



February 22, 2024

**Via Electronic Filing**

Daniel Goldner, Chairman  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10  
Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: Northern Utilities, Inc., New Hampshire Division - Docket DG 23-085,  
February 2024 Monthly Cost of Gas Report

Chair Goldner,

Pursuant to Commission Order No. 26,897 in Docket No. DG 23-085, enclosed is Northern Utilities - New Hampshire Division's ("Northern" or "the Company") current calculation of its projected over or under-collection of gas costs for the 2023-2024 winter season.

Northern's current calculation of costs, which has been updated to reflect the Company's revised October 31, 2023 balance, actual costs and revenues for November 2023 through January 2024 and NYMEX futures prices as of February 21, 2024, produces an anticipated over-recovery of gas costs for the 2023-2024 winter period. As a result, Northern is lowering its winter period cost of gas ("COG") rates to reflect a decrease in the projected cost of gas of \$1,510,780 or 8.03%.

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 Pages reflecting a decrease in its COG Rates:

Twentieth Revised Page 42,  
Twenty-eighth Revised Page 86,  
Twenty-seventh Revised Page 88.

These Tariff Pages are issued February 22, 2024 to be effective on March 1, 2024. Red-lined versions of these Tariff Pages are also enclosed.

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The impact of the March 1 change in COG rates on the typical residential heating customer for the 2023-2024 winter season will be a decrease of \$28.36 or 3 percent less 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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Patrick H. Taylor", written over a horizontal line.

Patrick H. Taylor  
Chief Regulatory Counsel

## Kahl, Christopher

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This email acknowledges the electronic filing of the following reports and files with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission on 02/22/2024 at 03:54 PM:

- 1.) Report Name - Calc of COG o/u Collection & Tariff Pages. Report Date - 02-24-24.  
File - NUI Monthly COG Report - February 20224.pdf - Non-confidential

As per Order No. 24,223, utilities are required to file one paper copy of each report which has been filed electronically.