



September 8, 2022

BY E-MAIL

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

Re: DE 21-030 Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. – Rate Case Expense Filing Update

Chairman Goldner:

Enclosed on behalf of Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (“Unitil”) is Unitil’s Rate Case Expense Filing Update in the above captioned proceeding. Consistent with the Commission’s September 2, 2022 procedural order, this Update reflects additional Rate Case Expenses incurred by the Company as documented by invoices paid by the Company subsequent to the original Rate Case Expense filing on April 29, 2022.

Included in this filing is an updated Rate Case Expense Summary, plus copies of the invoices representing the additional expenses. As with the original filing, certain of the invoices contain confidential material, and the Company is providing Redacted and Confidential versions of those invoices.

The original filing was made on April 29, 2022 in accordance with the Settlement Agreement (“the Settlement”) which was filed on February 11, 2022 and approved, in part, by the Commission on May 3, 2022. Section 10.2 of the Settlement provides that Unitil’s rate case expenses and regulatory proceeding expenses incurred by the Commission, the Department of Energy, and the Office of the Consumer Advocate and charged to the Company in this docket shall be recovered over one year within Schedule EDC through the External Delivery Charge (“EDC”), a uniform rate per kWh, in the Company’s next scheduled EDC rate change, effective August 1, 2022. The Company made its EDC filing on June 17, 2022, and the filing was approved by the Commission on July 28, 2022. The Rate Case Expenses that were included in the EDC included those Rate Case Expenses incurred after the April 29 filing which are presented in this filing, with one exception. The invoice from NHDOE for Dr. Woolridge’s services was received by the Company on September 7 and promptly submitted for payment. The Company will charge those costs to the EDC and thus will be reflected in the over/under collection in the Company’s next EDC filing.

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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M. Fossum", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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Enclosures
cc: Service List