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Re:

DT 07-027, TDS, Petitions for Alternative Form of Regulation of: Kearsarge Telephone Co., Wilton Telephone Co., Inc., Hollis Telephone

Co., Inc. and Merrimack County Telephone Co.

Amendments to Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

Consistent with the schedule approved by the Commission in a Secretarial Letter dated August 5, 2010, the parties, Staff and other interested individuals met in a technical session on September 8, 2010. During that technical session, TDS proposed that the deadline for rebuttal testimony be changed from September 13, 2010 to September 20, 2010. In addition, Staff recommended that an additional technical session in lieu of discovery on the rebuttal testimony be scheduled. The parties agreed to meet for a technical session, if necessary, on September 23, 2010, at 2 p.m. The hearing on the merits set for September 27, 2010, is to remain unchanged. I am authorized to represent that all parties agree to these proposed changes.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Matthew J. Fossum

Staff Attorney