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

Re: DE 14-031; Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities Default Service Request for Proposals for the Period November 1, 2014 to April 30, 2015 for both the Large Customer Group and the Small Customer Group

Dear Ms. Howland:

On August 15, 2014, Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. plans to issue a Default Service Request for Proposals ("RFP") to procure default service for the period November 1, 2014 to April 30, 2015 for both the Large Customer Group and the Small Customer Group.

Pursuant to the terms of the Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission in Order No. 24,577 in Docket DE 05-126 (January 13, 2006) as modified by Order No. 24,922 in Docket DE 08-011/DE 05-126 (December 19, 2008) and further modified by Order No. 25,601 in Docket DE 13-018 (November 27, 2013), Liberty Utilities plans to solicit a bid price that includes the cost of all market products on an as-delivered energy basis, i.e., an all-inclusive bid price.

RFP Process Steps	August 2014 RFP
RFP Issued	August 15, 2014
Indicative Bids Due	September 9, 2014
Final Bids Due	September 16, 2014
Contract Execution	September 16 or 17, 2014
Default Service Filing to Commission	September 22, 2014
Commission Order Needed	September 29, 2014
Service Begins	November 1, 2014

I am submitting, for notice purposes, Granite State's proposed timeline for this RFP:

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Thank you for your assistance with this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Susan Chamberlin, Consumer Advocate