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

Re: Docket No. DW 12-085; Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc.

Dear Ms. Howland:

In connection with the above-referenced matter, I enclose an original and six copies of Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc.'s Motion for Protective Order and Confidential Treatment for information included in the Company's response to data request Staff 5-1. I also enclose one redacted copy of the Company's response to Staff 5-1 and seven confidential copies of the same in a separate, sealed envelope.

Thank you for your assistance. Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Patrick H. Taylor

cc: Service List