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Debra Howland Executive Director & Secretary Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, N. H. 03301-2429

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Re: General Rate Case Filing - Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc.

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of Hampstead Area Water Company ("HAWC" or "Company") enclosed is the original and six copies of the Company's rate filing in DW 17-118 along with a computer disk containing a pdf copy of the enclosed documents. Additionally, a copy has been sent to the Consumer Advocate.

The rate filing includes the following:

- (1) Petition
- (2) Introductory letter
- (3) Report of proposed changes
- (4) Proposed Tariff Rate Page
- (5) Direct Testimony of Harold Morse
- (6) Direct testimony of Stephen P. St. Cyr
- (7) Exhibits (including adjustments)
- (8) Step Adjustment Schedules
- (9) Proposed statement to be transmitted to each customer
- (10) Responses to NHPUC 1604.01 requirements
- (11) An attestation by John Sullivan regarding the rate filing being an accurate reflection of Company's books
- (12) Temporary Rate Filing

The Company believes that it has met the rate filing requirements. It is our understanding that the Commissioners will schedule a prehearing conference to consider motions for intervention and a procedural schedule. The Company anticipates being able to discuss and resolve any issues that may arise during the proceedings. If the Commissioners and/or its Staff have any questions, please contact me at 603-362-5333.

truly yours

Robert C. Levine, Esq General Counsel

RCL/ja cc: HAWC Stephen P. St. Cyr

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Petition for Approval of Permanent Rate

Proposed Procedural Schedule with Temporary Rates

Prehearing Conference and Technical Session	10/05/17 at 10:00 AM
Set 1 Data Requests on Temporary Rates by Staff/OCA/Intervenors	10/19/17
Set 1 Company Responses to Staff/OCA/Intervenors Data Requests On Temporary Rates	10/26/17
Technical Session/Settlement Conference on Temporary Rates	11/09/17 at 9:00 AM
Settlement Agreement on Temporary Rates to be filed	11/16/17
Hearing on merits of Temporary Rates	12/07/17
Set 2 Data Requests on Permanent Rates by Staff/OCA/Intervenors	12/14/17
Set 2 Company Responses on Permanent Rates to Staff/OCA/ Intervenors Data Requests	12/21/17
Set 3 Data Requests on Permanent Rates by Staff/OCA/Intervenors	01/08/18
Set 3 Company Responses on Permanent Rates to Staff/OCA/ Intervenors Data Requests	01/15/18
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	02/05/18 at 9:00 AM
Settlement Agreement to be filed	02/26/18
Hearing on merits	03/26/18