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September 25, 2017

Re: DE 17-124 Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy

To the Parties:

Enclosed is revised page 2 of Order No. 26,057 (September 19, 2017).

On page 2, line 1 "granted intervenor status to all parties except NextEra." has been changed to "granted intervenor status to all parties except NextEra and the Sierra Club."

On page 2, line 2, 3, & 4 "NextEra's status as a competitive energy supplier, it did not have..." has been changed to "NextEra's status as a competitive energy supplier and Sierra Club's status as an environmental advisory organization, neither had interests impacted by this proceeding and denied their..."

All other portions of this order remain unchanged. Please substitute the enclosed revised pages to your copy of order No. 26,057.

Very truly yours,

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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Enclosure

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granted intervenor status to all parties except NextEra and the Sierra Club. The Commission found that, based on NextEra's status as a competitive energy supplier and Sierra Club's status as an environmental advocacy organization, neither had interests impacted by this proceeding and denied their intervention on that basis. On August 24, 2017, the Town of Bristol requested intervention and on August 25, 2017, Gorham withdrew as a party.

The Commission approved the current auction process in Order No. 25,967 (November 10, 2016) (Auction Design Order). The Commission opened this docket ahead of receiving the auction results to determine issues of intervention and treatment of confidential data. Early determination of those issues will allow the review of the auction results to proceed expeditiously as required by Order No. 25,920 (July 1, 2016), the 2015 Public Service Company of New Hampshire Restructuring and Rate Stabilization Agreement, and the Partial Litigation Settlement (2015 Settlements), and consistent with the timing contemplated in RSA 369-B:3-a. The order of notice in this docket described the manner in which the Commission intended to treat auction results and bidder information, and provided the parties an opportunity to file written comments on the proposed confidential treatment of auction data. The parties were also given the opportunity to address confidential treatment of auction data through oral arguments at the prehearing conference. By Secretarial Letter following the prehearing conference, the Commission extended the deadline to file written comments on confidential treatment to August 25, 2017. Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource), New Hampton, Bristol, Berlin, and CLF filed written comments.

II. APPROVED AUCTION PROCESS

The auction process conducted by J.P. Morgan included a number of steps that were reviewed and approved by the Commission in the Auction Design Order. The process began with a public announcement of the pending sale by JPM followed by a request for qualification to potential bidders. JPM then conducted two rounds of bids, an initial indicative round followed

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