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Daniel Goldner Chairman New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10 Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Re: Northern Utilities, Inc., New Hampshire Division - Docket DG 21-131
February 2022 Monthly Cost of Gas Report

Dear Chairman Goldner:

Pursuant to Commission Order No. 26,539 in Docket DG 21-131, enclosed is Northern Utilities - New Hampshire Division's ("Northern") current calculation of its projected over or under-collection of gas costs for the 2021-2022 winter season.

The current calculation, which reflects actual costs and revenues for November 2021 through January 2022 and NYMEX futures prices as of February 18, 2022, produces an anticipated under-recovery of gas costs for the 2021-2022 winter period. As a result, Northern is increasing its winter period COG rates to reflect an increase in the projected cost of gas of \$1,003,825 or 3.66%.

Support for this decision is provided in the attached summary and tables. Accordingly, pursuant to its tariff, the Company has enclosed for filing the following Tariff Page reflecting an increase in its COG Rates:

Eleventh Revised Page 42.

This Tariff Page is issued February 22, 2022 to be effective on March 1, 2022. A red-line version of this Tariff Page is also enclosed. Summary Tariff pages, Supplement No. 1, Third Revised pages 4 and 5, are not included in this filing but will be submitted in the Compliance filing in Docket No. 21-123 which will be submitted on February 25, 2022.



The impact of the March 1 change in COG rates on the typical residential heating customer for the 2021-2022 winter season will be an increase of \$22.79 or 2 percent more than the winter period bill at the Company's current COG rate.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me or Chris Kahl at (603)773-6425.

Sincerely

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