

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

IR 22-053

ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITIES

**Investigation of Energy Commodity Procurement
(Renewable Portfolio Standard, Default Service Electric Power, Cost of Gas)
Methodology and Process**

Procedural Order Re: Technical Session and Request to Participate


The Commission scheduled an in-person technical session in this matter, which the Commission will attend, on February 23, 2023. On February 15, 2023, Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty (Liberty) filed a late request for remote participation by Aaron Doll, a Liberty employee based in Joplin, Missouri, due to travel costs. On February 21, 2023, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource), on behalf of itself, Liberty, Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) d/b/a Liberty, the New Hampshire Electric Cooperative, Inc., Unitil Energy Systems, Inc., and Northern Utilities, Inc. (collectively, the NH Utilities), filed a request that all participants be permitted to attend the February 23 technical session remotely, stating that the storm predicted to start later tomorrow could make traveling to Concord potentially hazardous on February 23.

Given the upcoming storm, the Commission has rescheduled the three-hour February 23 technical session to February 28, 2023, starting at 9:00 a.m. The NH Utilities' request for remote participation, which is based on the weather, is therefore moot. The Commission finds that Liberty has provided good reason for Mr. Doll to appear remotely, so that Liberty's motion for remote participation is GRANTED, and a hybrid hearing format will be used for the February 28 technical session to accommodate Mr. Doll only. The filing

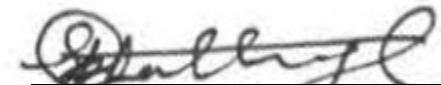
of a separate request will be required for any other parties or witnesses wishing to appear remotely on February 28.

On February 17, 2023, NextEra Energy Marketing, LLC (NextEra) filed a petition for participation¹ in this docket that would be limited to submitting comments in response to the Commission's February 8, 2023 Procedural Order. As of today's date, no responses to NextEra's request have been filed. The Commission waives the 10-day objection period under New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules, Puc 203.07(e), see N.H. Admin. R., Puc 201.05, and GRANTS NextEra's request to participate.

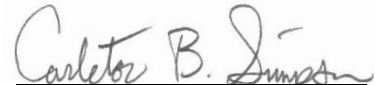
So ordered, this twenty-first day of February, 2023.



Daniel C. Goldner
Chairman



Pradip K. Chattopadhyay
Commissioner



Carleton B. Simpson
Commissioner

¹ In the Procedural Order issued in this docket on January 9, 2023, the Commission noted that it is now using the terms "participants" and "requests to participate" in connection with this and other investigative dockets.

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