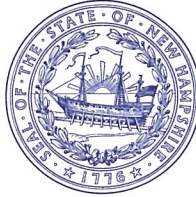


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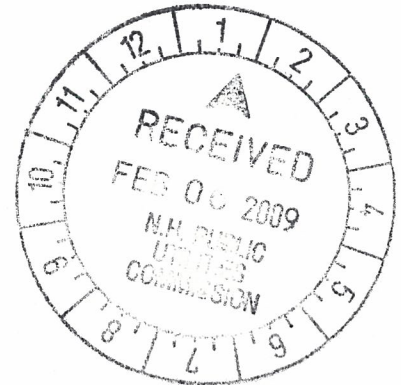
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**Re: DG 08-107 Concord Steam Corporation**

Dear Ms. Howland:

On February 3, 2009, Staff notified the Commission in writing that the parties were actively negotiating a settlement in the above-referenced proceeding and would not be able to meet the deadline for filing a settlement agreement as required by Puc 203.33(f). The letter stated that it was the parties' intention to file a settlement agreement no later than Friday February 6, 2009.

Settlement negotiations are on-going and the parties and Staff have agreed to recommend to the Commission that the hearing scheduled for February 10, 2009 be rescheduled for February 25, 2009.

Please let me know if you have any questions. I have provided a copy of this letter to all parties in this docket by electronic mail.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Edward N. Damon".

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