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TO THE PUC: DG 14-380

I live in New Ipswich, NH and I am submitting this letter **opposing** the Tennessee Gas proposal for a natural gas pipeline and to be built through Massachusetts and New Hampshire. In addition there is an environmentally hazardous Pumping Station to be built in New Ipswich.

It will endanger our environment, our historical and cultural resources, our way of life and lower property values.

Testimonies by PUC's own experts contradict the facts, presented by Energy North in their proposal.

The fracking gas that will be pumped through the pipeline is not needed in New Hampshire and it isn't a commercially viable venture. In fact by the time it is built it will be out dated and irrelevant, thus leaving a permanent scar in and on the community.

Less than half of the minimum proposed by Kinder Morgan (*the parent company*) has been contracted out and because much of New Hampshire is rural, customers rely on propane rather than natural gas and it would be prohibitively expensive to pipe to individual homes.

I request that you **do not approve** Energy North's agreement with Tennessee Gas and Kinder Morgan.

The potential additions to ratepayer costs alone should be reason enough for you to turn down this proposal, aside from the fact that it seems not to be in the best interests of New Hampshire and New England citizens.

We do not want a greedy Texas corporation to profit at the expense of New Hampshire and its citizens.

Sincerely,

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