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VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Debra A. Howland, Executive Director and Secretary
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, NH 03301-2429

**Re: Hess Corporation
Competitive Natural Gas Supplier License: DM – 11-282**

**Hess Energy Marketing, LLC
Competitive Natural Gas Supplier License: DM – 13-121**

Dear Secretary Howland:

Hess Corporation (“Hess”) and its wholly-owned subsidiary Hess Energy Marketing, LLC (“HEM”) are competitive natural gas suppliers in the state of New Hampshire. In accordance with the New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules, Hess and HEM submit this letter to notify the Commission that on or after November 1, 2013, all Hess customers whose contracts enable them to be assigned to another supplier, will be assigned to HEM. These assignments will be made in conjunction with the close of acquisition of HEM by Direct Energy as outlined in our August 22, 2013 correspondence to the Commission. Once assigned, all Hess customers will continue to be served in accordance with the same terms, conditions and prices as set forth in their existing contracts. The existing Hess licenses will remain in operation to serve customers whose supply contracts are not able to be transferred to HEM on or after November 1, 2013. Following the closing date of the sale of Hess’ energy marketing business to Direct Energy, HEM will operate the existing Hess licenses as agent for Hess.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (732)750-6814.

Sincerely,

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