

Susan S. Geiger sgeiger@orr-reno.com Direct Dial 603.223.9154

Direct Fax 603.223.9054 Admitted in NH and MA

March 15, 2013

Via Hand Delivery and Electronic Mail

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



Re: DT 12-054 – Comcast of Maine/New Hampshire, Inc. et al.
Petition for Authority to Construct and Maintain Fiber Optic Cable
Over and Across 240 Public Waters

Dear Ms. Howland:

I am writing on behalf of Comcast of Maine/New Hampshire, Inc. and its affiliates, Comcast of Connecticut/Georgia/Massachusetts/New Hampshire/New York/North Carolina/Virginia/Vermont, LLC, Comcast of Massachusetts/New Hampshire, LLC and Comcast of New Hampshire, Inc. (collectively "Comcast") in response to the February 26, 2013 memorandum filed by Commission Staff Member Leszek Stachow ("the Staff Memorandum") in the above-captioned docket. The Staff Memorandum recommends that the Commission require Comcast to resubmit augmented details relative to 240 public water crossings that are the subject of Comcast's petition filed February 29, 2012.

On March 12, 2013, representatives of Comcast met with Commission Staff members Lynn Fabrizio, Kate Bailey and Les Stachow to discuss the issues raised in the Staff Memorandum and to discuss the agreement that previously had been reached between Comcast and Staff regarding the information that Comcast filed with its petition. Comcast and Staff are working collaboratively to address the issues raised in the Staff Memorandum and are hopeful that the issues will be resolved by agreement. In these circumstances, Comcast respectfully requests that the Commission refrain from taking any action on the Staff Memorandum. The undersigned has contacted Attorney Lynn Fabrizio who indicated that Staff concurs with this request. Please contact me if there are any questions concerning this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Susan S. Geiger

978217_1