

January 5, 2017

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

Re: Delivery Service Tariff NHPUC No. 9 Effective January 1, 2017

Dear Ms. Howland:

In compliance with the Commission's Order No. 25,975 in Docket No. DE 16-823 (Request for Adjustment to Stranded Cost Recovery Charge), Order No. 25,974 in Docket No. DE 16-822 (Petition for Adjustment of Energy Service Rate), and Order No. 25,976 (Core NH Electric and Gas Energy Efficiency Programs), all dated December 23, 2016, the following tariff pages are transmitted herewith:

NHPUC No. 9 - Electricity Delivery  
Public Service of New Hampshire dba Eversource Energy

1<sup>st</sup> Revised Page 22

2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Pages 19, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 50, 51, 52, 55, 59, 62, 66, 67, 72, 74, 81  
and 90

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In Order No. 25,975, the Commission approved a decrease in the average Stranded Cost Recovery Charge rate from 0.084 to 0.027 cents per kilowatt-hour. In Order No. 25,974, the Commission approved an increase in the energy service rate from 10.95 to 11.17 cents per kilowatt-hour (including the previously-approved scrubber rate of 1.72 cents per kilowatt-hour). Additionally, in Order No. 25,976, the Commission approved an increase in the System Benefits Charge from 0.330 to 0.356 cents per kilowatt-hour.

Overall, assuming all customers take service under the Company's Default Energy Service rate, these rate changes would result in an annual revenue increase of approximately \$15.0 million or 1.0 percent.

In lieu of filing black-lined tariff pages denoting the rate changes, we have enclosed a report entitled "Comparison of Rates Effective July 1, 2016 and January 1, 2017." The report compares the previous and new rates by rate component and rate schedule for easy identification of the changes.

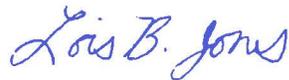
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Supplemental Information on the Filing

The enclosed "Summary of Rates Effective January 1, 2017" shows, by rate class and rate component, all rates and charges in the Company's tariff. In addition, we have enclosed a schedule of "Typical Bill Comparisons" based on the previous rates and the new rates. The Residential Delivery Service Rate R monthly bill for 600 kilowatt-hours (with no water heating, and including default energy service), previously \$121.05, will increase to \$122.15 on January 1, 2017, an increase of \$1.10 or 0.9 percent.

Please let us know if there are any questions concerning this filing. We are sending one signed original copy of all filing materials and three conformed copies. We request that one conformed copy bearing the Commission's date-of-receipt stamp be returned.

Very truly yours,



Lois B. Jones  
Team Leader, Rates Department

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Enclosures  
cc: Donald Kreis, OCA