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N.H.P.U.C. Case No.	DE 10-261
Exhibit No.	PSNH-5
Witness	Panel 1
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May 4, 2012

Debra Howland
Executive Director
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street Suite 10
Concord, New Hampshire 03301-2429

Re: PSNH 2010 Least Cost Integrated Resource Plan
NH PUC Docket No. DE 10-261



Dear Ms. Howland:

Enclosed please find seven copies of a Record Request from Hearing Day 1. Exhibit No. PSNH-5 was reserved for this response. Copies of this response are being provided to all other parties.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Gerald M. Eaton
Senior Counsel

Enclosures

cc: Office of Consumer Advocate
Service List

Public Service Company of New Hampshire
Docket No. DE 10-261

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Witness: Terrance J. Large
Request from: New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission Staff

Question:

Exhibit PSNH-5 - Please provide the amounts of the distribution rate increases that took place on August 1, 2009 and July 1, 2010

Response:

In Docket No. DE 09-035, PSNH's annual distribution rate level was increased by \$25.6 million under a temporary rate increase effective August 1, 2009 (Order No. 24,997) and by \$45.5 million under a permanent rate increase effective July 1, 2010 (Order No. 25,123). The distribution rate changes resulted in an average 2.7% residential rate increase on August 1, 2009, and an average 5.1% residential rate increase on July 1, 2010.