

February 28, 2023

## BY E-MAIL

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

## Re: UES Annual Major Storm Cost Reserve Fund Report 2022 Docket No. DE 23-\_\_\_\_

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On behalf of Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. ("UES"), enclosed is an electronic copy of the "UES Annual Major Storm Cost Reserve Fund Report" (the "Report") for the 12-month period ending December 31, 2022. This filing complies with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission's ("Commission") requirements set forth in the Company's Rate Plan Settlement in Docket No. DE 10-055 and as ordered in Docket No. DE 11-277, Order No. 25,351, Order Granting Increase to Storm Recovery Adjustment Factor ("SRAF"), issued April 24, 2012 (requiring UES "to file annual reports on the Storm Reserve Fund and storm recovery updates for those storms where costs are recovered through the SRAF").

As described more fully in the Report, the Major Storm Cost Reserve ("MSCR") Fund Balance at December 31, 2022 is in a deficit position of (\$2,482,939).

Please refer to the UES MSCR Fund Reconciliation as of December 31, 2022 on page 3 of the Report for a summary of the costs. Please refer to the Storm Recovery Adjustment Factor Reconciliation, which provides the reconciliation of the SRAF through December 31, 2022 on page 4 of the Report.

UES representatives are available to review the Report and respond to any questions, at the convenience of the Commission and other interested parties.

In accordance with the Secretarial Letter issued on March 17, 2020, the Company is making this filing electronically and paper copies will not follow.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Matthew C. Campbell Attorney for Unitil Energy Systems, Inc.

Enclosure

cc: Donald M Kreis, Esq., Consumer Advocate Paul B. Dexter, Esq., Department of Energy Clerk's Office, New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission