

March 12, 2021

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Debra A. Howland Executive Director and Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit St, Suite 10 Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

Re: <u>Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.</u> <u>Docket No. DE 18-036</u> <u>Tariff - Storm Recovery Adjustment Factor</u>

Dear Secretary Howland:

On behalf of Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. ("UES"), enclosed please find a copy of the following tariff pages, proposed for effect May 1, 2021:

NHPUC No. 3 – Electricity Delivery, Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.

Forty-Fifth Revised Page 4 and 5, Summary of Delivery Service Rates Sixty-Sixth Revised Page 6, Summary of Low-Income Electric Assistance Program Discounts Eighth Revised Page 69, Storm Recovery Adjustment Factor, Schedule SRAF

UES is proposing to reduce the SRAF from \$0.00084 per kWh to \$0.00047 per kWh effective May 1, 2021, reflecting the end of the three year period of recovery of the costs associated with the October 2017 Wind Storm as approved by Order No. 26,123. Based on this change, a typical residential customer on Default Service using 650 kWh per month will see a bill decrease of (\$0.24) or (0.2%) compared to current rates. UES is currently expecting a balance of \$56,319 at the end of April 2021 associated with this recovery. Per its tariff, UES will file the final results of its recovery with the Commission no later than sixty days after the conclusion of the recovery period, with the disposition of any remaining balance subject to Commission review and approval.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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