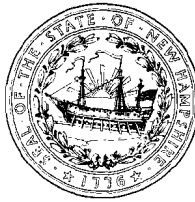


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February 24, 2011

Re: DE 10-055, Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.
Rate Case – Permanent Rates
Scheduling Hearing

To the Parties:

On February 23, 2011, Staff and the parties filed a Settlement Agreement in the above referenced matter. Accordingly, the Commission has scheduled a hearing on the merits on March 10, 2011 at 9:00 a.m.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director