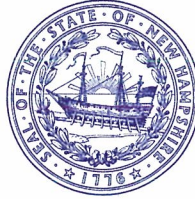


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Re: DE 14-238 Public Service Company of New Hampshire
Determination Regarding PSNH's Generation Assets
Objection to Request for Administrative Notice

Dear Ms. Howland:

The undersigned, on behalf of Staff Advocates in this proceeding, files this objection to the request for administrative notice, filed on January 21, 2016, by intervenor, Terry Cronin.

Staff Advocates assent to the request that the Commission take administrative notice of the report prepared by La Capra Associates and titled "PSNH Generation Asset and PPA Valuation Report" dated March 31, 2014, and filed in Docket IR 13-020 as part of item number 25 on April 1, 2014. Staff Advocates, pursuant to Puc 203.27(c), reserve the right to contest any attempts by intervenor Cronin to claim any prior Commission findings concerning the analysis, assumptions or conclusions contained in the report.

Staff Advocates object to the request that the Commission take administrative notice of the Deposition of La Capra Associates held on October 26, 2015, because the transcript of that deposition was already filed in this docket on November 12, 2015, as item number 155. As a result the deposition does not fall into Puc 203.27(2) or any other sub-section of the Commission's administrative notice rule.

Finally, Staff Advocates object to the request that the Commission take administrative notice of the August 15, 2015 update report prepared by La Capra Associates. That update is not filed in Docket IR 13-020. As a result the report does not fall into Puc 203.27(2) or any other sub-section of the Commission's administrative notice rule.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "F. Anne Ross".

F. Anne Ross, Esq.

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