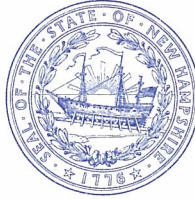


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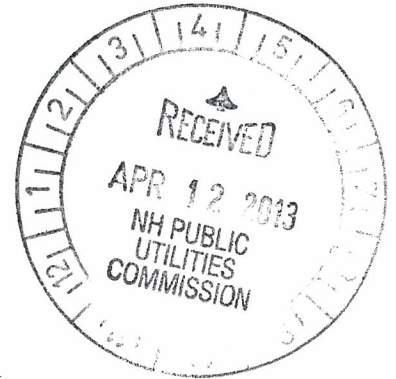
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Re: Docket No. DW 12-170 Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc.  
Permanent Rate Proceeding  
Settlement Agreement

Dear Ms. Howland:

Attached please find for filing an original and six copies of a settlement agreement reached between Staff and Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc. We will present this agreement at the hearing scheduled for April 18, 2013.

Thank you in advance for your assistance with this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Marcia A. Brown".

Marcia A. Brown  
Staff Attorney

cc: Docket-Related Service List via electronic delivery

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