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New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Debra Howland, Executive Director 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, N.H. 03301-2429

Via UPS Overnight Delivery

Re: DM 17-073- Application of EDF Energy Services, LLC - Request for Waiver of PUC §2003.03 (a)(5)

Dear Ms. Howland:

EDF Energy Services, LLC ("EDF Energy") respectfully request a waiver of the term of the financial surety term requirements, as indicated in PUC §2003.03(a) (5). EDF Energy would like to submit a letter of credit which has a term of one (1) year with an auto-renewal clause at the end of each year, per the evergreen provision. EDF Energy asks for this waiver at the request of our bank who will not issue a letter of credit for the term indicated in PUC §2003.03(a) (5).

Sincerely,

C. Alexis Keeńe Senior Vice President & General Counsel EDF Energy Services, LLC