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Via Electronic Mail and US Mail

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

Re: DE 17-136 – 2020 Update to the New Hampshire Statewide Energy Efficiency Plan Revised Filing

Dear Director Howland:

The New Hampshire Electric and Natural Gas Utilities: Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty Utilities; New Hampshire Electric Cooperative, Inc.; Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy; Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (UES); Liberty Utilities (EnergyNorth Natural Gas) Corp d/b/a Liberty Utilities; and Northern Utilities, Inc. (Northern) (collectively, “the NH Utilities”) are pleased to submit this revised 2020 Update Plan.

On January 2, 2018 in Order No. 26,095, in Docket No. DE 17-136, the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (“NHPUC”) approved the 2018-2020 Statewide Energy Efficiency Plan. On December 31, 2018 in Order No. 26,207 the NHPUC approved the 2019 Update. On September 13, 2019 the NH Utilities filed a 2020 Update Plan. This revised 2020 Update Plan reflects adjustments made since the September 13 filing. Those adjustments include:

- Home Energy Assistance – Adjustments to budgets, accounting for the passage of HB 4.
- Home Energy Reports – Eversource has determined to cease its Home Energy Reports program. The budget and energy savings have been shifted to the ENERGY STAR Products program.
- Residential Demand Reduction Initiative – Unitil has made minor changes to the measure incentives, number of customers and cost allocations.
- Lost Base Revenue – Eversource has made adjustments to LBR calculations for 2020 in order to more accurately account for the Rate Case test year and rate changes.

The information contained in the original 2018-2020 Plan and the 2019 Update that is not updated in the 2020 Update Plan, remains in its original form as approved by the Commission.

The NH Utilities look forward to working with the Commission, its Staff, and other stakeholders, to continue review of the 2020 Update and to implement it for the benefit of New

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Hampshire and its utility customers. Please contact me if there are any questions about this filing.
Thank you.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Fossum', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Matthew J. Fossum
Senior Counsel, Eversource Energy
o/b/o the NH Utilities

Enclosures

cc: Service List