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## BY ELECTRONIC MAIL AND HAND DELIVERY

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

Re: DT 11-061; Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC d/b/a FairPoint Communications ("FairPoint") – NNE Petition for Approval of Simplified Metrics Plan and Wholesale Performance Plan

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of FairPoint, Comcast Phone of New Hampshire, LLC ("Comcast") and the "Competitive Carriers"<sup>1</sup> (together the "Settling Parties"), enclosed please find an original and six copies of the complete and final Wholesale Performance Plan ("WPP") which the Commission approved in Order 25,705, dated August 8, 2014. This filing is consistent with the request of the Settling Parties in their letter of November 6, 2014, in which they asked for leave to file a final version of the WPP that incorporated the determinations of all three state commissions once the Vermont PSB had issued its final order.

The Maine Public Utilities Commission approved the WPP on July 29, 2014 and the Vermont Public Service Board approved the WPP on March 25, 2015. The WPP conforms to the regulatory approvals in the three Northern New England states.

In their letter of November 6th, the Settling Parties also recommended that the WPP become effective on the first day of the first full month 60 days after the Vermont PSB issued its final order. Consistent with that recommendation the WPP provides that it shall take effect June 1, 2015. The first WPP reports (reflecting June 2015 activity) will be filed with the Commission and made available to eligible CLECs on July 28, 2015. Accordingly, FairPoint will cease

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producing and filing the Carrier-to-Carrier ("C2C") and Performance Assurance Plan ("PAP") after the May 2015 reporting period. The final C2C and PAP reports (reflecting May 2105 data) will be filed with the Commission and provided to CLECs on June 29, 2015.

The Settling Parties wish to thank the Commission and Staff for their assistance, guidance and determinations throughout this long but worthwhile proceeding.

I am authorized to represent that Comcast and the Competitive Carriers concur in this filing.

Very truly yours, D X

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Enclosures

cc: Electronic Service List