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Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
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Re: Docket No. DW 17-165 (Abenaki Water Company, Inc.)  
Docket No. DW 19-131 (Omni Mount Washington, LLC)  
Department of Energy Position Statement on Motions for Confidential Treatment  
and Protective Orders

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On August 1, 2022, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) issued a Procedural Order Re: Closing Docket in docket number DW 17-165 which required that all parties with outstanding issues within that docket file for relief by August 24, 2022, lest the docket be closed. On August 19, 2022, Abenaki Water Company, Inc. (Abenaki or the Company), filed a letter requesting the Commission address the Company's pending motions for confidential treatment and protective orders in both docket numbers DW 17-165 and DW 19-131.

As a party to both dockets pursuant to RSA 12-P:3, III, please accept this letter as the Department of Energy's (Department or DOE) position on Abenaki's request and note for the record in both matters that the DOE does not object to any of the motions for confidential treatment or protective orders listed in the Company's August 19, 2022, letter.

The Department certifies that copies of this letter have been served on the parties electronically upon filing with the Commission.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christopher R. Tuomala

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