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October 2, 2015

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director N.H. Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

Re:

Docket No. DW 15-199 Abenaki Water Company, Inc. – Rate Case

Proposed Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

On September 23, 2015, the Commission Staff ("Staff") met in a technical session with Abenaki Water Company, Inc. ("Abenaki") and the intervenors ("Staff and the parties"). Staff and the parties propose the attached procedural schedule for the Commission's consideration and approval. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Rorie E. Patterson Staff Attorney

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Enclosure

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Service List

DW 15-199 ABENAKI WATER COMPANY, INC. PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

09/23/15 @ 10:00 AM	Pre-hearing Conference / Technical Session
Temporary Rates 09/23/15	Start of rolling Data Paguages to Company Sat 1 (5 days for regnances)
10/07/15	Start of rolling Data Requests to Company – Set 1 (5 days for responses) Last date to submit Data Requests to Company – Set 1
10/14/15	Final Responses due from Company – Set 1
10/21/15 @ 9:00 AM	Technical Session*
10/28/15	Responses from Company to Technical Session Data Requests
11/12/15	Testimony by Staff and Intervenors
11/19/15	Settlement Conference*
12/11/15	File Settlement or Statement of Position
12/21/15 @ 10:00 AM	Hearing

Permanent Rates

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01/13/16	Start of rolling Data Requests to Company – Set 2 (5 days for responses)
02/03/16	Last date to submit Data Requests to Company – Set 2
02/10/16	Final Responses due from Company – Set 2
02/18/16 @ 9:00 AM	Technical Session*
02/25/16	Responses from Company to Technical Session Data Requests
03/24/16	Testimony by Staff and Intervenors
03/31/16 @ 9:00 AM	Technical Session and/or Settlement Conference*
03/31/16	Start of Rolling Data Requests on Staff and Intervenor Testimony
04/14/16	Last date to submit Data Requests to Staff and Intervenors
04/21/16	Final Responses due from Staff and Intervenors
05/05/16	File Settlement or Statement of Position
05/12/16 @ 10:00 AM	Hearing

^{*}Technical sessions and settlement conferences contained in the proposed procedural schedule will be conducted so as to allow teleconferencing if parties are unable to physically attend.

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