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Via Electronic Mail Only

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

Re: Docket No. DG 23-067; Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Request for Change in Distribution Rates

Dear Chairman Goldner:

On behalf of Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp. d/b/a Liberty, I write to confirm the substance of the letter the Department of Energy filed earlier this evening, that the parties have reached a settlement agreement on temporary rates under the terms DOE outlined, for rates effective October 1. The Company will file an updated model that incorporates the four changes referenced in DOE's letter in the morning, after the parties have reviewed. The calculated temporary rate increase is \$8,706,258.

In recognition of the Commission's procedural order this date cancelling the hearing because it had not heard from the parties, the Company respectfully asks that the Commission reconsider that order and reschedule the hearing for the afternoon of September 27, 2023. The Company's witnesses have flown into New Hampshire to testify in support of the settlement and, given that the parties have reached a settlement, an afternoon should be sufficient to present the settlement and answer all the Commission's questions.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Sheehan

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