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Debra A. Howland Executive Director and Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

RE: DØ 09-236 Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.
Petition for Authority to Issue Securities



Dear Ms. Howland:

Pursuant to the Inter-agency Memorandum of Understanding, dated April 28, 2000, between the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) and the Commission, the OCA hereby notifies the Commission it will be participating, for the purpose of monitoring, in the above referenced matters on behalf of residential ratepayers, pursuant to RSA 363:28, II.

Please also add Rorie Hollenberg, <u>rorie.e.p.hollenberg@oca.nh.gov</u>, and Kenneth Traum, <u>ken.e.traum@oca.nh.gov</u> to the service list. Please add <u>ocalitigation@oca.nh.gov</u> to any email service lists, including the discovery list. Please also include the OCA on the distribution list for any Memoranda or Recommendations filed with the Commission. Thank you.

Respectfully,

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Staff Attorney

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