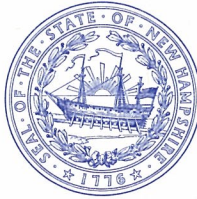


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Re: DT 07-011 FairPoint – Staff Report on Discussions with FairPoint Regarding Collections, Credit Reporting and Disconnection Notices

Dear Ms. Howland:

During the status conference in this docket on June 1, the Commission directed Staff, the OCA and FairPoint to meet and discuss the issues raised in Ms. Noonan's memorandum of the same date, and to file a letter today by noon as to the results of those discussions. Some of the relevant information provided by FairPoint during those discussions was, just this morning, determined to be erroneous. Therefore, further discussions will be necessary, and Staff, OCA and FairPoint shall be delayed in filing the required letter but intend to do so by the end of the day.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert D. Hunt".

Robert D. Hunt
Staff Attorney/Hearings Examiner