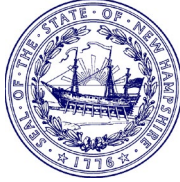


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Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
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Re: DW 24-071 Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. Petition for Approval of Special Contract
with Tyngsborough Water District – DOE Position

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On May 6, 2024, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (Company) filed a petition requesting that the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) approve a second special contract between it and the Tyngsborough Water District in Tyngsborough, Massachusetts. On June 4, 2024, the Commission directed the Department of Energy (Department) to file its position regarding the Company's petition, including the reasons for this position, on or before July 23, 2024. On June 19, 2024, the Parties submitted an agreed upon procedural schedule which was approved by the Commission via order on June 20, 2024. The Department files this letter in response to the June 4 Order.

The Department does not have a position on this filing at this time. According to the approved procedural schedule, the Department submitted data requests to the Company on July 18, 2024. The Department intends to maintain the remainder of the agreed upon procedural schedule, including the November 5 deadline for filing of the Settlement or the Department's Report.

Consistent with current Commission policy, this letter is being filed only in electronic form. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Matthew C. Young".

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