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October 24, 2019

Debra A. Howland  
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New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission  
21 South Fruit St., Suite 10  
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Re: DW 19-091, Pennichuck Water Works, Inc.  
Petition for Declaratory Ruling and Request for Mediation  
Staff Report Following October 8, 2019, Technical Session

Dear Ms. Howland:

Scheduled by a Secretarial Letter dated September 12, 2019, in the above-mentioned matter, a technical session convened on October 8, 2019. Four participants attended the technical session: Pennichuck Water Works, Inc. (PWW or the Company); the Town of Hudson (Hudson or the Town); the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA); and Commission Staff (Staff) (collectively the Participants).

As a result of the meeting, the Participants agreed to proposed submission deadlines and a hearing date, to be held at the Commission's discretion. The Participants, additionally, agreed that no other pre-hearing procedure is required.

Staff, on behalf of the Participants, respectfully requests that the Commission approve the following procedural dates:

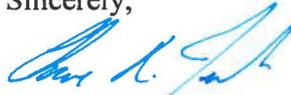
Memo of Law Not to Exceed 10 Pages – Excluding Attachments	October 25, 2019
Rebuttal Memo Not to Exceed 5 Pages – Excluding Attachments	November 5, 2019
Hearing Held or Limited at Commission's Discretion	December 9, 2019

Staff, furthermore, recommends that the Commission set November 19, 2019, as a deadline for the Company and the Town to submit an agreed-upon statement of facts, along with a statement

of contested facts from each of those Participants. That submission will aid the Commission in determining the need for and scope of the proposed hearing.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter. Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,



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