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Debra A. Howland, Executive Director  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10  
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RE: DW 19-084, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.  
Request for Change in Rates  
Proposed Procedural Schedule

Dear Executive Director Howland:

Pursuant to the Order No. 26,279, issued on July 31, 2019, in the above-mentioned docket, a technical session was held on October 3, 2019, following a Prehearing Conference. Four participants attended; Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW); the City of Nashua; the Office of the Consumer Advocate; and the Staff of the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Staff) (collectively the Participants). The Commission granted the City of Nashua's motion to intervene at the Prehearing Conference, limiting their scope of participation to their status as municipal ratepayers of PWW, and not the sole shareholder of Pennichuck Corporation, which owns PWW.

The Participants to the technical session agreed to the following procedural schedule, which includes a separate settlement and litigation track:

Start of Set 1 Rolling Data Requests to PWW (10 Day Response)	October 11, 2019
Last Date to Submit Set 1 Rolling Data Requests to PWW	October 25, 2019
Final Responses to Set 1 from PWW	November 4, 2019
Technical Session (Includes Cost of Service Study Discussion)	November 13, 2019 @ 9 AM
Responses from PWW to Technical Session Data Requests	November 25, 2019
Start of Set 2 Rolling Data Request to PWW (14 Day Response)	December 6, 2019
Last Date to Submit Set 2 Rolling Data Requests to PWW	December 20, 2019
Final Responses to Set 2 from PWW	January 3, 2020
Technical Session	January 14, 2019 @ 9 AM
Responses from PWW to Technical Session Data Requests	January 24, 2020
Start of Set 3 Rolling Data Requests to PWW (10 Day Response)	January 31, 2020
Last Date to Submit Set 3 Rolling Data Requests to PWW	February 14, 2020
Final Responses to Set 3 from PWW	February 24, 2020
Technical Session/Settlement Conference	March 9, 2020 @ 9 AM

**Settlement Track**

File Settlement  
Hearing

April 29, 2020  
May 13, 2020 @ 10 AM

**Litigation Track**

Responses from PWW to March 9 Technical Session Data Requests  
Testimony by Staff and Intervenors  
Data Requests to Staff and Intervenors Regarding Testimony  
Responses from Staff and Intervenors  
Technical Session/Settlement Conference  
Rebuttal Testimony/Settlement  
Hearing

March 20, 2020  
April 28, 2020  
May 7, 2020  
May 18, 2020  
May 21, 2020 @ 9 AM  
June 3, 2020  
June 30-July 1, 2020 @ 10 AM

Staff, on behalf of the Participants, respectfully requests that the Commission approve the proposed schedule. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,



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