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Re: DE 19-133, Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy
Petition for Preauthorization of Westmoreland Clean Innovation Project
Granting Petition to Intervene of Sunrun Inc.

To the Parties:

On September 18, 2019, Sunrun Inc. filed a timely petition for intervention in the above-captioned matter. No objections or other responses to that petition were filed. During the September 20, 2019 prehearing conference, the Commission took Sunrun Inc.'s petition for intervention under advisement.

In its petition, Sunrun Inc. stated that it is the leader in residential solar, storage, and energy management with customers in 22 states, including New Hampshire, and the District of Columbia. It asserted that it has substantial interests that will be affected by this proceeding, in which Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy requests Commission approval of a project which includes an energy efficiency component, a "bring your own device" program, and a proposed battery storage system. Sunrun Inc. submitted that, among other interests, it has substantial interests in ensuring that solar and battery storage market participants are allowed to compete on a "fair playing field" and that utility rate design does not discriminate against a specific class of customers who install solar and/or battery storage systems.

Sunrun Inc. also maintained that its participation in this matter would serve the interests of justice and would not impair the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings. Sunrun Inc. noted that it had previously intervened in Docket No. DE 16-576, the alternative net metering docket, and Docket No. DE 17-189, the battery storage pilot program docket.

The Commission has granted Sunrun Inc.'s request to intervene, finding that the standard for intervention in RSA 541-A:32, II has been met. *See* N.H. Code Admin. Rules Puc 203.17. Sunrun Inc. shall comply with the existing procedural schedule.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Debra A. Howland".

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