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Via Electronic Mail Only

Dianne Martin, Chairwoman
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

Re: Docket No. DE 16-576; Electric Distribution Utilities

Development of New Alternative Net Metering Tariffs and/or Other Regulatory
Mechanisms and Tariffs for Customer-Generators

Dear Chairwoman Martin:

Order No. 26,297 (Oct. 8, 2019) suspended “the requirement for electric distribution utilities to develop low-moderate income solar pilot programs ... for a period of two years until July 1, 2021.” The Order then stated that, “if, by July 1, 2021, at least two projects eligible for the net metering rate adder provided for under Senate Bill 165 have not been substantially developed in a utility’s service territory, then that utility shall develop and file by October 1, 2021, an LMI pilot program meeting the criteria specified in Order No. 26,029.” Finally the Order directed that “each electric distribution utility subject ... shall file a status report regarding the development of eligible Senate Bill 165 projects in its service territory on or before July 1, 2021.” Order No. 26,297 at 7-8.

On behalf of Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty, I write to inform the Commission that no eligible LMI projects have been substantially developed in Liberty’s service territory. The Company will thus propose its LMI pilot program by October 1.

Pursuant to the Commission’s March 17, 2020, secretarial letter, only electronic versions will be filed. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Sheehan', written in a cursive style.

Michael J. Sheehan

cc: Service List