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Re: DE 19-057, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules
Procedural Schedule for Temporary Rate Filing

To the Parties:

On May 21, 2019, the Commission held a duly noticed prehearing conference in the above-referenced matter with regard to the Petition for Temporary Rates filed by Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource). Appearances were entered by Eversource, the Office of Consumer Advocate, Clean Energy New Hampshire (Clean Energy), The Way Home, and Commission Staff (Staff). The Commission granted petitions to intervene filed by Clean Energy and The Way Home.

Following the prehearing conference, the parties and Staff met in a technical session and agreed upon the following schedule, which Staff submitted to the Commission by letter dated May 23, 2019:

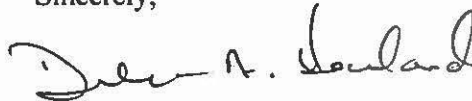
Rolling Data Requests	Through May 29, 2019
Responses Due	Within 5 Business Days of Receipt*
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	June 5, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. (all day)
Merits Hearing on Temporary Rates	June 18, 2019 at 10:00 a.m.

(*Eversource agreed to provide responses to data requests within 5 business days of receipt or as soon as possible after this 5-day period.)

Regarding Eversource's Notice of Intent to File Rate Schedules for a permanent rate request, the parties and Staff agreed that the Commission should issue a supplemental order of notice after Eversource files its petition for permanent rates. The supplemental order of notice should schedule a prehearing conference and technical session for the permanent rate phase of the proceeding, which would permit additional interested parties to intervene. The parties and Staff agreed that Clean Energy and The Way Home could also participate as intervenors in the permanent rate phase.

The Commission has determined that the proposed schedule is in the public interest and, therefore, has approved it. Further, the Commission has approved the agreement of the parties and Staff regarding the permanent rate phase of the proceeding. Once Eversource has filed its request for permanent rates, the Commission will issue a supplemental order of notice scheduling a prehearing conference and technical session for the permanent rate phase of the proceeding. Clean Energy and The Way Home will be entitled to continue their participation as intervenors during that phase. For administrative efficiency, the Commission has elected to issue this secretarial letter as its prehearing order.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland".

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