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Re: Docket No. DE 10-261; Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH, or

Company)

2010 Least Cost Integrated Resource Plan (LCIRP) Request for Fourth Modification of Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

The Commission, by secretarial letter, approved Staff's proposed procedural schedule on the instant docket on December 28, 2010; this schedule was modified, at Staff's request, by secretarial letters on February 24, March 31, and May 9, 2011. On June 22, 2011, at a technical session, and by e-mailed communications in advance of the technical session, Staff, the Office of the Consumer Advocate, and all intervenors gave their assent to Staff's proposed further modifications to the procedural schedule to allow sufficient time for Staff and intervenor analysis of the issues in this case.

To that end, Staff requests a modification of the procedural schedule as follows:

Staff/Intervenor Testimony	07/27/11
1 st Round of Data Requests to Staff/Intervenors	08/15/11
Data Responses to 1 st Round of Data Requests	08/29/11
2 nd Round of Data Requests to Staff/Intervenors	09/12/11
Data Responses to 2 nd Round of Data Requests	09/26/11
Rebuttal Testimony	10/17/11
Settlement Conference	11/17/11
4th Round of Data Requests from Staff/Intervenors	12/02/11
Data Responses to 4 th Round of Data Requests	12/16/11
Hearing on the Merits	01/18/12-01/19/12, 10:00 a.m.

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Thank you in advance for your consideration of this proposed fourth modification to the procedural schedule, and for the consideration of the Commission; please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Alexander F. Speidel

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Staff Attorney

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