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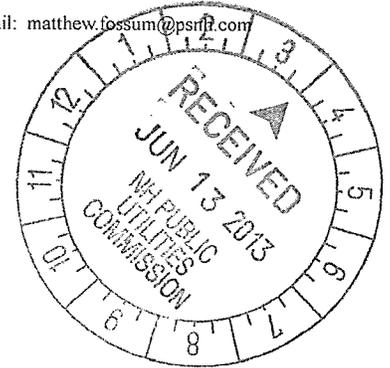
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**Re: Docket No. DE 12-292
Default Energy Service Rate for 2013 - Update to Mid-Year Adjustment**

Dear Director Howland:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned docket is an original and six copies of the Joint Technical Statement of Michael L. Shelnitz and Frederick B. White, which is being filed to explain the major changes to Public Service Company of New Hampshire's proposed Default Energy Service ("ES") Rate for effect on July 1, 2013. This filing updates the Company's ES filing of May 2, 2013 and proposes a rate of 8.62 cents per kWh, a decrease from the rate of 8.98 cents per kWh proposed on May 2, 2013.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

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