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December 22, 2008

Debra A. Howland Executive Director and Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Walker Building 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 0330 1 -2429

Re: DG 08-107 Concord Steam Transfer Utility Assets/Distribution Upgrades/Steam Purchase Agreement

Dear Ms. Howland:

The recent extreme weather has limited both the Staff's and Company's ability to meet the existing procedural schedule. Staff and the Company have discussed certain changes and recommend to the Commission that the existing schedule be revised to have Staff testimony due on December 31, 2008 and data requests to Staff due January 9, 2009. There are no intervenors in the proceeding and the remainder of the schedule would remain unchanged.

We appreciate the Commission's consideration of these proposed changes.

Sincerely,

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