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Re: Public Service Company of New Hampshire
Default Energy Service Rate - Docket No. DE 09-180



Dear Secretary Howland:

Enclosed please find the original and six copies of Public Service Company of New Hampshire's ("PSNH") Motion for Protective Order regarding a response to a data request propounded by the Staff of the Commission at a technical conference held on June 2, 2010. The attachment contains data on historical and projected generation output and capacity factors attributable to the Lempster Wind LLC ("Lempster") facility that sells its output to PSNH. As stated in the Motion, PSNH considers this information to be confidential financial information. PSNH also seeks to restrict the dissemination of this confidential information to Staff and the Office of Consumer Advocate.

A copy of the response and this Motion are being supplied to the Office of Consumer Advocate and shall remain confidential until ruled on by the Commission pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rule Puc §203.08 (c). Copies of the Motion are being supplied to all parties pursuant to Puc §203.11.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

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