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Inter-Department Communication

DATE: January 2, 2014 **AT (OFFICE):** NHPUC

FROM: David Goyette, Utility Analyst III

SUBJECT: DM 13-237 REP Energy, LLC Request to Expand Service Area

TO: Commission

Debra Howland, Executive Director

On December 30, 2013, REP Energy, LLC (REP Energy), a competitive electric power supplier currently authorized to operate only in the franchise area of Unitil Energy Systems, filed a request to expand its service territory to include the franchise area of New Hampshire Electric Cooperative (NHEC). REP Energy provided a copy of a certificate demonstrating that it had completed electronic data interface testing (EDI) with NHEC.

Staff reviewed the information in the request and believes REP Energy's filing meets the requirements to extend its service territory into the franchise area of NHEC. Staff, therefore, recommends that the Commission approve REP Energy's request to include the franchise area of NHEC in its service territory.