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March 28, 2016

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

Re: Docket No. DE 15-459
Northern Pass Transmission LLC/Petition for Utility Status
Request for Change to Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

Pursuant to a procedural schedule approved by the Commission in the above-captioned docket, the Commission scheduled a merits hearing for March 29, 2016 at 10:00 a.m.

Staff and Northern Pass Transmission LLC (NPT) have reached a settlement in principle regarding this proceeding. The agreement has not yet been formalized, and on that basis, Staff respectfully requests that the Commission cancel the hearing for March 29 and reschedule it for April 7, 2016 at 10:00. Staff asserts that this change will promote the orderly conduct of this proceeding by resolving all issues in the proposed settlement agreement.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Suzanne G. Amidon".

Suzanne G. Amidon, Esq.
Staff Counsel

cc: Service List

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