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Re: DG 15-033, Northern Utilities, Inc.
2015 Integrated Resource Plan
De-Consolidation from IR 15-009 Proceeding and Scheduling of Hearing on the Merits

To the Parties:

By this letter, the Commission informs the parties to the above-captioned proceeding that it has elected to de-consolidate Docket No. DG 15-033 from Docket No. IR 15-009 (Northern Utilities, Inc., Investigation into the Cost Allocation Methodology), in the interest of administrative efficiency. This reverses the Commission's earlier determination, as presented in the Order of Notice issued on March 27, 2015, to have these two matters reviewed on a consolidated basis. The IR 15-009 Investigation will continue as a separate proceeding until further notice. The Commission has scheduled a hearing on the merits for DG 15-033 for January 19, 2017 at 9:00 a.m.

Sincerely,

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Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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