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**PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

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October 5, 2020

Re: DG 20-105, Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities  
Request for Change in Rates  
Procedural Schedule

To the Parties:

On September 3, 2020, the Commission held a duly noticed prehearing conference in the above-referenced matter. Appearances were entered by Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities (Liberty), the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA), and Commission Staff (Staff). No petitions to intervene were filed.

Following the prehearing conference, Liberty, the OCA, and Staff met in a technical session and agreed upon the following schedule, which Staff submitted to the Commission by letter dated September 23, 2020:

Rolling Data Requests to Liberty Begin	August 5, 2020
Final Set of First Round of Data Requests	October 30, 2020
Final Responses to First Round of Data Requests	November 13, 2020
Technical Sessions <sup>1</sup>	December 1 and 3, at 10:00 a.m.
Second Round of Rolling Data Requests to Liberty	December 10, 2020
Final Set of Second Round of Data Requests	January 7, 2021
Final Responses to Second Round of Discovery	January 22, 2021
Technical Sessions	February 2 and 4, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.
Technical Session Data Requests	February 9, 2021
Final Responses on Technical Session Data Requests	February 24, 2021
Staff and Intervenor Testimony	March 18, 2021
Liberty Data Requests to Staff and Intervenors	March 25, 2021
Staff and Intervenor Responses	April 8, 2021
Settlement Conferences	April 14 and 15, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.
Liberty Rebuttal Testimony--if needed	April 29, 2021
Settlement Conferences	May 6, 7, and 11, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.

<sup>1</sup> Any technical session held in a Commission proceeding may potentially involve settlement discussions, which will be restricted to participation by parties only and must be treated as confidential and not disclosed, consistent with N.H. Admin. R., Puc 203.20(a).

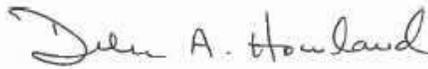
Target Date for Filing a Settlement  
Hearings

May 19, 2021  
May 25 and 26, June 2, 3, and 8, 2021,  
at 10:00 a.m.

Liberty, the OCA, and Staff agreed that data responses will be due 10 business days from the issuance of data requests.

The Commission has determined that the proposed schedule is in the public interest and, therefore, has approved it. For administrative efficiency, the Commission has elected to issue this secretarial letter as its prehearing order.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Debra A. Howland". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D".

Debra A. Howland  
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