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Re: DG 07-072 Electric and Gas Carrying Charge Rate on Cash Working Capital

Dear Ms. Howland:

Staff and the parties have agreed to a modification of the procedural schedule to accommodate an expert witness hired by the utilities. The new schedule for the balance of phase one would still allow for a hearing on October 15, 2008, and is consistent with the Commission's Order 24,793 issued on September 27, 2007, in this docket.

Testimony by Utilities	August 29, 2008
Third Set Data Requests to Utilities	September 10, 2008
Third Set Data Responses by Utilities	September 19, 2008
Rebuttal Testimony by Staff and non-utilities	October 3, 2008
Hearing	October 15, 2008

Staff has contacted all parties to this docket and no party has any objection to this proposed schedule change. We have served this request on all parties listed on the service list by electronic mail pursuant to NH Admin. Rule Puc 203.11.

Sincerely yours,


F. Anne Ross, Esq.
Staff Attorney

cc: Service List