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**Via Electronic Mail Only** 

Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

RE: Docket No. DE 24-046, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy, 2024 Energy Service Solicitation Technical Statement and Attachments in Compliance with Order No. 27,022

Dear Chairman Goldner:

In compliance with Order No. 27,022 (June 20, 2024) (the "Order"), Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy ("Eversource" or the "Company") hereby submits this Technical Statement and related attachments to address four Commission directives contained in the Order.

The Order directed the Company to: (1) place the \$6.5 million under-collection for the Large Customer Group into a deferral account, with Tariff-specified carrying charges to be assessed; (2) adjust its proxy price calculations for the 12.5% market-based procurement tranche for the Small Customer Group using the latest available information on actual costs instead of using the multiplier based approach; (3) provide a recalculation of the Energy Service Tariff rate elements and expected Energy Service bill impacts based upon the under-collection deferral and modified proxy price calculation, to be filed no later than July 10; and (4) provide a calculation of the estimated carrying charges associated with the \$6.5 million deferral for the next calendar year as part of that filing. The Technical Statement and related attachments address each of those four issues. Also attached is a revised version of the Exhibit 3 Summary of Attachments YC/SRA 1-3.

Eversource believes that its recalculations of the market-based tranche proxy price and the Energy Service rates for both Small Customers and Large Customers are fully compliant with the Commission's directives in the Order and result in just and reasonable rates that may be approved by the Commission. The Company respectfully requests that the Commission approve the recalculated Energy Service rates, to become effective on August 1, 2024, by order *nisi* and without a hearing or any further process.

Pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 201.06 and 201.07, Eversource is seeking confidential treatment of certain information in the Technical Statement and related attachments that relate to the RFP, including the specific RFP bids submitted, and related load forecast information. Accordingly, a confidential, unredacted version of the filing, including confidential supporting live Excel worksheets, is being provided to the Commission, the Office of the

Consumer Advocate, and the Department of Energy only, and is not to be made publicly available. A redacted, public version of the filing will be distributed to the full service list and for posting to this docket.

Consistent with current Commission policy, this filing is being made electronically only and paper copies will not follow. If you should have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/ David K. Wiesner

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Enclosures cc: DE 24-046 Service List