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November 30, 2016

RE: DW 15-209, Lakes Region Water Co., Inc.  
Order No. 25,969

To the Parties:

Enclosed is revised page 2 of Order No. 25,969 (November 28, 2016). On page 2, line 2, "15.43 percent" has been changed to "17.63 percent."

All other portions of this order remain unchanged. Please substitute the enclosed revised page to your copy of Order No. 25,969.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director and Secretary

Enclosure  
cc: Service List  
Docket File

step adjustment estimated to be \$22,903, or an additional 2.20 percent for certain future capital improvements to be completed by the end of 2017, resulting in a total increase of 17.63 percent.

## **I. PROCEDURAL HISTORY**

This order and prior docket filings, other than any information for which confidential treatment is requested of or granted by the Commission, are posted on the Commission's website at <http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Docketbk/2015/15-209.html>.

On August 5, 2015, Lakes Region submitted a request to increase the permanent rates charged to its general metered and unmetered customers by \$398,274 or 38.18 percent, pursuant to RSA 378:3. The filing included proposed tariff pages and schedules as required by rule. On August 17, 2015, Lakes Region filed a petition for temporary rates seeking approval for an increase of \$221,487, or 21.23 percent, on a temporary basis while the permanent rate proceeding was pending. On September 4, 2015, the Commission suspended the Company's tariff and scheduled a pre-hearing conference.

On September 30, 2015, the Company submitted a petition requesting approval of long-term financing as well as the transfer of land owned by an affiliate through the Company's proposed acquisition of the so-called "Mt. Roberts Property" from its shareholder. Lakes Region's financing submission was assigned Docket No. DW 15-422 and, for administrative efficiency, the Commission approved a procedural schedule that consolidated the two dockets.

Petitions to Intervene were filed by the Property Owners Association at Suissevale, Inc., Murray D. Movitz for residents on Judges Road in Thornton, William Endres for the Indian Mound Property Owners Association, and Mark Evitts for the Hidden Valley Home Owners Association. The OCA also filed a notice of participation.

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