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Re: Docket No. DE 13-063
Granite State Electric Company d/b/a Liberty Utilities
Petition for Permanent Rate Increase
Stipulation and Settlement Agreement Regarding Temporary Rates

Dear Ms. Howland:

On May 30, 2013 in the above-captioned docket, Staff filed a letter on behalf of the parties to this docket requesting that the Commission accept a late-filed settlement agreement on temporary rates pursuant to N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 203.20(f).

Please find attached to this letter a copy of the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement on temporary rates agreed to among Granite State Electric Company d/b/a Liberty Utilities, the Office of Consumer Advocate and Staff. We respectfully request that the Commission accept this Stipulation and Settlement Agreement for consideration at the hearing on temporary rates scheduled for tomorrow, June 4, 2013, at 10:00 a.m.

Please be advised that we understand that the Commission will need to review the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement prior to the hearing. Staff and the parties will be ready to begin the hearing as scheduled; however, we appreciate that the Commission may want to delay the hearing to allow full review of the late-filed settlement.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter. I certify that a copy of this filing has been served electronically on the service list in this docket at the same time the filing was made with the Commission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Suzanne G. Amidon".

Suzanne G. Amidon, Esq.
Staff Attorney

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