplemental Order of Notice to verify that the notice was published on June 4, 2021.

Dated this 8th day of June 2021

Nicholas LaChance

STATE OF Connecticut COUNTY OF Hartford

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of June 2021. Nota Public/Justice of the Peace Comm/ssion Expires Jessics R. Johnson Notary Public-Connecticut My Commission Expires April 30, 2023

