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Concord, NH 03301

Re: DA 13-148, New England Power Company, Service Agreement with

Massachusetts Electric Company

Dear Mr. Camerino:

On May 13, 2013, New England Power Company (NEP) entered into a Service Agreement effective May 1, 2013 with Massachusetts Electric Company (MECO). On August 15, 2013, Staff filed a recommendation with the Commission stating that it had reviewed the contracts and that no further investigation is warranted at this time.

This letter serves as an acknowledgement that the National Grid Companies, pursuant to the requirements of RSA 366:3, have filed contracts between a public utility and an affiliate for the provision of services in exchange for compensation that exceeds \$500. This acknowledgement does not constitute approval of any rate or revenue requirement change that may be claimed as a result of the service provided for in the filed documents. As any issue that may arise under the contract may be addressed in another docket or through the opening of a new docket, the Commission will not open an investigation at this time under RSA 366:5 and has closed this docket. As you may be aware, any modifications of the contract must also be filed with the Commission pursuant to RSA 366:3.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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