



25 MANCHESTER STREET
PO BOX 1947
MERRIMACK, NH 03054-1947
(603) 882-5191
FAX (603) 913-2305
WWW.PENNICHUCK.COM

SENT VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

August 11, 2008

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director and Secretary
N. H. Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: DW 08-073 – Display Ad Publication Affidavits

Dear Ms. Howland:

Please find enclosed original affidavits from the Union Leader and the Nashua Telegraph for your records.

I trust you will find this satisfactory.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bonalyn J. Hartley'.

Bonalyn J. Hartley
Vice President, Administration

Enclosures

cc: Sarah B. Knowlton, Esq., McLane, Graf, Raulerson & Middleton

H:\PWW 2008 Rate Case\Rate Case Correspondence\Debra Howland Letter re Display Ad Affidavits.doc



I hereby certify that the foregoing notice was published in The Union Leader and/or New Hampshire Sunday News, newspapers printed at Manchester, N.H., by the Union Leader Corporation on the following dates, Viz: 7/31/08

(Signed) *Nathalie Lavallee*

UNION LEADER CORPORATION

State of New Hampshire,
Hillsborough, SS. (Dated) 8/7/08

Subscribed and sworn to by the said *Nathalie Lavallee*

Before me
Marsha A. McGinnis
NOTARY PUBLIC
Marsha A McGinnis
Notary Public
State of New Hampshire
Commission Expires 04/19/2011

NOTICE OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

Petition for Increase in Rates Pennichuck Water Works

August 27, 2008
10:00 a.m.

Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW) has petitioned the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Commission) for approval of an increase to its rates. PWW has asked for an immediate increase of 11.27% and an overall increase of 25.27%. PWW's request for this increase is based on the cost to upgrade the water treatment plant and to ensure continued compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act as well as other increased capital and operating costs. The increase would apply only to PWW's general metered rates as follows:

Annual Average Residential Water Bill

City of Nashua, Amherst, and limited areas of
Merrimack, Hollis, Bedford, Derry, Plaistow, Epping,
Salem, Newmarket, and Milford

	Meter Charge 5/8"	Volumetric Charge 114.36 ccf.	Total Annual Bill
Current Rates	\$184.32	\$274.46	\$458.78
Proposed Temporary Rates	\$199.08	\$302.71	\$501.79
Proposed Permanent Rates	\$224.28	\$341.02	\$565.30

The Commission has scheduled a Pre-Hearing Conference to be held at the Commission's offices in Concord on August 27, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. At the Pre-Hearing Conference, the Commission will hear preliminary statements from Pennichuck and other parties, and will consider requests for formal intervenor status. The Commission will also take up the question of the schedule to govern the remainder of the case.

The Pre-Hearing Conference is open to the public. Customers and other interested parties are invited to attend the hearing and comment on the company's request. Those unable to attend the hearing may submit written comments by writing to the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission at 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord NH 03301 or via e-mail at puc@puc.nh.gov.

Public Utilities Commission
Concord NH 03301
Tel: (603) 271-2431 Fax:



21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10
(603) 271- 3878

save up to

hundreds
misses' to
& capris

men's top
\$1

Take a
entire
the TJ
Simpl

You will receive a 10% c
Restr

TELEGRAPH PUBLISHING COMPANY

PUBLISHERS OF

The Telegraph

ESTABLISHED 1832

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Main Office

17 Executive Drive
Hudson, NH 03051
(603) 882-2741

Mailing Address

P.O. Box 1008
Nashua, NH 03061
Fax: (603) 882-5138

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

I, Stephen Belanger, Telegraph Public Notice Representative,
hereby certify that the Advertisement/Notice for Pennichuck Water Works
was inserted in The Telegraph, a daily newspaper, published in Hudson, County of
Hillsborough, State of New Hampshire on July 31, 2008 with
Insertion Order Number 1062194 and was distributed to the
Publication's full circulation.

Stephen Belanger
Telegraph Public Notice Representative

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, Hillsborough, ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Thomas A. D'Alessandro

this 5TH day of AUGUST, 2008.

THOMAS A. D'ALESSANDRO, Notary Public
My Commission Expires December 15, 2010

Notary Public

NOTICE OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE

Petition for Increase in Rates Pennichuck Water Works

August 27, 2008
10:00 a.m.

Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW) has petitioned the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Commission) for approval of an increase to its rates. PWW has asked for an immediate increase of 11.27% and an overall increase of 25.27%. PWW's request for this increase is based on the cost to upgrade the water treatment plant and to ensure continued compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act as well as other increased capital and operating costs. The increase would apply only to PWW's general metered rates as follows:

Annual Average Residential Water Bill

City of Nashua, Amherst, and limited areas of
Merrimack, Hollis, Bedford, Derry, Plaistow, Epping,
Salem, Newmarket, and Milford

	Meter Charge 5/8"	Volumetric Charge 114.36 ccf.	Total Annual Bill
Current Rates	\$184.32	\$274.46	\$458.78
Proposed Temporary Rates	\$199.08	\$302.71	\$501.79
Proposed Permanent Rates	\$224.28	\$341.02	\$565.30

The Commission has scheduled a Pre-Hearing Conference to be held at the Commission's offices in Concord on August 27, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. At the Pre-Hearing Conference, the Commission will hear preliminary statements from Pennichuck and other parties, and will consider requests for formal intervenor status. The Commission will also take up the question of the schedule to govern the remainder of the case.

The Pre-Hearing Conference is open to the public. Customers and other interested parties are invited to attend the hearing and comment on the company's request. Those unable to attend the hearing may submit written comments by writing to the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission at 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10, Concord NH 03301 or via e-mail at puc@puc.nh.gov.

Public Utilities Commission
Concord NH 03301
Tel: (603) 271-2431 Fax:



21 S. Fruit St., Suite 10
(603) 271- 3878

save up to

hundreds
misses' to
& capris

men's top
\$1

Take a
entire
the TJ
Simpl

You will receive a 10% c
Restr