CHAIRMAN Martin P. Honigberg

COMMISSIONER Robert R. Scott

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Debra A. Howland

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TDD Access: Relay NH 1-800-735-2964

Tel. (603) 271-2431

FAX No. 271-3878

Website: www.puc.nh.gov



PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION 21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10 Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

June 30, 2015

Steven P. Schilling Controller Granite State Telephone 600 South Stark Highway, P.O. Box 87 South Weare, NH 03281

Re: DT 15-167, Granite State Telephone: Intrastate Access Tariff Revisions

Dear Mr. Schilling:

On May 22, 2015, Granite State Telephone (GST) submitted a filing to revise its intrastate access tariff for effect on July 1, 2015, pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Report and Order FCC 11-161 (Transformation Order). Consistent with the Transformation Order as revised, the tariff filing proposes to set GST intrastate access rates equal to current GST interstate rates. In subsequent discussions with Staff, GST identified two corrections to the filing, as described in the Staff Memorandum of June 30, 2015 in this docket.

Staff reviewed the proposed tariff changes as revised for compliance with FCC orders and rules, and following its investigation, recommended that these proposed changes be allowed to go into effect.

The Commission has accepted Staff's recommendation that the proposed tariff changes be allowed to take effect as revised. For administrative efficiency, an order will not be issued by the Commission either suspending, rejecting, or approving the proposed tariff changes. Pursuant to RSA 378:3 and RSA 378:6, IV, the proposed tariff changes, filed on May 22, 2015, as revised in accordance with the Staff Memorandum of June 30, 2015, and pursuant to Staff's recommendation, are effective, as proposed, on July 1, 2015. Tariff pages incorporating the changes references above should be filed referencing Docket No. DT 15-167 and reflecting the effective date of July 1, 2015.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

Cc: Service List Docket file

## SERVICE LIST - EMAIL ADDRESSES - DOCKET RELATED

Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.11 (a) (1): Serve an electronic copy on each person identified on the service list.

Executive.Director@puc.nh.gov amanda.noonan@puc.nh.gov david.wiesner@puc.nh.gov kate.bailey@puc.nh.gov michael.ladam@puc.nh.gov ocalitigation@oca.nh.gov sschilling@gsn.net

Docket #: 15-167-1 Printed: July 02, 2015

## **FILING INSTRUCTIONS:**

a) Pursuant to N.H. Admin Rule Puc 203.02 (a), with the exception of Discovery, file 7 copies, as well as an electronic copy, of all documents including cover letter with: DEBRA A HOWLAND

**EXEC DIRECTOR** 

**NHPUC** 

21 S. FRUIT ST, SUITE 10 CONCORD NH 03301-2429

- b) Serve an electronic copy with each person identified on the Commission's service list and with the Office of Consumer Advocate.
- c) Serve a written copy on each person on the service list not able to receive electronic mail.