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Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street
Concord, NH 03301

Re: DE 24-044; Liberty Utilities (Granite state Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty; 2023
Vegetation Management Program Plan; Technical Statement of Jay E. Dudley,
Department of Energy, Division of Regulatory Support

Dear Chairman Goldner:

Pursuant to a Procedural Order issued in this docket on April 5, 2024, attached is the Technical Statement of Jay E. Dudley, Utility Analyst, Division of Regulatory Support, Department of Energy, which contains the Department of Energy's analysis and recommendations concerning Liberty's 2023 Vegetation Management Program Plan.

Consistent with the Commission's current practices, this letter is being filed only in electronic form.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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