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Debra A. Howland
Executive Director
State of New Hampshire
Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-2429

Re: Delivery Service Tariff NHPUC No. 9 Tariff Pages Effective January 1, 2019

Dear Ms. Howland:

In compliance with the Commission's Order No. 26,207 in Docket No. DE 17-136 (Order Approving 2019 Statewide Energy Efficiency Plan Update) issued on December 31, 2018, and the Secretarial Letter issued in Docket No. DE 18-184 on December 31, 2018 (Approving Modification of Tariff for Removal of the Electricity Consumption Tax), the following tariff pages are transmitted herewith:

NHPUC No. 9 - Electricity Delivery Public Service of New Hampshire dba Eversource Energy

> 1st Revised Page 24A and 30 2nd Revised Page 25 3rd Revised Page 2, 19A, 22, 23, 24, and 48

Effective: January 1, 2019

These tariff pages implement an increase in the Company's system benefits charge and eliminate the electricity consumption tax effective January 1, 2019, as approved by the Commission in the Order and secretarial letter referenced above.

For customers receiving delivery service only from Eversource, the combined impact of the two changes is a 0.9% increase in the overall average retail rate. For customers receiving both delivery service and energy service from Eversource, the combined impact of the two changes is a 0.4% increase in the overall average retail rate.

Black-lined tariff pages denoting the changes associated with the electricity consumption tax were filed with the Commission on December 11, 2018 in Docket No. DE 18-184. Black-lined tariff pages denoting the remaining tariff changes effective January 1, 2019 and incorporating the authorization footnotes in compliance with the Commission's rules are included in this submittal for easy identification of the changes.

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Supplemental Information on the Filing

The enclosed "Summary of Rates" report summarizes all the rates and charges in the Company's tariff by rate class and rate component. In addition, we have enclosed a schedule of "Typical Bill Comparisons" based on the rates in effect on August 1, 2018 and the new rates. The monthly bill amount (including default energy service) for a residential customer served under Rate R and using 600 kilowatt-hours, previously \$121.70, will increase to \$122.16 on January 1, 2019, an increase of \$0.46 or 0.4%.

Please let us know if there are any questions concerning this filing. We are sending one original and two copies of all filing materials.

Very truly yours,

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RJB:kd Enclosures

cc: Donald Kreis, OCA