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

Re: South Jersey Energy Company, Docket DM 16-565

Withdrawal of Competitive Electric Power Supplier License

Dear Ms. Howland:

Pursuant to Section 2003.08 of the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") Rules, South Jersey Energy Company ("SJE") hereby notifies the Commission that it is withdrawing and/or canceling the above competitive electric power supplier license and seek to effectuate its exit and recover its security bond at the earliest practical date. In accordance with the Commission's Rules, this letter serves to confirm that (1) SJE has not served customers in New Hampshire since August 19, 2019; (2) the 120-day period specified in PUC 2004.15 will expire as of December 17, 2019; and (3) SJE complied with other applicable provisions of PUC 2004.13 through 2004.16. See also SJE letters to Commission dated May 9, 2019 and July 2, 2019 (providing notice of transfer of all customers to a licensed competitive supplier). Additionally, SJE respectfully requests that the SJE's security bond be returned to SJE. An original and 6 copies are enclosed.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If the Commission requires additional information from SJE to effectuate the withdrawal of its license, or if there are any questions, please feel free to contact me at laurenlong@sjindustries.com or (609) 568-9028 ext. 6877.

Respectfully Submitted,

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On behalf of South Jersey Energy Company

cc: DM 16-565 Docket Service List (by email)