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VIA ELECTRONIC DELIVERY Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman N.H. Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

Re: DW 24-071 Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.- Tyngsborough Water District Special Contract Assented-to Proposed Procedural Schedule

Dear Chairman Goldner:

Pursuant to the Commission's temporary filing requirements dated March 17, 2020 and pursuant to the Commission's June 4, 2024 order commencing this adjudicative proceeding and encouraging the parties to file a proposed procedural schedule, the parties propose the below procedural schedule for the Commission's consideration.

07/18/24 – Data Requests – Set 1
08/01/24 – Responses – Set 1
08/06/24 – Pre-hearing Conference @ 9:00 and Technical Session thereafter
08/15/24 – Data Requests – Set 2
08/29/24 – Responses – Set 2
09/17/24 – Technical Session: 10:00 – 12:00 (Virtual)
09/24/24 – Data Requests – Set 3
10/01/24 – Responses – Set 3
11/05/24 – File Settlement or DOE Report for Commission approval by order *nisi*.

The Commission's order of June 4th requested proposed hearing dates, however, the Commission has approved Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.'s special contracts by orders *nisi* in the past: DW 22-029 (Hudson); DW 22-040 (Pennichuck East Utility, Inc.); DW 22-070 (Milford); and DW 22-085 Merrimack Village District). Consistent with that history of approval of special contacts, the parties request the Commission similarly approve Tyngsborough's special contract by order *nisi*. Therefore, no final hearing dates are offered at this time. The Department of Energy assents to this procedural schedule.

Thank you for the Commission's assistance with this filing.

Very Truly Yours,

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