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Ms. Debra A. Howland
Executive Director
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street, Suite 10
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**Re: *Docket No. DE 11-250, Public Service Company of New Hampshire,
Investigation of Scrubber Costs and Cost Recovery***

***Docket No. DE 14-238, Public Service Company of New Hampshire,
Determination Regarding PSNH's Generation Assets***

Dear Director Howland:

Pursuant to Order No. 25,755 dated January 15, 2015, Public Service Company of New Hampshire, d/b/a Eversource Energy, hereby submits the required monthly update concerning the legislative and settlement processes affecting Docket Nos. DE 11-250 and DE 14-238.

Confidential settlement discussions are underway. Discussions thus far have been constructive and parties continue to define the issues with the overarching goal of reaching a reasonable result that weighs the interests of all parties and that would produce significant savings and rate stability to benefit PSNH's customers. A state team is conducting outreach to all parties to explore and understand priorities of all participants in the two dockets.

In the Legislature, there are a number of proposals pending that could impact the settlement process or be used as a means to effectuate any forthcoming resolution. The company is grateful for the input and involvement of legislators, and understands that settlement discussions must be conducted in the context of the legislative calendar and the need for expeditious action.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Bersak
Chief Regulatory Counsel

cc: Service Lists, Docket Nos. DE 11-250 and DE 14-238