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Daniel C. Goldner, Chairman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street
Concord, NH 03301

Re: DE 23-002, Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. Proposed Purchase of Receivables Program;
Technical Statement of Amanda O. Noonan, Elizabeth R. Nixon, and Scott T. Balise,
Department of Energy

Dear Chairman Goldner:

Enclosed for filing in this matter is the New Hampshire Department of Energy's (DOE) Joint Technical Statement of Amanda O. Noonan, Elizabeth R. Nixon, and Scott T. Balise, with Attachments, filed pursuant to the parties' assented-to procedural schedule filed in this docket on March 28, 2023, and approved by the Commission in a Procedural Order issued March 30, 2023. The Technical Statement contains the DOE's opinion that Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.'s (Unitil) proposed Purchase of Receivables (POR) Program is consistent with the requirements of RSA 53:E and the Puc 2200 rules, and recommends the Commission approve Unitil's proposed POR program.

Consistent with the Commission's current practices, this letter is being filed only in electronic form.

Sincerely,

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