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By electronic mail (ClerksOffice@puc.nh.gov)

Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

RE: Docket DW 20-117 (The Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc.)

Request for Change in Rates

Request to Amend Procedural Schedule

Dear Chairman Goldner:

The Hampstead Area Water Company, Inc. (HAWC) proposes to amend the Litigation Track of the procedural schedule previously approved by the Commission, most recently by Secretarial Letter on March 14, 2022, by extending the deadline to File Settlement or Rebuttal Testimony only, and leaving the current Day 1 and Day 2 hearing dates as is, as follows:

May 4, 2022	File Settlement or Rebuttal Testimony
May 11, 2022	Hearing on Permanent Rates – Day 1
May 12, 2022	Hearing on Permanent Rates – Day 2

In support of this request HAWC, the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA), and the New Hampshire Department of Energy (Energy) are close to reaching a settlement in principle but there are issues that need to be discussed in an upcoming technical session, including conditions on possibly joining a settlement proposed by the Towns of Hampstead and Atkinson. Counsel for the Town of Atkinson, joined by the Town of Hampstead, requested an additional technical session in the next week or so to work through these issues.

Energy, the OCA, and the Towns of Atkinson and Hampstead (the Requesting Parties) all agree/assent to this proposed request, which will allow time to hold an additional technical session to address these remaining issues while not impacting either the Commissions' time to review settlement or rebuttal testimony, or the hearing dates which remain unchanged.

HAWC, on behalf of the Requesting Parties, respectfully request that the Commission approve the proposed amended procedural schedule for this proceeding.

Consistent with the Commission's Temporary Changes in Filing Requirements (March 17, 2020) due to the COVID-19 state of emergency, this motion is being filed solely in electronic form.

I certify that a copy of this letter will be served electronically on the parties on the service list at the same time it is filed with the Commission.

Sincerely,

/s/ Anthony Augeri

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