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Via Electronic Mail Only

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

Re: Docket No. DE 22-024; Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty

Default Service Request for Proposals for the Six-Month Period February 1, 2023, to July 31, 2023, for the Large Customer Group and the Small Customer Group

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On November 1, 2022, Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. plans to issue a Default Service Request for Proposals ("RFP") to procure default service for the six-month period February 1, 2023, to July 31, 2023, for both the Large Customer Group and the Small Customer Group.

Pursuant to the terms of the settlement agreement and orders approving Liberty's default service procedures, Liberty plans to solicit a bid price that includes the cost of all market products on an as-delivered energy basis, i.e., an all-inclusive bid price.

I am submitting, for notice purposes, the following proposed timeline for this RFP, and respectfully request a hearing on or about December 22, 2022, to meet the timeline.

Note that Liberty has added to the proposed schedule a request for a pre-hearing conference to be held the week of November 14, 2022, to discuss planning for alternatives in the event the Company experiences a failed solicitation. While the Company will not know

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the outcome of the solicitation until December 13, 2022, a pre-hearing conference will allow time to discuss contingency planning with the Commission, the Office of the Consumer Advocate, and the Department of Energy in order to be prepared should the solicitation not receive sufficient responses.

RFP Process Steps	Proposed November 2021 RFP
RFP Issued	November 1, 2022
Pre-hearing Conference to Discuss Alternative Compliance in the event of a Failed Solicitation	Week of November 14, 2022
Indicative Bids Due	December 6, 2022
Final Bids Due	December 13, 2022
Energy Service Filing to Commission	December 16, 2022
Commission Order Needed	December 23, 2022
Service Begins	February 1, 2023

Also, please add the following to the service list in this docket:

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Pursuant to the Commission's March 17, 2020, secretarial letter, only an electronic version of this filing will be provided. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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Cc: Service List