

May 17, 2010

Debra A. Howland Executive Director New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit Street, Concord, New Hampshire. 03301

Re: DT 10-025, FairPoint Communications, Inc. Reorganization Procedural Schedule

Dear Director Howland:

After consultation with the active participants in this docket, including FairPoint Communications, Inc., the intervening wholesale customers, Advocate Staff, and New Hampshire Legal Assistance, Staff of the Commission respectfully requests that the hearings in the above referenced docket commence at 9:00 AM on May 24, 2010, and each subsequent day. The parties request this change to permit sufficient time to complete the hearings in a timely fashion.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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Harold T. Judd Counsel to the Non-Advocate Staff

Enclosures

cc: Service List, BY EMAIL