

NORTHERN UTILITIES, INC. - NEW HAMPSHIRE DIVISION
Variance Analysis of Components of Proposed CGA vs. Actual Costs 2007

May 2008 through October 2008				May 2007 through October 2007				Difference
Costs	Therm Sales	Rate Effect on CGA		Costs	Therm Sales	Rate Effect on CGA		Rate
<u>DEMAND</u>				<u>DEMAND</u>				
Product Demand	\$ 115,086	\$ 0.0081		Product Demand	\$ 52,365	\$ 0.0068	\$ 0.0013	
Pipeline - Reservation	\$ 889,581	\$ 0.0627		Pipeline - Reservation	\$ 532,099	\$ 0.0686	\$ (0.0059)	
Storage Demand	\$ 700,976	\$ 0.0494		Storage Demand	\$ 505,754	\$ 0.0652	\$ (0.0158)	
Capacity Release	\$ -	\$ -		Capacity Release	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Total Demand Effect				Total Demand Effect				
	\$ 1,705,643	14,184,780	\$ 0.1202		\$ 1,090,218	7,751,539	\$ 0.1406	\$ (0.0204)
<u>COMMODITY</u>				<u>COMMODITY</u>				
Granite State	\$ 6,638,582	\$ 0.4680		Granite State	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 0.4680	
Canadian	\$ -	\$ -		Canadian	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Domestic	\$ 7,762,909	\$ 0.5473		Domestic	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 0.5473	
Hedging Gain/Loss	\$ (437,047)	\$ (0.0308)		Hedging Gain/Loss	\$ 346,796	\$ 0.0447	\$ (0.0755)	
LPG/LNG/Peaking/Other	\$ 70,647	\$ 0.0050		LPG/LNG/Peaking/Other	\$ (27,664)	\$ (0.0036)	\$ 0.0086	
Distrigas Vapor/Spot	\$ -	\$ -		Distrigas Vapor/Spot	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Storage Supplies	\$ -	\$ -		Storage Supplies	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Peaking Supplies	\$ -	\$ -		Peaking Supplies	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
				Miscellaneous	\$ 5,495,353	\$ 0.7089	\$ (0.7089)	
Total Commodity Effect				Total Pipeline Commodity Effect				
	\$14,035,090	14,184,780	\$ 0.9894		\$ 5,814,485	7,751,539	\$ 0.7501	\$ 0.2393
TOTAL SUMMER GAS COSTS				TOTAL SUMMER GAS COSTS				
	\$ 15,740,734	14,184,780	\$ 1.1096		\$ 6,904,703	7,751,539	\$ 0.8908	\$ 0.2188
Under/Over Collection	(\$95,342)	\$ (0.0067)		Under/Over Collection	\$ (594,995)	\$ (0.0768)	\$ 0.0701	
Refunds	\$0	\$ -		Refunds	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Interest	(\$6,386)	\$ (0.0005)		Interest	\$ (22,425)	\$ (0.0029)	\$ 0.0024	
Miscellaneous Overhead-Allocated to Winter	\$28,784	\$ 0.0020		Miscellaneous Overhead-Allocated to Winter	\$ 28,837	\$ 0.0037	\$ (0.0017)	
Working Capital Allowance	\$21,650	\$ 0.0015		Working Capital Allowance	\$ 13,174	\$ 0.0017	\$ (0.0002)	
Bad Debt Allowance	\$50,844	\$ 0.0036		Bad Debt Allowance	\$ 31,259	\$ 0.0040	\$ (0.0004)	
Production and Storage Capacity	\$0	\$ -		Production and Storage Capacity	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
	(\$450)	14,184,780	\$ -	Summer Costs Deferred to Winter	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
				Adjusted Bill Adjustment	\$ (26,201)	\$ (0.0034)	\$ 0.0034	
TOTAL				TOTAL				
	\$ 15,740,284	14,184,780	\$ 1.1096		\$ 6,334,352	7,751,539	\$ 0.8172	\$ 0.2924