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Via Hand Delivery

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New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
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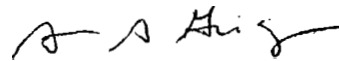
***Re: DG 07-102, Northern Utilities, Inc.
Winter 2007-2008 Cost of Gas***

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission in the above-referenced docket please find an original and 7 copies of Northern Utilities, Inc.'s Motion for Protective Order and Confidential Treatment.

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

Very truly yours,



Susan S. Geiger

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Enclosure
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