City of Lebanon



51 North Park Street Lebanon, New Hampshire 03766

January 27, 2017

Via Electronic Mail only

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

RE: DRM 16-853, Rulemaking, Puc 2000 - Competitive Electric Power Suppliers and Aggregator Rules

Dear Ms. Howland,

Attached for filing, please find the City of Lebanon's Comments on the above referenced proposed rule.

Please add the following to the service list in this docket:

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Pursuant to your Order of Notice dated 12/27/16 that states on p. 2 that "the deadline for submission of materials in writing or by e-mail shall be January 27, 2017" as well as the Rulemaking Register Notice of 12/22/16 that states: "Deadline for submission of materials in writing or, if practicable for the agency, in the electronic format specified: January 27, 2017" with the email box checked (emphasis added), we presume that filing only in electronic format without papers copies being delivered today is acceptable for proper filing and consideration of our comments.¹

On a separate but additional matter, City Councilor Clifton Below is authorized to represent the City of Lebanon in all matters related to this issue.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Yours truly,

Paula Maville, Interim City Manger

¹ The rulemaking page on the PUC website, https://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/proposedrules.htm, also states:

[&]quot;Please use this link is to submit your comments on proposed rules. Or e-mail to rulescomments@puc.nh.gov."