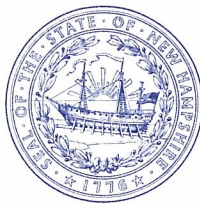


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**RE: DG 10 - 017 EnergyNorth Gas, Inc. d/b/a/ National Grid NH Rate Case
Testimony of the OCA**

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed please find an original and six copies of the prefiled direct testimony of Mr. Kenneth E. Traum, Dr. George E. Briden, and Ms. Lee Smith and Mr. Arthur Freitas on behalf of the OCA, for filing in the above-referenced docket. Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M. Hatfield".

Meredith A. Hatfield
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Enclosures
cc: Service list (electronically)

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