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The Northeast Utilities System

September 10, 2010

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

Re:

Docket No. DE 10-122

Public Service Company of New Hampshire

Petition for Approval of Issuance of Long and Short Term Debt

Motion for Protective Order Re: draft Credit Agreement

Dear Secretary Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission please find an original and six (6) copies of Public Service Company of New Hampshire's ("PSNH") Motion for Protective Order Re: Northeast Utilities Operating Company Credit Agreement requested in OCA Data Request Set No. 1, Q-OCA-007. The Credit Agreement is confidential business information of both the lending banks and PSNH.

Copies have been provided to the Commission Staff and the Office of the Consumer Advocate. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

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Enclosures:

cc: Meredith A. Hatfield