

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

---

Re: Eversource Petition for Adjustment of Stranded  
Cost Recovery Charge for Effect on February 1, 2025

---

)  
)  
)  
Docket No.  
DE 24-112

**PETITION TO INTERVENE OUT-OF-TIME  
COLONIAL POWER GROUP, INC.**

Pursuant to the Commencement of Adjudicative Proceeding and Notice of Hearing issued on December 12, 2024 by the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (the "Commission") in the above-captioned docket (the "Order"), N.H. Code Admin. Rules PUC 203.17, and RSA 541-A:32, Colonial Power Group, Inc. ("Colonial") hereby petitions the Commission for leave to intervene in the above-referenced proceeding as a full party participant. In support of this Petition, Colonial states the following:

1. Colonial is a Massachusetts corporation and maintains its principal offices at 5 Mount Royal Avenue, Suite 5-350, Marlborough, MA 01752.
2. Colonial is an energy consultant active in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island with specific experience advising communities in the establishment and operation of Community Power Aggregations.
3. In its Order, the Commission details the issues presented in this docket. Such details include whether Eversource's proposed Energy Service Reconciliation SCRC rate feature is just and reasonable and allowed under all applicable law.
4. The details of the Commission's proceeding will have a direct impact on future Eversource default service rates and the extent to which such rates accurately reflect underlying market risks and power supply costs. Colonial anticipates the proceeding will evaluate concerns regarding the potential for cross-subsidization between customer groups which has the potential to influence customer behavior.
5. Colonial believes that discussion and exchange of information will impact clients of Colonial and that Colonial's participation in this proceeding will be constructive and beneficial. Colonial possesses considerable experience in the procurement of electricity and with utility default service cost recovery methods and policies utilized throughout New England, including in Massachusetts. Colonial believes it can offer observations and suggestions useful for the Commission's consideration.
6. Colonial and its municipal clients are likely to be substantially and specifically affected by the Commission's findings with respect to these issues.

7. Colonial's interests and experiences in this matter are unique and cannot be adequately represented by any other party.
8. Even though Colonial's Petition to Intervene is filed beyond the deadline established in the Commission's Order, Colonial's intervention in this proceeding will further the interests of justice and will not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings. Considering and granting the Petition to Intervene is consistent with RSA § 541-A:32(II), which provides, "The presiding officer may grant one or more petitions for intervention at any time, upon determining that such intervention would be in the interests of justice and would not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings."

For the foregoing reasons, Colonial hereby requests that the Commission grant its Petition to Intervene in this proceeding as a full party.

Respectfully submitted,  
COLONIAL POWER GROUP, INC.



Stuart Ormsbee  
Vice President  
Colonial Power Group, Inc.  
5 Mount Royal Avenue, Suite 5-350  
Marlborough, MA 01752  
508-769-0880  
sormsbee@colonialpowergroup.com

Dated: December 31, 2024