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January 7, 2014

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

Re: Docket DT-13-158 – Petition for Authority to Construct and Maintain Fiber Optic Communications Cable Over and Across the Mascoma River in the City of Lebanon

Dear Secretary Howland:

As directed by the Commission's Order *Nisi* No. 25,604 in the matter captioned above, the enclosed affidavit is filed with the Commission.

Sovernet Fiber Corp. d/b/a Vermont FiberConnect (Sovernet), has caused to be published a legal notice relative to the above-captioned docket. The legal notice appeared in the <u>The Valley News</u> on December 27, 2013.

As also directed by the Commission Order *Nisi*, on December 17, 2013, Sovernet mailed a copy of the Order *Nisi* by first class U.S. Mail to the City Clerk of Lebanon, New Hampshire, New Hampshire Attorney General, the owners of lands bordering on said public waters at the locations of the crossing, the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, and the New Hampshire Department of Transportation.

An original and six copies of the filing are enclosed. Feel free to contact me regarding this filing or any unresolved matter.

Respectfully Submitted, <u>un mar land</u> Lawrence Lackey

Director of Regulatory Affairs 802 460-9133

Enclosure.

## AFFIDAVIT

I, Lawrence Lackey, do depose and state as follows under oath:

- 1. I am Director of Regulatory Affairs for Sovernet, Inc., and its affiliates, including Sovernet Fiber Corp.
- 2. I hereby certify that a copy of the Order <u>Nisi</u> No. 25,604, Docket DT-13-158 was mailed by First Class, U.S. Mail postage prepaid, on December 26, 2013 to the:

City Clerk, City of Lebanon, New Hampshire New Hampshire Attorney General New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services New Hampshire Department of Transportation, and the following owners of lands bordering on said public waters at the locations of the crossing:

Olive and Douglas H. Macgregor, Trustees The Olive C. Macgregor Revocable Trust 6 River Dale Parkway Lebanon, NH 03766

Ke Zhang 143 Bank Street Ext. Lebanon, NH 03766 Greg Lewis, City Mgr. City of Lebanon 51 No. Park Street Lebanon, NH 03766

NH Dept. of Transportation Rail Division John O. Morton Bldg. P.O. Box 483, 7 Hazen Drive Concord, NH 03301-0483

3. The attached legal notice was published in <u>The Valley News</u> on December 27, 2013.

(Signed) (Dated)

State of Vermont, Whindham, SS

(Dated)

Subscribed and sworn by the said Lawrence Lackey.

Before me,

**Notary Public** 

My Commission

