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I am writing to voice my support for the State of New Hampshire energy efficiency programs. These programs are essential not only to reduce the energy demand of existing infrastructure. The countless upgrades of existing facilities with mechanical ventilation and other modernizations that are happening throughout the state require significantly more electricity to operate. This adds pressure on the grid, increasing potential vulnerabilities.

It makes logical sense to support improvements in building design, in addition to energy efficient appliances and led lighting, to make sure that New Hampshire is not economically disadvantaged compared to neighboring states and that its electrical infrastructure is not overburdened by the demands of 21st century life.

Sincerely,
William Gatchell

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