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RE: Docket No. DE 15-416 Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy Petition for Adjustment to Stranded Cost Recovery Charge

Dear Director Howland:

21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission

Enclosed for filing please find an original and six copies of Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy's ("Eversource") Petition for an Adjustment to the Stranded Cost Recovery Charge ("SCRC"). Included with this petition are the testimony and attachments of Christopher J. Goulding, supporting an adjustment to the SCRC.

By Order No. 25,742 (December 29, 2014) in Docket No. DE 14-236, the Commission approved an average SCRC for effect on January 1, 2015 of 0.110 cents per kilowatt-hour. Pursuant to Order No. 25,791 issued on June 25, 2015 in the same docket, Eversource is currently billing an average SCRC rate of 0.155 cents per kilowatt-hour for the period July 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015.

Based upon the data contained herein, Eversource currently estimates an average SCRC rate for effect on January 1, 2016 of negative 0.017 cents per kilowatt-hour. Eversource is not requesting approval of a specific rate at this time, but will update its estimates with more recent data before a hearing on the merits is held. Contemporaneous with this filing, Eversource is submitting estimates and documentation to update its default energy service rate, also for effect on January 1, 2016.

Very truly yours,

Matthew J. Fossum Senior Counsel

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