

# STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Inter-Department Communication

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**DATE:** December 16, 2015  
**AT (OFFICE):** NHPUC

**FROM:** David K. Wiesner, Staff Attorney *DKW*

**SUBJECT:** DM 15-421, Shell Energy North America (US), L.P.  
Competitive Natural Gas Supplier Renewal Application  
Filing of Request for Waiver Received from Applicant

**TO:** Debra A. Howland, Executive Director

Enclosed for filing in this docket is the original cover letter and Request for Waiver of Rules hand-delivered to me on November 20, 2015, as referenced in the Notice of Withdrawal of Motion to Waive Regulations filed today by Peter W. Brown, counsel for the applicant, Shell Energy North America (US), L.P.

Please note that the enclosed documents include both a confidential version and a redacted version of the Request for Waiver of Rules.

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November 20, 2015

HAND DELIVERED

David K. Wiesner, Esq.  
Hearing Examiner/Staff Counsel  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10  
Concord, NH 03301-2429

**RE: Request for Waiver of Rules of New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
Governing Competitive Natural Gas Suppliers**

Dear Dave:

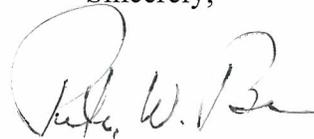
In the above-referenced matter, on behalf of Shell Energy North America (US), L.P., (Shell) please find enclosed for filing a redacted copy of a Request of Waiver and a grey highlighted copy of same.

This filing contains information about Shell's business as a Competitive Natural Gas Supplier (CNGS) that is confidential and commercially sensitive which, under the circumstances, should not be disclosed under RSA-A:5:IV, Puc. 201.04 and cases decided by the Commission. See New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, dba NYNEX, 80 NHPUC 437 (1995); Energy North Natural Gas, 79 NHPUC 5512 (1994); Unitil Service Co., 79 NHPUC 461 (1994); and Claremont Gas Corporation, 79 NHPUC 468 (1994).

Our understanding is that you will treat the information contained in the application for waiver as confidential and not disclose the information to the public.

Please contact us should you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Peter W. Brown

PWB:sas  
Encl.

cc: Shell Energy North America (US), L.P.

BEFORE THE  
NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

SHELL ENERGY NORTH AMERICA (US), L.P.

RE: RENEWAL REGISTRATION AS A COMPETITIVE NATURAL GAS SUPPLIER

REQUEST FOR WAIVER

NOW COMES Shell Energy North America (US), L.P. (“Shell”) to request a waiver of the rules of the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) governing Competitive Natural Gas Suppliers (“CNGS”).

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