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Re: DA 19-079 Eversource Energy
Affiliate Agreement between Aquarion Water Company and Eversource Energy
Service Company

To the Parties:

On April 11, 2019, Eversource Energy filed an affiliate agreement (agreement) with the Commission pursuant to RSA 366:3. The agreement is for the provision of corporate, financial, and legal services between Eversource Energy Service Company (Eversource Service) and Aquarion Water Company and its direct and indirect subsidiaries including Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc. (Aquarion), a related party.

On May 20, 2019, Staff filed a recommendation with the Commission stating that it had reviewed the agreement and that no further investigation is warranted at this time.

This letter serves as an acknowledgement that Eversource Energy, pursuant to the requirements of RSA 366:3, has filed a contract between a public utility and an affiliate for the provision of services in exchange for compensation that exceeds \$500. This acknowledgement does not constitute approval of any rate or revenue requirement change that may be claimed as a result of the service provided for in the filed document. As any issue that may arise under the contract may be addressed in another docket through the opening of a new docket, the Commission will not open an investigation at this time under RSA 366:5 and has closed this docket. As you may be aware, any modifications of the contract must also be filed with the Commission pursuant to RSA 366:3.

Sincerely,

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