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Ms. Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10  
Concord, NH 03301-2429

**Re: DW 13-\_\_\_; Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc. 2014 Water Infrastructure and Conservation Adjustment Filing**

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission are an original and six copies of Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc.'s ("Aquarion" or "the Company") Petition for Approval of its 2014 Water Infrastructure and Conservation Adjustment ("WICA") Filing. The Company is filing its proposed 2014 and 2015 WICA projects at this time because it is required to do so by November 1 of each year and because the Company must have sufficient time to plan its 2014 projects. Aquarion's WICA surcharge filing is not subject to the same fixed November 1 deadline, and because the Company wishes to reduce the frequency of rate increases in light of its recent base rate case and approved temporary rate and rate case expense surcharge, it will file the proposed WICA surcharge in a supplemental filing in this docket.

Thank you for your assistance. Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "P. H. Taylor".

Patrick H. Taylor

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