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Via electronic mail only

Daniel Goldner, Chair
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
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RE: Docket No. DE 22-021 - 2022 Energy Service Solicitation
Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy

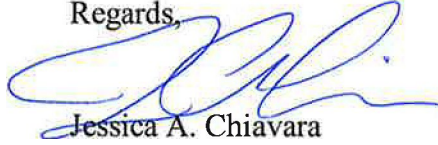
Dear Chair Goldner:

Enclosed please find the petition of Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (“Eversource”) for its competitively procured default Energy Service (“ES”) rate proposed to begin February 1, 2023. Consistent with the settlement agreement in Docket No. DE 17-113, Eversource has procured ES for customers for its small customer group for the period of February 1, 2023 through July 31, 2023, and half of its load for its large customer group at this time. The fixed ES rate for the period of February 1, 2023 through July 31, 2023 for the small customer class is \$0.20221 per kWh. This represents a 10.3% decrease in rates over the current period of \$0.22566 per kWh. For the large customer class, the proposed monthly rates cannot be presented at this time, as only one bid was received for 50% of the large customer load. Once it is determined how the second 50% of the load will be covered, Eversource will provide the large customer group proposed rate in a subsequent filing for review and approval by the Commission. The approach to covering the remaining large customer load and how Eversource will proceed with regulatory approval of the large customer rate is detailed in the testimony included with this filing.

Accompanying this Petition is the testimony and supporting materials of James R. Shuckerow, Parker Littlehale, Luann J. Lamontagne, and Marisa B. Paruta explaining the competitive RFP process used by Eversource for procuring ES, the results of the solicitation, and the required rate adjustments and reconciliations that have led to the retail rates proposed to be charged to Eversource’s ES customers. Consistent with N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 201.06 and 201.07 Eversource is seeking confidential treatment of information related to the RFP including RFP bids. Because of this, a confidential, unredacted version of the filing including confidential supporting live Excel worksheets is being provided to the Commission, the Office of the Consumer Advocate and the Department of Energy only and is not to be made publicly available. A redacted, public version of the filing will be distributed to the service list for posting to this docket.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Consistent with current Commission policy, this filing will be made electronically only.

Regards,



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Attachments

cc: 22-021 Service List