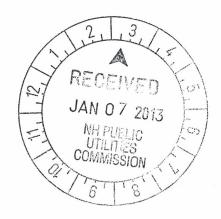


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Re: DE 12-295, the Petition of Power New England for Review of the Reasonableness of Certain Charges of Public Service Company of New Hampshire for Services to Competitive Suppliers

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of the Retail Energy Supply Association ("RESA") I am filing an original and seven copies of the enclosed Appearance and Petition to Intervene in DE 12-295, the Petition of Power New England for Review of the Reasonableness of Certain Charges of Public Service Company of New Hampshire for Services to Competitive Suppliers.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Douglas L. Patch

DLP/gvb Enclosures

Cc: Service List in DE 12-295

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