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Via Hand-Delivery and Electronic Mail

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

Re: DG 19-145 Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities Winter 2019/2020 Cost of Gas and Summer 2020 Cost of Gas Schedule additional technical session and related discovery deadlines

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of Commission Staff (Staff) in the above captioned matter, I write to ask the Commission to schedule a follow-up technical session in this docket for September 27, 2019, from 9:30 a.m. to noon. This additional technical session will allow the parties to develop issues raised at the September 23, 2019, technical session. Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty) and the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA), concur in this scheduling request.

If needed, Staff proposes filing additional data requests no later than September 30, 2019; Liberty to provide responses on October 4, 2019. Staff also proposes filing related testimony, if needed, on or before October 8, 2019, prior to the October 11, 2019 hearing. Liberty and the OCA concur in these scheduling requests.

Accordingly, Staff respectfully requests the Commission to: schedule an additional technical session on September 27, 2019, from 9:30 a.m. to noon; permit Staff to file additional data requests on or before September 30, 3019; direct Liberty to answer additional data requests on or before October 4, 2019; and permit Staff to file testimony on or before October 8, 2019.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely.

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