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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director and Secretary  
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
Walker Building  
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10  
Concord, NH 03301-2429

**Re: DG 10-017, EnergyNorth Natural Gas, Inc. d/b/a National Grid NH - Rate Case**

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of EnergyNorth Natural Gas, Inc. d/b/a National Grid NH (the "Company"), I enclose for filing in the above-captioned docket an original and six copies of the Company's Motion for Protective Order and Confidential Treatment pursuant to Puc 203.08 covering material submitted on a confidential basis throughout this proceeding.

Please let me know if the Commission has any questions regarding the enclosed motion.

Sincerely,

Patrick H. Taylor

Enclosures

cc: Service List

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