STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

RE: HAMPSTEAD AREA WATER COMPANY, INC.

DW-08-088

MOTION TO AMEND PETITION FOR AUTHORITY TO BORROW LONG TERM DEBT, TO CONSTRUCT WATER SYSTEM INTERCONNECTION, APPROVAL TO EXTEND FRANCHISE AREA, AND FOR STEP RATE INCREASE

Hampstead Area Water Company (HAWC) hereby moves to amend its Petition before the Public Utilities Commission (the Commission) for authority, pursuant to RSA §369, to borrow One Million One Hundred Thousand Eighty Hundred Eighty Five and 00/100th (\$1,100,885.00) Dollars in long term debt from the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (SRF), to extend its franchise area and, pursuant to RSA §378:3, for authority to increase its rates to a level that will enable the Company to pay the debt service on such financing and earn a reasonable rate of return on its invested capital. In support of its Motion, the Company states as follows:

- Through mistake, inadvertence, and misfortune, the Company omitted, as part of its request to expand the franchise area, a request for authority to apply the prevailing consolidated rate to the expansion of the franchise area.
- It would be administratively expedient to allow this amendment so to avoid further redundant proceedings on this issue in another docket.
- 3) There is no prejudicial effect to any party in allowing the relief requested herein.

WHEREFORE, Hampstead Area Water Company respectfully request that the Commission:

- A. Amend the Petition so to include a request to authorize the Company to apply the prevailing consolidated rate to the expansion of the franchise area.
- B. Grant such other and further relief as may be just and reasonable.

Dated: 10-3.08

Respectfully submitted, Hampstead Area Water Co., Inc.

Robert C. Levine, Esq. Attorney for the Company

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that a copy of this motion has been sent, postage prepaid to Staff, OCA, and the Service List.

Robert C. Levine, Esq. Attorney for the Company

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