STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Inter-Department Communication

DATE: October 14, 2011 **AT (OFFICE):** NHPUC

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Utility Analyst III

SUBJECT: DM 11-126 Notice of Axsess Energy Group, LLC's intent to renew its

registration as a provider of electric aggregation service; Staff

recommendation

TO: Debra A. Howland

Executive Director

Axsess Energy Group, LLC (Axsess) has notified the Commission of its intent to renew its registration as a provider of electric aggregation service. In its application Axsess also requested a waiver of Puc 2003.05(a) which requires the application for renewal be filed no less than 60 days prior to the expiration of the currently effective registration. Axsess' renewal application was due 60 days before its registration expiration date of March 11, 2011. Axsess stated that delays resulted from its confusion due to change in renewal term from two years to five years. It erroneously interpreted the renewal period change applies to existing renewals including Axsess. Considering the records of timely renewals since its registration in 2007, Staff recommends that the Commission grant the waivers for Puc 2003.05(a) for this renewal only.

The application has been reviewed and the Company has complied with the requirements of Puc 2006.02. Staff recommends that Axsess' application to renew its registration as a provider of electric aggregation service in New Hampshire be approved.

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