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September 22, 2009

Re: DG 09-038, New Hampshire Gas Corporation
Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules
Scheduling of Hearing

To the Parties:

On September 18, 2009, Staff notified the Commission that an agreement in principle regarding permanent rates had been reached between New Hampshire Gas Corporation, the Office of the Consumer Advocate and Staff in the above referenced matter. In order to implement the agreement in a timely manner, the parties request that the November 24th hearing be rescheduled to October 22, 2009, the day on which a hearing on the company's winter cost of gas filing will be held.

The Commission has determined that good cause exists and that rescheduling the hearing will promote the orderly and efficient conduct of the proceeding. Accordingly, the Commission has scheduled a hearing on the merits of the settlement agreement on October 22, 2009 at 11:00 a.m.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director