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OFFICES IN: MANCHESTER CONCORD PORTSMOUTH

Debra A. Howland Executive Director and Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: DW 04-048; City of Nashua—Taking of Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.

Dear Ms. Howland:

I am writing regarding the City of Nashua's August 1 proposal regarding various procedural issues, including its proposed substitution of certain Veolia witnesses. Nashua submitted its August 1 letter to the Commission without conferring with Pennichuck on the substance or the procedural aspects of its proposal. Nashua's letter effectively constitutes a motion to substitute witnesses, to which Pennichuck does not assent. Pennichuck will be filing an objection to Nashua's request by the August 17 date proposed in Nashua's letter, unless the Commission determines that the 10 day time for objecting under Puc 203.07 is applicable.

Sincerely,

Sarah B. Knowlton

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