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VIA HAND DELIVERY AND ELECTRONIC MAIL

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director & Secretary New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

> Re: Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy – Petition For Licenses to Construct and Maintain Electric Lines Over and Across the Merrimack River in the Towns of Merrimack and Litchfield, New Hampshire, and Over and Across Land Owned by the State in the Town of Litchfield, New Hampshire

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission please find the original and six copies of Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy's Petition for Licenses to Construct and Maintain Electric Lines Over and Across the Merrimack River in the Towns of Merrimack and Litchfield, New Hampshire, and Over and Across Land Owned by the State in the Town of Litchfield, New Hampshire, with attached exhibits. Pursuant to the Commission's rules, an electronic filing of the enclosed Petition with attached exhibits is also being made with the Commission on this date.

Eversource respectfully requests that the Commission issue an Order *Nisi* with respect to this crossing license application. Should there be any technical questions concerning this filing, they may be directed to Matthew Cardin, Eversource Environmental Permitting Coordinator, who can be reached at 603-634-2992, or to the undersigned. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours. ali Christopher J. Allwarden

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cc: M. Cardin OCA