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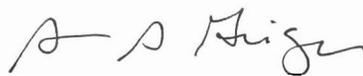
**Re: DE 07-045 Briar Hydro Associates
Questions at Oral Argument**

Dear Ms. Howland:

I am writing to inform the Commission that Briar Hydro is in need of additional time to file responses to questions posed by Chairman Getz and Commissioner Below at the oral argument held May 20, 2008 in the above-captioned matter. My colleague, Attorney Howard Moffett, has discussed this matter with Attorneys Anne Ross and Gerald Eaton, both of whom have indicated that they do not object to the responses being filed sometime during the week of July 7, 2008, which is when Attorney Moffett is expected to return from vacation. I have contacted Attorney Meredith Hatfield who has indicated that she does not object to the timing of the aforementioned filing.

Please let me know if there are any questions about this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,


Susan S. Geiger

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