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## Inter-Department Communication

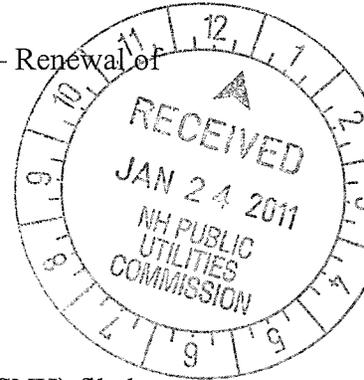
**DATE:** January 21, 2011

**AT (OFFICE):** NHPUC

**FROM:** *SEM*  
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**SUBJECT:** DA 11-017, Public Service Company of New Hampshire – Renewal of  
Contracts with Affiliates

**TO:** Debra A. Howland  
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On January 20, 2011, Public Service Company of New Hampshire (PSNH) filed with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission two renewals of contracts with affiliates. The first contract renewal is between Northeast Utilities Service Company and PSNH. The second contract renewal is between Northeast Utilities Service Company and North Atlantic Energy Corporation.

The services, terms and conditions remain the same as those previously provided under the affiliate contracts entered into on June 5, 1992 at the time of the merger of PSNH into Northeast Utilities, as amended as of December 31, 2006. The only change to the terms has been to extend the contract period for one year until December 31, 2011.

Staff has reviewed the changes and recommends that further investigation into the two contract renewals is unnecessary at this time. Staff further recommends that this docket be closed.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.