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June 9, 2020

Via Electronic Mail only

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

Re: Docket No. DE 19-064; Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric), Corp., enclosed for filing please find the affidavits of the following four witnesses who were not present during the June 9, 2020, hearing, which affidavits adopt their prefiled direct testimony and, as to witnesses Bartos and Cochrane, rebuttal testimony:

- David Heintz (Exhibit 12)
- Melissa Bartos (Exhibits 13 and 36)
- John Cochrane (Exhibits 14 and 35)
- Dane Watson (Exhibit 15)

Pursuant to the Commission's March 17, 2020, secretarial letter, only electronic versions of these documents will be filed.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Sheehan

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Cc: Service list Enclosures

LIBERTY UTILITIES (GRANITE STATE ELECTRIC) CORP. d/b/a LIBERTY UTILITIES

Distribution Service Rate Case

Affidavit of David A. Heintz

I, David A. Heintz, state as follows:

My name is David A. Heintz, and I am a Vice President with Concentric Energy Advisors.

On April 30, 2019, I submitted direct testimony in the above proceeding, which explained the development of test year billing determinants and base revenues for rate design, and presented and supported the calculations and analysis related to the Company's proposed permanent and step adjustment rates, including typical bill impact analyses.

I understand my direct testimony has been marked as Exhibit 12.

My direct testimony was prepared by me or under my supervision, and I attest to the truthfulness of that submission, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed under the penalties of perjury.

David A. Heintz

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Affidavit of Melissa Bartos

I, Melissa F. Bartos, state as follows:

My name is Melissa F. Bartos, and I am a Vice President with Concentric Energy Advisors.

On April 30, 2019, I submitted direct testimony in the above proceeding, and on January 30, 2020, I submitted rebuttal testimony, both presenting evidence regarding the Company's marginal cost study.

I understand my direct and rebuttal testimonies have been marked as Exhibits 13 and 36, respectively.

My direct and rebuttal testimony were prepared by me or under my supervision, and I attest to the truthfulness of those submissions, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed under the penalties of perjury.

Melissa F. Bartos

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June 8, 2020

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Affidavit of John Cochrane

1. John Cochrane, being duly sworn, depose and say as follows:

My name is John Cochrane, and I am a Senior Managing Director and head of the Power & Utilities practice at FTI Consulting, Inc.

- 2. On April 30, 2019, I submitted direct testimony in the above proceeding, and on January 30, 2020, I submitted rebuttal testimony, both presenting evidence and recommendations regarding the Return on Equity that the Company should be allowed to earn on the equity portion of its rate base, and recommendations regarding the Company's capital costs and capital structure.
- I understand my direct and rebuttal testimonies have been marked as Exhibits 14 and
 respectively.
- 4. My direct and rebuttal testimony were prepared by me or under my supervision, and I attest to the truthfulness of those submissions, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 - 5. Signed under the penalties of perjury.

John Cochrane

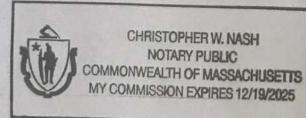
County of Suffolk

8th day of June, 2020.

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My Commission Expires:

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LIBERTY UTILITIES (GRANITE STATE ELECTRIC) CORP. d/b/a LIBERTY UTILITIES

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Affidavit of Dane Watson

I, Dane Watson, state as follows:

My name is Dane Watson, and I am a Partner in Alliance Consulting Group.

On April 30, 2019, I submitted direct testimony in the above proceeding which discussed the recent Granite State Book Depreciation Accrual Rate Study, and supported the recommended depreciation rate changes for the Company, based on the results of the Depreciation Study.

I understand my direct testimony has been marked as Exhibit 15.

My direct testimony was prepared by me or under my supervision, and I attest to the truthfulness of that submission, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed under the penalties of perjury.

Dane Watson

State of Texas County of Collin

The foregoing Affidavit was subscribed and sworn to before me by Dane Watson, this 8th day of June, 2020.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Dec. 6,2023

