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> Re: Docket No. DE 07-096 and Docket No. DE 06-125 Public Service Company of New Hampshire Energy Service Rate Proceeding Proposal Regarding Reporting Requirements for Competitive Energy Suppliers



Dear Ms. Howland:

In Docket No. DE 06-125, *Public Service Company of New Hampshire*, the Commission requested that intervenor Constellation NewEnergy, Inc. (Constellation), Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH) and the Staff file a proposal with the Commission as to how competitive energy suppliers could provide information to the Commission and to PSNH for the purposes of determining the volume of load supplied by competitive suppliers. Order No. 24,714 at 12 (December 15, 2006). In its Order No. 24,768 (June 29, 2007) in a later portion of the proceeding, the Commission urged the parties to complete their work on a recommendation for the Commission to consider in Docket No. DE 06-125.

In compliance with this request, Staff files the enclosed Joint Proposal for Supplying Competitive Market Data, with six copies as required by N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 203.02, on behalf of itself, the Office of Consumer Advocate (OCA) and PSNH. We recommend that the Commission accept this proposal and circulate it to all registered competitive suppliers for written or oral comment in PSNH's current Default Energy Service Proce. ding, Docket No. DE 07-096.

We note that Constellation filed a letter with the Commission on July 23, 2007 expressing concern about the reporting proposal. While we could not come to agreement with Constellation regarding reporting requirements, we note that Constellation also

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requested the Commission to provide notice of this issue in the next PSNH Default Energy Service proceeding.

Thank you for your attention. A copy of this letter and attachment will be served on all parties pursuant to Puc 203.11. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Suzanne Amidon Staff Attorney/Hearings Examiner

Enclosure

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JOINT PROPOSAL FOR SUPPLYING COMPETITIVE MARKET DATA

In the Commission's Order No. 24,714 in Docket DE 06-125 the Commission asked Constellation Energy, the Staff and PSNH to provide a proposal on how the competitive suppliers could provide information to the Commission and to PSNH to understand the health of the competitive market and to assist PSNH in its planning. DE 06-125, Order No. 24,714, slip op. at 12 (December 15, 2006). In its Order No. 24,768 in a later portion of the proceeding, the Commission "urge[d] the parties working on that proposal to complete their work on a recommendation for us to consider in this docket." DE 06-125, Order No. 24, 768, slip op. at 7 (June 29, 2007).

The undersigned parties respectfully request that the Commission direct any registered competitive supplier to provide the following information to the Commission on a quarterly basis.

Monthly combined peak load for all customers connected to the PSNH system and total megawatt-hours expected to be sold each month to those customers for the coming six, twelve and twenty-four month periods.

The information will be submitted on a confidential basis to the Director of the Electric Division, New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission. The information will be aggregated and supplied to PSNH on a confidential basis so that no information will identify any particular supplier with any future market sales. PSNH will use this information for purposes of estimating future needs for Default Energy Service and to plan for purchases of a power supply for Default Service loads which are not met by PSNH's existing generation. PSNH will treat this information on a strictly confidential basis, restricting any copying or distribution beyond the Wholesale Power Contracts Department and provide protective treatment as it would under N.H. Code Admin. Rule Puc §2104.03.

By letter dated July 23, 2007, Steven V. Camerino, Esq., counsel for the Constellation Companies sent a letter to the Commission expressing his clients concern over the proposal and asking the Commission to provide notice of this issue in the next PSNH proceeding to set a Default Energy Service rate for calendar year 2008. The undersigned parties respectfully suggest that the Commission accept this proposal in compliance with Order No. 24,714 and 24,768. The parties further recommend the Commission circulate this proposal to all registered competitive suppliers and provide an opportunity for any of those suppliers to supply written or oral comments in PSNH's next Default Energy Service proceeding to be held this Fall. Respectfully submitted,

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