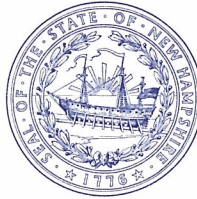


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August 17, 2011

Re: DT 11-151, Merrimack County Telephone Company  
Petition for an Alternative Form of Regulation  
Scheduling of Hearing

To the Parties:

The Commission has scheduled a hearing in the above-captioned proceeding on  
August 25, 2011 at 2:00 p.m.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland/ace".

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director