



September 23, 2021

Via Electronic Filing

Dianne Martin
Chairwoman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: Northern Utilities, Inc., New Hampshire Division - Docket DG 20-154
September 2021 Monthly Cost of Gas Report

Dear Chairwoman Martin:

Pursuant to Commission Order No. 26,420 in Docket DG 20-154, enclosed is Northern Utilities' ("Northern") current calculation of its projected over or under-collection of gas costs for the 2020-2021 summer season.

The calculation, which reflects the Company's actual costs and revenues for May through August 2021 and NYMEX futures prices as of September 21, 2021 produces an anticipated under-recovery of gas costs for the 2021 summer period. As a result, Northern is increasing its summer period COG rates by \$0.0428 per therm to reflect an increase in the projected cost of gas of \$94,081.

Support for this decision is provided in the attached summary and tables. Accordingly, pursuant to its tariff, the Company has enclosed for filing the following Tariff Pages reflecting an increase in its COG Rates:

Tenth Revised Page 43,
Twelfth Revised Page 86,
Eleventh Revised Page 88.

These Tariff Pages are issued September 23, 2021 to be effective on October 1, 2021. Red-line versions of these Tariff Pages are also enclosed.

The impact of the October 1 change in the COG rate on the typical residential heating customer for October 2021, the final month of the Summer Season, will be \$1.00

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or about 2% percent more than the summer period bill at the Company's current COG rate.

In accordance with the Commission's temporary moratorium on paper filings, the Company is submitting this filing only in electronic format.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me or Chris Kahl at (603)773-6425.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "P. H. Taylor", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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