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BY COURIER AND E-MAIL

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

RE: Docket No. DG 18-_____
Petition for Authority to Operate as a Public Utility in the Town of Epping

Dear Director Howland:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission on behalf of Northern Utilities, Inc. ("Northern"), please find one (1) public and seven (7) Confidential copies of: (a) the above captioned Petition; (b) a Motion for Confidential Treatment and Protective Order; and (c) the prefiled joint testimonies and exhibits of (i) Cindy L. Carroll and David L. Chong; and (ii) Christopher J. LeBlanc and Kevin E. Sprague, submitted in support of the Petition.

Please contact me directly if you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gary Epler".

Gary Epler

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

DG 18-__

NORTHERN UTILITIES, INC.

**PETITION FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE
IN THE TOWN OF EPPING**

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