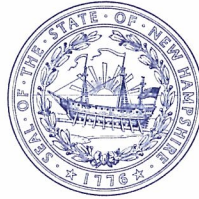


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February 10, 2011

Re: DW 10-091, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.
Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules

DW 11-018, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.
Special Contract with Anheuser-Busch
Revised Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On January 21, 2011, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW) filed a motion to consolidate Docket No. DW 10-091, PWW's rate case, and Docket No. DW 11-018, PWW's petition for approval of its Fourth Special Contract with Anheuser-Busch (Motion). PWW states that consolidation is appropriate because the two matters are factually and legally interconnected and the "rates to be charged to Anheuser-Busch will have a direct effect on the rates charged to the Company's other customers." PWW represents that Staff, the Office of Consumer Advocate and Anheuser-Busch assented to the Motion.

The Commission has determined, pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rule Puc 203.19 (a), that the issues in the dockets are similar and that consolidating the two proceedings will promote the orderly and efficient conduct of the proceedings. Accordingly, the Motion has been granted.

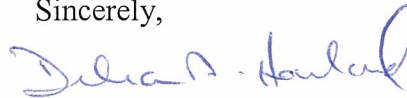
On February 7, 2011, Staff and the parties filed a request to revise the existing procedural schedule as follows:

Data Responses from PWW re: recovery of	
DW 04-048 expenses	02/04/11
Rolling Discovery on AB 4 th Special Contract	02/11/11
Responses from PWW/AB (response due 10 days	
from receipt with the last response issued on	
03/05/11 and the last response due on 03/15/11)	03/11/11
Staff/Intervener Testimony	03/31/11
Data Request's on Testimony from PWW	04/05/11
Data Responses from Staff/Interveners	04/19/11
Technical Session	04/21/11 at 1:30 p.m.
File Settlement	05/18/11
Rebuttal Testimony	05/18/11
Hearing on Permanent Rates	05/26/11 at 10:00 a.m.

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The Commission has determined that the proposed revised schedule is in the public interest and therefore has approved it.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland", with a stylized, cursive script.

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director