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Debra A. Howland
Executive Director
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

**Re: Docket No. ~~DE 16-864~~
Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities
Petition to Approve Tariff Change for Rate G-1 Customers Pursuant to Puc 903.02(p)**

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission please find an original and six copies of a *Petition to Approve Tariff Change for Rate G-1 Customers Pursuant to Puc 903.02(p)*, with the attached Testimony of Heather M. Tebbetts and clean and redlined versions of the proposed tariff changes.

The Company previously filed a technical statement with the proposed tariff changes, which the Commission docketed as DE 16-864. A closer reading of Puc 903.02(p), however, shows that a petition is the appropriate vehicle for bringing this request to the Commission. Please consider this letter the Company's request to withdraw the technical statement.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "M. Sheehan".

Michael J. Sheehan, Esq.

Enclosures

cc: Office of Consumer Advocate