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

Re: **DE 17-096**

Petition for Findings of Fact and Issuance of Finance Order

Dear Ms. Howland:

As directed by the Commission's Order of Notice dated August 3, 2017, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy has caused to be published a legal notice relative to the above-captioned docket. The legal notice appeared in <u>The Union Leader</u> on August 7, 2017.

Enclosed is the required affidavit of publication with a copy of the legal notice attached.

Very truly yours,

Matthew J. Fossum Senior Counsel

MJF:mlp Enclosure

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> 0000057491 **EVERSOURCE** ATTN: MELISSA PRICE **PO BOX 330 MANCHESTER NH 03105**

I hereby certify that the legal notice: (0002200900) DE 17–096 was published in the New Hampshire Union Leader On: 08/07/2017.

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State of New Hampshire Hillsborough County

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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