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Via Hand Delivery and Electronic Mail

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

> Re: DE 13-___; Granite State Electric Company d/b/a Liberty Utilities Fiscal Year 2013 (April 1, 2012 - March 31, 2013) Reliability Enhancement Plan and Vegetation Management Plan Report and Reconciliation Filing

Dear Ms. Howland:

On behalf of Granite State Electric Company, Inc. d/b/a Liberty Utilities, I enclose for filing seven copies of the following:

- (1) Fiscal Year 2013 Reliability Enhancement Plan and Vegetation Management Plan Report consistent with the requirements of the Settlement Agreement in Docket DG 11-040 approved by Order No. 25,370;
- (2) Written direct testimony of Christian Brouillard and Jeffrey Carney in support of this reconciliation filing and requested rate increase, and;
- (3) Written direct testimony of ChristiAne Mason in support of the Company's request for a rate increase associated with the REP/VMP Adjustment Provision and the REP Capital Investment Allowance, which includes a proposed rate design, typical bill impacts, and clean and revised tariff pages; and

Thank you for your assistance. Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

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