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Debra A. Howland
Executive Director and Secretary
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
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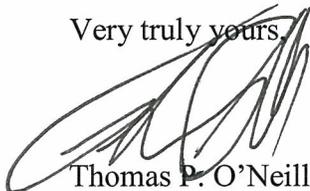
Re: New England Power Company Affiliate Agreement

Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission, in accordance with RSA Ch. 366:3, are seven (7) copies of a letter agreement between New England Power Company ("NEP") and its Massachusetts affiliate Massachusetts Electric Company ("MEC"). The agreement sets forth terms for MEC to use a communications cable attached to three NEP transmission structures in Malden, Massachusetts. The communications cable will be used by both MEC and NEP for telecommunications purposes and will provide benefits to both MEC and NEP. The agreement is effective March 13, 2010 through March 12, 2011.

Please contact me if you need anything further.

Very truly yours,



Thomas P. O'Neill

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Enclosures

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