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April 30, 2013

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



RE: DE 13-XXX, Public Service Company of New Hampshire

Petition for Step Adjustment to Reflect Changes in Net Plant, Reliability Enhancement Program, Major Storm Cost Reserve, and Renewable Default Energy Service and Consultant Costs

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of Public Service Company of New Hampshire, I enclose for filing with the Commission an original and six copies of a Petition for Step Adjustment to Reflect Changes in Net Plant, Reliability Enhancement Program, Major Storm Cost Reserve, and Renewable Default Energy Service and Consultant Costs, and the Technical Statement of Michael L. Shelnitz and Stephen R. Hall describing the changes PSNH is proposing to its distribution rate level effective July 1, 2013.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. If you have any questions about this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Matthew J. Fossum

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