

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Docket No. DG 20-152

LIBERTY UTILITIES (ENERGYNORTH NATURAL GAS) CORP.
d/b/a LIBERTY UTILITIES – KEENE DIVISION

Winter 2020-2021 Cost of Gas

Motion to Accept Late filing of Affidavit of Publication

Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp., through counsel, respectfully moves the Commission to accept the late filing of the Affidavit of Publication, which was separately filed on October 16, 2020.

Note that the Company timely made the required website publication.

In support of this motion, Liberty-Keene represents as follows:

1. The Order of Notice in this docket, received the afternoon of September 25, 2020, required publication on the Liberty website “no later than one business day after the date of issue.”
2. Liberty posted the Order of Notice on its website on the day of receipt from the Commission, as evidenced by the Affidavit of Service
3. Liberty-Keene thus satisfied the publication requirement of the Order of Notice.
4. The Order of Notice also directed Liberty to file an affidavit of publication by October 6, 2020. Through simple oversight, Liberty-Keene did not initially file the

affidavit of service. Some of the Commission's recent Orders of Notice, as in this docket, require affidavits of publications, others do not. *See, e.g.*, the Orders of notice in Docket Nos. DG 20-141 (the EnergyNorth cost of gas filing); DE 20-170 (Electric Vehicle Time of Use Rates).

5. The Company has filed its Affidavit of Publication on October 16, 2020.
6. The untimely filing will cause no prejudice. Given the timely website publication, those with an interest in this docket received timely notice.
7. The purpose of the affidavit of publication, which is to demonstrate that the order of notice was, in fact, timely published, has been accomplished with the October 16 filing, which was made one week before hearing.

Wherefore, Liberty-Keene respectfully ask the Commission to

- a. Accept the affidavit of publication filed October 16, 2020;
- b. Grant any further relief deemed just and reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp., d/b/a
Liberty Utilities – Keene Division

By its Attorney,



Date: October 17, 2020

By: _____

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on October 17, 2020, a copy of this motion has been electronically forwarded to the service list in this docket.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Sheehan", written in a cursive style.

Michael J. Sheehan