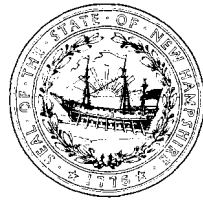


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Re: DW 04-048, City of Nashua
Petition for Determination of the Fair Market Value of Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.,
Pennichuck East Utility, and Pittsfield Aqueduct
Scheduling of Discovery Conference

To the Parties:

This letter concerns the request filed by the City of Nashua on April 25, 2006 for the issuance of certain deposition subpoenas and the letter in opposition to the request filed by Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. on May 3, 2006. Please be advised that pursuant to RSA 363:17 the Commission has designated Hearings Examiner Donald M. Kreis to hear the parties, report the facts and make recommendations to the Commission with respect to the disposition of the City's request. The Hearings Examiner will conduct a discovery conference for that purpose on Monday, May 15, 2006 at 10:30 a.m.

Sincerely,

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