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Debra A. Howland  
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New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit Street Suite 10  
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Re: Docket No. DE 15-464  
Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy  
Petition for Approval of Lease with Northern Pass Transmission LLC

Dear Ms. Howland:

On November 1, 2017, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource) filed a settlement agreement among Eversource, Northern Pass Transmission LLC (NPT), the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) and Commission Staff which is offered to resolve all issues in the proceeding. In the cover letter, Eversource noted that the settling parties proposed to hold the settlement conference scheduled on November 8, 2017 and stated that the settlement conference scheduled for November 9, 2017 may be unnecessary.

Staff agrees with Eversource that the November 9<sup>th</sup> settlement conference is not needed and recommends that the Commission cancel the meeting scheduled for that day.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Suzanne G. Amidon", with a large, stylized loop at the end.

Suzanne G. Amidon  
Staff Counsel

cc. Service List (electronic only)

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