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

Re: DE 24-090; Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy, 2024
Transmission Cost Adjustment Mechanism; *DOE Letter of Support*

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On August 6, 2024, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (“Eversource” or “Company”) filed its petition requesting that the Public Utilities Commission (“PUC” or “Commission”) review and approve the Company’s proposed update to its Transmission Cost Adjustment Mechanism Rate. On September 5, 2024, the PUC held a hearing in this matter to consider Eversource’s request. At the hearing, the Department of Energy (“DOE”) indicated that it could not support the Petition because it required Eversource to provide additional explanation regarding the lead lag study and the Rate B calculation. In response to the DOE, the Commission issued two record requests on those topics, which the Company responded to on September 11, 2024. The next day Eversource and the DOE met to discuss how the Company calculated the Rate B reconciliation while reviewing the corresponding work papers. The DOE reviewed the filing and the additional information submitted on September 11th and discussed this information with Eversource and now supports the Company’s Petition.

Consistent with the Commission’s current practices, this letter is being filed only in electronic form.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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