Dianne Martin, Chairwoman N.H. Department of Energy/Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

Re: DW 21-090 Acquisition of Abenaki by Aquarian Water **Remote Hearing Attendance Request**

Dear Chairwoman Martin:

On October 15, 2021, the Commission issued hearing guidelines in this proceeding and also set a hearing date of November 10, 2021 to consider Abenaki Water Company, Inc.'s acquisition by Aquarion Water, a subsidiary of Aquarion, a subsidiary of Eversource. In order to minimize any COVID-19 exposure risk and to allow more of the intervenors to attend the 9 AM hearing pursuant to the hearing guidelines, the intervenors representing the Tioga Belmont and Village Shores Estates, Bow request that we be allowed to remotely participate in the hearing.

Moreover, aside from health and mobility concerns, some of the intervenors who would like to attend remotely have technical limitations. They do not have video capabilities on their computer. However, they do have the capability to call into the hearing from cell phones or land lines to assure the best connection where cell service can be problematic at times. Please advise if this is permissible.

Thank you.

Respectfully,

The Representative for the Bow and Tioga Intervenors

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