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## CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL IN COMM FILE

October 7, 2014

#### Via E-Mail and U.S. Mail

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

Re: Second Request for Additional Information (Fifth Item) (Docket # DE 12-278)

Dear Ms. Howland:

Per its letter dated December 12, 2013, Staff of the Commission made, among other things, the following request for additional information of Contoocook Hydro, LLC ("Contoocook" or the "Applicant") pertaining to its Application for Class I certification for a portion of the generation from its Hopkinton Hydro Project (the "Project" or the "Facility").<sup>1</sup>

• Identify the four improvements that have had the greatest impact on the increased electricity production at the Hopkinton Project, describe the causal connection between these specified improvements and the increases in production, and provide a good faith estimate of the quantity of increased production to each improvement (either in KWh or on a percentage basis).

Enclosed please find Contoocook's response to Staff's request for this additional information.

Contoocook wishes to inform the Commission that the Commission is now in possession of confidential, material non-public information on its Project. Once Staff has made a preliminary review of the Applicant's information, Contoocook requests Staff's assistance in obtaining confidential treatment of these documents by the Commission.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> There were five such general requests for additional information. This response covers only one of the five requests and only the second request.

For purposes of responding to inquiries regarding these responses for requests for additional information, persons should contact the following:

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Upon your review of our response to Staff's request for additional information, if you have any questions on comments, please do not hesitate to contact either Lori D. Barg or myself.

Sincerely yours,

William P. Short DA

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