BEFORE THE NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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UNITIL ENERGY SYSTEMS, INC. Petitioner DOCKET NO. DE 18-____

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF A TARIFF CHANGE TO ALLOW HIGHER ON-BILL FINANCED ZERO INTEREST LOANS

Unitil Energy Systems, Inc., ("UES" or "Company") submits this Petition

requesting the approval of the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission

("Commission") to amend its Energy Efficiency Loan Program ("EELP") tariff to allow

higher on-bill financed zero interest loans for Residential Electric customers.

In support of its Petition, UES states the following:

Petitioner

UES is a New Hampshire corporation and public utility primarily engaged in the

distribution of electricity in the capital and seacoast regions of New Hampshire.

Description of Exhibits

In support of the relief requested in this Petition are the following Exhibits:

Exhibit TP-1: Testimony of Thomas Palma.

Proposed Tariffs

Enclosed in "clean" and "red-lined" versions are the proposed changes to the Company's EELP tariff.

Conclusion

For all of the foregoing reasons, and as supported in the testimony and proposed tariffs accompanying this filing, UES requests that the Commission grant it the approvals requested in this Petition, and for such other relief as the Commission may deem necessary and proper.

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Respectfully submitted,

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