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Debra A. Howland, Executive Director N.H. Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, N.H. 03301

> Re: Docket No. DW 17-____ Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. Petition for Approval of Special Contract with Pennichuck East Utility, Inc.

Dear Ms. Howland:

Pursuant to Puc 1606.02, three copies of the proposed special contract and supportive materials are required for filing, however, the cost of service study attached to the pre-filed testimony in support of the petition contains confidential information. Motions for confidential treatment have a separate copy requirement. After consultation with Commission Staff, I am thus filing, pursuant to Puc 203.08(f) and Puc 203.02(a)(1), one public copy and seven confidential copies of the filing, which includes the special contract and supportive materials. The public copy is signified by the color letterhead. The confidential copies contain a black and white cover letter.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (603) 219-4911 or at mab@nhbrownlaw.com. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this filing.

Very Truly Yours,

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cc: Office of the Consumer Advocate