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Attachments: An interpretation of the relationship between KM APUC LU TGP.jpg

The continued segmenting of these smaller projects to avoid the approval process required by the NH SEC as well as the continued contradiction of facts will no longer be tolerated by the citizens if NH and should not be tolerated by the NH PUC or SEC. If each small component of this project was properly present together, it would have to have all been presented to the NH SEC for approval.

I attended the hearing for NH PUC docket 14-380 where Liberty Utilities has requested and has been awarded permission to purchase additional capacity off of the NED pipeline if approved. The capacity that it has been requested by LU far exceeds the needs of its existing customers. It is even stated in docket 14-380 that LU will in fact increase its customer base in order to use half of the capacity requested.

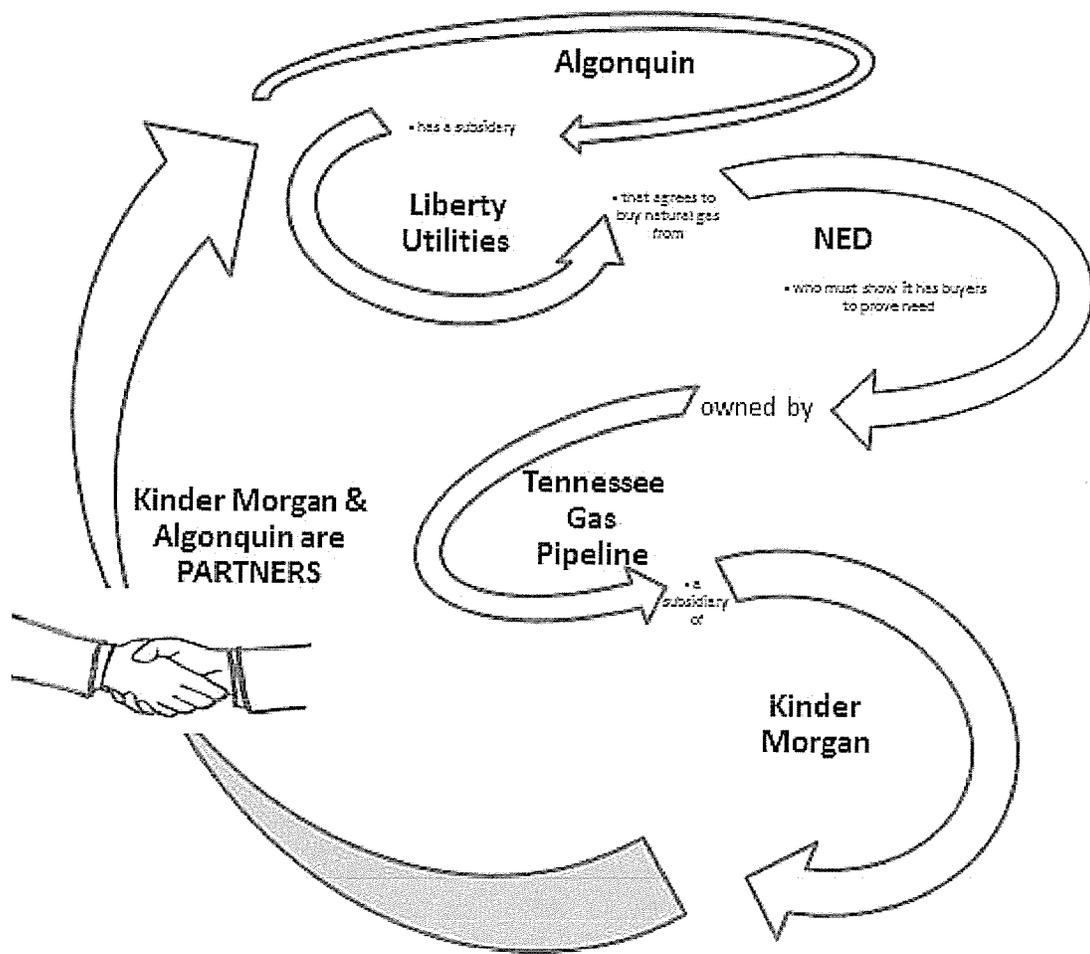
Yet when asked at a recent Board of Selectman meeting in Windham, NH, whether the expansion of franchise services and docket 15-362 was contingent on the approval of the NED pipeline, LU said it was not. Both docket 15-362 and the man that night claimed that this expansion will be made off the Concord Lateral. He claimed to me and another woman that the additional natural gas needed for this expansion would come from somewhere other than the NED pipeline or the Marcellus shale in Pennsylvania.

Liberty Utilities relationship with Kinder Morgan and the NED project is undeniable and documented. It can be best explained by the diagram attached and their own words in their public filings with the US Securities and Exchange Commission. There is such an intertwined relationship between Liberty Utilities and the NED project currently in pre-filing with the FERC that I don't see how LU can possibly deny the fact that this franchise expansion is anything other than utilization of natural gas from the proposed Northeast Energy Direct pipeline project.

What happens if the NED is not approved? To allow Liberty Utilities to expand their franchises on the existing infrastructure without regard to NED, would in fact either hurt the already alleged constraints on the existing natural gas pipeline infrastructure or prove they are liars, demonstrating that there were never any constraints after all!

Who is the bigger liar here? Could someone please step forward with the truth?

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• Diagram of a relationship
