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Ms. Debra A. Howland
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Re: Docket No. DW 04-048
City of Nashua, RSA 38 Petition re Pennichuck Water Works

Dear Ms. Howland:

As you know, the Commission recently rescheduled one day of the upcoming hearings in the above-referenced matter from September 6, 2007 to September 10, 2007. I am advised that this change has presented scheduling difficulties for one of the witness panels previously expected to testify on behalf of the City of Nashua on September 6. The panel in question is the one comprised of R.W. Beck employees, specifically Messrs. Gates, Doran and Henderson.

Having conferred with counsel for the City and for respondent Pennichuck Water Works, and having consulted the Commission's schedule, it is my recommendation that the Commission add an additional half-day of hearings, on September 7, 2007 at 2:00 p.m., for the purpose of receiving testimony from these three witnesses. One of the witnesses, Mr. Henderson, is also scheduled to testify on September 10, 2007 as a member of a separate panel. It is my understanding that Mr. Henderson remains able to appear on September 10 for that purpose.

Sincerely,

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