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Senator John M. Reagan, Chair Joint Legislative Committee on Administrative Rules State House Annex, Room 219 25 Capitol Street Concord, New Hampshire 03301-6312

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Re: Response to Preliminary Objection to Final Proposal 2013-151 Puc 300 Rules for Electric Service PUC Docket No. DE 13-090 DEM

Dear Chairman Reagan:

As Chairman of the Public Utilities Commission (Commission), I enclose the Commission's response to the Committee's preliminary objection response to Final Proposal 2013-151 regarding the Puc 300 rules for electric service utilities. The preliminary objection was entered by the Committee at its April 25, 2014 meeting based on Committee Staff annotations to the Final Proposal.

The enclosed annotated copy of the Commission's Preliminary Objection Response addresses all of the Committee Staff annotations. The enclosure also includes an Incorporation by Reference Statement and Appendix B which is a list of all standards that are incorporated by reference to complete the Preliminary Objection Response requirements. The Commission approved the Preliminary Objection Response at a public meeting held today, May 13, 2014.

The Commission respectfully requests that the Committee approve the Preliminary Objection Response without further amendment or revised objection. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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