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June 2, 2015

Ryan Harwell Manager, Compliance Direct Energy Business LLC 12 Greenway Plaza, Suite 250 Houston, TX 77046

Re: DM 11-282, Hess Corporation Request to Withdraw Registration as a Competitive Natural Gas Supplier

Dear Mr. Harwell:

By letter dated May 28, 2015, you submitted a request on behalf of Hess Corporation (Hess) to withdraw the registration of Hess as a competitive natural gas supplier (CNGS) in New Hampshire. In your letter, you stated that Hess has not served any customers for the past 90 days in New Hampshire.

The Commission's rules governing CNGS do not provide for the withdrawal, rescission, or abandonment of a CNGS registration. The Commission has reviewed your letter and has deemed it a request for waivers of N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 3003.01(f) (approved CNGS registration valid for five years), and Puc 3003.01(h) (registered CNGS to continue compliance with requirements of Puc 3000). The Commission has determined that the requested waivers, without any further conditions, are in the public interest and will not disrupt the orderly and efficient resolution of matters before the Commission, and that the purpose of the rules will be satisfied by the termination of Hess' CNGS registration, effective as of the date specified in the request letter.

Accordingly, Hess Corporation's competitive natural gas supplier registration is deemed withdrawn and terminated, effective as of May 29, 2015.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland

**Executive Director** 

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