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Witness: Richard C. Labrecque, Gary A. Long, Terrance J. Large
Request from: New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Staff

Question:

(Exhibit PSNH-14): Would approval of the PPA have any adverse effect on PSNH's debt rating?

Response:

According to Jeffrey R. Kotkin, Vice President - Investor Relations for Northeast Utilities, the size and nature of the Laidlaw PPA is not significant enough to have any adverse effect on PSNH's debt rating.