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December 18, 2012

Ryan Taylor  
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Re: DT 12-337, Northern New England Telephone Operations, LLC d/b/a FairPoint  
Communications-NNE Tariff Filing to Revise NH PUC Tariff No. 2 ILEC Collocation Tariff

Dear Mr. Taylor:

On November 19, 2012, Northern New England Telephone Operations, LLC d/b/a FairPoint Communications – NNE (FairPoint) submitted a filing to revise NH PUC Tariff No.2 I in order to implement certain provisions in accordance with the *Order on Remand* issued by the Federal Communications Commission on February 4, 2005 in WC Docket No. 04-3 13 and CC Docket No. 01- 338

On November 27, 2012, the CLEC Association of Northern New England (CANNE) filed a petition to intervene along with a petition for, among other things, a review of the proposed wire center reclassifications. According to the petition, CANNE members obtain unbundled network elements from FairPoint and reclassifying wire centers may affect the rights, duties, privileges, immunities, or other substantial interests of its members. No objections to the CANNE intervention request have been filed. The Commission has determined that no party will be prejudiced by the granting of CANNE's petition, which is consistent with the applicable standards for intervention. Accordingly, CANNE's petition is granted.

On December 14, 2012, Staff requested a 30 day extension to provide sufficient time for parties and Staff to gather additional facts and to allow Staff the opportunity to complete its review. Pursuant to RSA 378:6, IV, "The Commission may, in its discretion and with reasonable explanation, including an explanation of the likely areas of disagreement with the tariff, extend the time for its determination by up to 30 days." In order to allow an adequate review of both facts and law relevant to this docket, the Commission has extended the time for its determination on this proposed revision by 30 days.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Debra A. Howland'.

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

cc: Docket file

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