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Via Electronic Mail and Hand-Delivery

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

Re: Docket No. DE 16-576; Electric Distribution Utilities
Development of New Alternative Net Metering Tariffs
Letter in Lieu of Revised Tariff Submission

Dear Ms. Howland:

Order No. 25,972 (Dec. 21, 2016) approved an "Interim Alternative Net Metering Tariff," which will "continue the same terms and conditions of the existing standard tariff," and which will take effect March 2, 2017. The order also directed the utilities to file "revised tariff pages confirming to this order."

I write to advise the Commission that we reviewed our tariff and concluded that the Company's existing net metering language conforms to Order No. 25,972. Specifically, under the section titled "Energy Transactions with Qualifying Facilities," at Original Page 10, the tariff states:

QFs [qualifying facilities] with a peak generating capacity of 1,000 kWs and under may choose to utilize Net Energy Metering as specified in NH RSA 362-A:9 and in PUC 900 Net Metering For Customer-Owned Renewable Energy Generation Resources of 1,000 Kilowatt or Less.

The Company concluded that no changes to this language are necessary to comply with Order No. 25,972.

Therefore, on behalf of Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp., d/b/a Liberty Utilities, I respectfully ask that the Commission accept this letter as constituting compliance with the requirement that the Company file "revised tariff pages confirming to this order."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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