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

Re: Docket No. DE 23-_____
Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
Proposed Purchase of Receivables Program

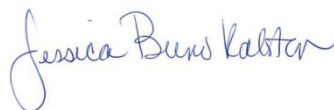
Dear Chairman Goldner:

On behalf of Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (“Eversource” or the “Company”), enclosed for filing with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (the “Commission”) is the testimony of Brendan J. O’Brien together with supporting attachment outlining the Company’s proposed Purchase of Receivables (“POR”) Program. The enclosed filing is made pursuant to RSA 53-E, Section 9 (“Section 9”) and Puc 2205.16(e).

Specifically, in 2021 New Hampshire House Bill 315 added Section 9 to RSA 53-E; RSA 53-E authorizes municipalities to aggregate electric power supply and operate approved aggregation programs. Section 9 requires each electric distribution utility to propose to the Commission a program for POR from suppliers. Pursuant to RSA 53-E:7.X, the Commission initiated a rulemaking to promulgate rules for implementation of RSA 53-E docketed as DRM 21-142. The Commission adopted final rules in docket DRM 21-142, Puc 2200 *et seq.*, with an effective date of October 12, 2022. Pursuant to Puc 2205.16(e), each electric distribution utility was directed to propose a POR program within 90 days of the Puc 2200 rule effective date (*i.e.*, January 10, 2023).

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Jessica Buno Ralston

cc: Department of Energy
Office of Consumer Advocate
Service List, DRM 21-142