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Re: Docket No. DE 17-007
Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
Proposed Tariff Amendment Re: Access to Interval Data Services

Dear Attorney Fossum:

On January 10, 2017, Eversource Energy (Eversource) filed a proposed amendment to its tariff that provides access to Interval Data Services described in Section 2 of Terms and Conditions for Energy Service Suppliers, Original Page 33, NH Tariff PUC No. 9. With its filing, Eversource submitted a technical statement and a proposed revised tariff. The effective date of the proposed revised tariff is February 9, 2017.

Pursuant to its existing tariff, interval data access is limited to Primary General Delivery Service (Rate GV), Large General Delivery Service (Rate LG), and Backup Delivery Service (Rate B) customers. These customers have interval meters to determine rates, and Eversource offers the option for such customers to subscribe to interval data access for \$25.00 per month (or \$300.00 per year), and a one-time charge of \$50.00.

According to Eversource, many hydro-electric facilities that used to be treated as Qualifying Facilities (QFs) are now group hosts under the net metering program. N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 900 and Original Page 24, NH Tariff PUC No. 9. As QFs, these facilities received from Eversource hourly production data using interval meters that, among other things, allowed for the calculation of the payment for purchased power. Those QF's who have elected to become group hosts would like to continue to receive such data. These group hosts receive service under Rate G and are not eligible for interval data access under the current tariff. The proposed tariff amendment removes restrictive language and makes interval data services available to all customers including group net metering hosts. To receive access to interval data, the facilities would have to

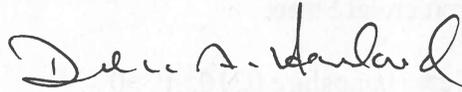
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pay for the purchase and installation of interval meters. Access to data would be at the same costs as set forth in the current tariff.

On February 6, 2017, Staff filed its recommendation that the Commission allow Eversource's proposed tariff amendment that permits customers regardless of rate class to subscribe to Interval Data Services to go into effect on February 9, 2017.

The Commission has accepted Staff's recommendation that the proposed tariff change be allowed to take effect. Accordingly, the 1st Revised Page 33, Terms and Condition for Energy Service Suppliers, NHPUC No. 9, has been approved effective February 9, 2017. Tariff pages should be filed referencing Docket No. 17-007 with an effective date of February 9, 2017.

Sincerely,



Debra A. Howland
Executive Secretary

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