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Re: DE 15-459, Northern Pass – Petition for Authority to Operate as a Public Utility

DE 15-460, Northern Pass – Crossing, Pittsburg et al

DE 15-461, Northern Pass - Crossing, Stark et al

DE 15-462, Eversource - Crossing, Bridgewater et al

DE 15-463, Eversource - Crossing, Northumberland et al

DE 15-464, Eversource – Lease Agreement with Northern Pass

## Dear Ms. Howland:

Given my past contacts in representing the State of New Hampshire in New England regional energy discussions with the other New England states concerning electric transmission projects such as Northern Pass, I have elected to recuse myself from participation in these dockets as an adjudicative Commissioner. I make this decision in an abundance of caution to avoid even the appearance of having pre-judged these critical issues.

Sincerely.

Robert R. Scott

Commissioner

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