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Re: DE 08-048, Joint Petition for Approval for Stock Acquisition

Dear Mr. Epler:

This letter serves as an acknowledgement of Unitil Service Corporation and Northern Utilities, Inc.'s Joint Petition for Approval for Stock Acquisition, received March 31, 2008. Please reference the docket number cited above on any additional material to be filed in this matter. All filings should consist of seven (7) copies of both the cover letter and any associated material.

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Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland".

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