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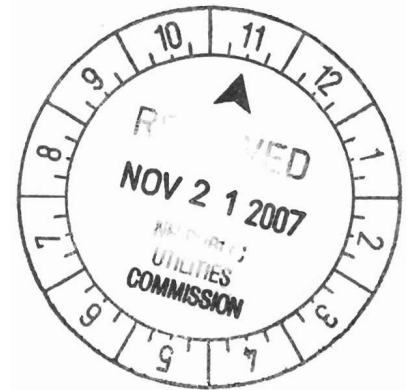
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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS  
Debra Howland, Executive Director  
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Re: DT 07-011 Verizon/FairPoint Merger

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed please find an original and eight (8) copies of our Brief of Seven Intervening Municipalities: Exeter, Hanover, Keene, Newmarket, Raymond, Salem and Seabrook in the above-captioned matter.

Please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy and return it to us in the enclosed return envelope.

A copy of the foregoing has been forwarded this date to the persons listed on the electronic service list.

Very truly yours,

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