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Jeremy Reed, Regulatory Affairs Manager Clearview Electric, Inc. 901 Main Street, Suite 301 Dallas, TX 75202

Re: DM 18-004, Clearview Electric, Inc. d/b/a Clearview Energy

Application to Renew Registration as Competitive Electric Power Supplier

Dear Mr. Reed:

On January 18, 2018, Clearview Electric, Inc. d/b/a Clearview Energy (Clearview Energy) filed an application to renew its registration as a competitive electric power supplier (CEPS).

Commission Staff filed a memorandum on March 26, 2018, that summarizes the filing made by Clearview Energy in connection with its registration renewal and Staff's analysis of the completed application. Staff noted that the application complies with the requirements of Puc 2003 and Puc 2006.01. Staff recommended approval of the registration renewal application for a term concurrent with the surety bond, beginning on the expiration date of the currently active registration, March 21, 2018, and ending at the close of business on March 23, 2021. In addition, Staff recommended that the renewed registration authorize Clearview Energy to operate in the franchise areas of Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource), Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty), and Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (Unitil).

Clearview Energy's application for registration renewal as a CEPS authorized to operate in the franchise areas of Eversource, Liberty, and Unitil is approved for a term beginning on March 21, 2018 and ending at the close of business on March 21, 2021. Pursuant to Puc 2003.02(a), Clearview Energy must submit its next renewal application at least 60 days prior to the expiration of the approved registration period, on or before January 20, 2021.

Clearview Energy's CEPS registration remains subject to the conditions and limitations of the settlement approved in Order No. 25,994 (February 28, 2017), in which Clearview Energy agreed to suspend all marketing and sales activities in New Hampshire

for a period of at least two years, while it would be permitted to continue serving its existing retail electricity customers in the State without modification or extension of their existing contracts or enrollments.

Please be aware that registered CEPS are subject to specific requirements contained in Puc 2000 – Competitive Electric Power Supplier and Aggregator Rules. These rules are available at: http://www.puc.nh.gov/Regulatory/Rules/PUC2000.pdf.

Please also note that each CEPS must input into a shopping comparison website, maintained by the Commission, information regarding its standard pricing policies, charges, and key terms for residential and small commercial customers. This information must be updated whenever it changes, but no less frequently than once per month. These requirements are intended to comply with RSA 374-F:4-b, II and Puc 2004.03(a). Following its initial registration, each CEPS will be sent by electronic mail a link to the website through which it must input the required information.

In addition, all CEPS must comply with the renewable portfolio standard (RPS) requirements of RSA 362-F. The RPS obligation applies to every "provider of electricity," as defined in RSA 362-F:2, XIV, which includes registered CEPS. Please also refer to the Puc 2500 rules for further details regarding RPS compliance and reporting requirements. RPS compliance is on a calendar year basis and must be reported to the Commission by July 1 of the subsequent calendar year. Pursuant to RSA 378:49 and Puc 2004.05, all CEPS also must comply with the requirement to disclose environmental characteristics of the electricity they sell to retail customers.

Sincerely,

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director

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