## NEW HAMPSHIRE DRAFTING AND PROCEDURE MANUAL APPROVED 1-6-12 TO BE EFFECTIVE 2-20-12

APPENDIX II-A

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## REQUEST FOR ADVANCE PUBLIC COMMENT ON SUBJECT MATTER OF POSSIBLE RULEMAKING

		Rule Number	Puc 2100
			(If applicable)
1.	Agency Name & Address:	2. RSA Authority:	365:8, VIII
		3. Federal Authority:	NA
	Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301	4. Type of Action:	
		Adoption	
		Amendment	
		Repeal	
		Readoption	
		Readoption w/ame	ndment X
5.	Short Title: Affiliate Transactions Rules	, <u></u>	

IN ACCORDANCE WITH RSA 541-A:11, VIII THIS AGENCY IS SOLICITING PUBLIC COMMENT ON A SUBJECT MATTER OF POSSIBLE RULEMAKING UNDER ACTIVE CONSIDERATION PRIOR TO FORMALLY PROPOSING RULES IN THE RULEMAKING PROCESS. WHERE, WHEN, AND HOW PERSONS MAY PROVIDE COMMENT ARE INDICATED BELOW.

6. (a) Summary of the subject matter, or summary of the rule if drafted, and the effect on those regulated:

The Commission granted the request of the New England Power Generators Association (NEPGA) to open a rulemaking, Docket No. DRM 14-234. NEPGA's proposed rule, the Commission's order, and comments received to date may be reviewed in Docketbook at the Commission's website, <a href="www.puc.nh.gov">www.puc.nh.gov</a>. The Commission is considering whether to incorporate into the affiliate transactions rules a new type of affiliate that may be called an "energy project development affiliate," and the Commission is considering the rules that may apply to such an affiliate.

6. (b) Brief description of the groups affected:

The groups affected could be utilities and their affiliates that seek to develop generation, transmission, or distribution projects, and entities that may complete with such utilities and their affiliates.

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7.	Contact person for copies, questions, and receipt of comment including requests to accommodate persons with disabilities:						
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8.	Deadline for su specified:	adline for submission of comment in writing or, if practicable for the agency, in the electronic format ecified:  January 5, 2015					
$\boxtimes$	Fax		⊠E-mail		Other format (specify):		
9.	Public hearing scheduled for:		NA				
	D	ate and Time:					
	P	lace:					

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- b) Serve an electronic copy with each person identified on the Commission's service list and with the Office of Consumer Advocate.
- c) Serve a written copy on each person on the service list not able to receive electronic mail.