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RE: DW 12-085, Aquarion Water Company of New Hampshire, Inc.
Modification to Procedural Schedule

Dear Ms. Howland:

The Commission approved a procedural schedule in this docket on July 16, 2012 and modifications to the procedural schedule on November 7, 2012, December 14, 2012 and January 23, 2013. Staff and parties respectfully request the Commission approve the following modification to the procedural schedule to accommodate the addition of rebuttal testimony:

- 2/6/13 Data Requests on Staff/Intervenor Testimony
- 2/20/13 Responses to Data Requests (2/22/13 for Mark Naylor's responses, if necessary)
- 3/6/13 Rebuttal Testimony (including Aquarion ROE expert testimony)
- 3/7/13 Hearing on Merits Permanent Rates 9:00 a.m. (if settlement)
- 3/15/13 Data Requests on Rebuttal Testimony
- 3/27/13 Responses to Data Requests
- 4/22/13 Hearing on Merits Permanent Rates 9:00 a.m. (if no settlement)
- 4/23/13 Hearing on Merits Permanent Rates 9:00 a.m. (if no settlement)

Thank you in advance for your assistance with this request.

Sincerely,

Marcia A. Brown
Staff Attorney

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