

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

LIBERTY UTILITIES (ENERGYNORTH NATURAL GAS) CORP.

d/b/a LIBERTY UTILITIES

DOCKET NO. DG 17-xxx

Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules

Pursuant to N.H. Code of Admin. Rules 1604.05, Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp., d/b/a Liberty Utilities, gives notice of its intent to file rate schedules on or about April 27, 2017 with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission pursuant to RSA Ch. 378, seeking an overall increase in annual distribution revenue of approximately \$16 million based on a test year ending December 31, 2016, plus a step increase of approximately \$7.5 million for investment in plant placed into service during 2017, excluding investments for replacement of cast iron and bare steel mains and services. The primary driver of this request is to recover the revenue requirement associated with capital investments made since the Company's last distribution rate case. In addition, the filing will include a request to consolidate the distribution operations, revenues and expenses of the Company's Keene Division with those of EnergyNorth.

Respectfully submitted,

LIBERTY UTILITIES (ENERGYNORTH NATURAL
GAS) CORP. d/b/a LIBERTY UTILITIES

By its Attorney,



Date: March 28, 2017

By: _____

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on March 28, 2017, a copy of this Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules has been hand-delivered to Donald Kreis, Esq., Consumer Advocate.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M. Sheehan", written in dark ink.

Michael J. Sheehan