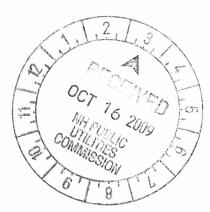


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Debra A. Howland, Executive Director & Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit St., Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429



Re: DE 09-180, Public Service Company of New Hampshire Petition to Establish Default Energy Service Rate, Petition to Intervene of TransCanada Power Marketing Ltd.

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of TransCanada Power Marketing Ltd. I am filing an original and seven copies of the enclosed Appearance and Petition to Intervene in DE 09-180, Public Service Company of New Hampshire's Petition to Establish Default Energy Service Rate, pursuant to the Order of Notice which the Commission issued on October 5, 2009.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely

Douglas L. Patch

cc. PSNH and the Consumer Advocate encs

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