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

Re: DOCKET NO. DE 19-142 - PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE d/b/a EVERSOURCE ENERGY

Rate Recovery of Costs in Excess of the Cumulative Reduction Cap Under the Power Purchase Agreement with Berlin Station, LLC

Supplemental Responses to Commission's Request for Exhibits

Dear Director Howland:

During the January 9, 2020 Prehearing Conference in this proceeding, the Commission requested that Public Service Company of New Hampshire respond to two questions. The Company filed responses to those questions on January 14, 2020.

Subsequently, the Commission Staff and OCA have suggested an alternative methodology for recovery of the costs of SB 577. Under that methodology, instead of following the timing of the underlying PPA whereby above-market energy costs paid by Eversource to Burgess for energy during the PPA operating year would be recovered in rates in the following year, those costs should be recovered more-or-less contemporaneous with the payment of those costs by Eversource to Burgess.

Attached hereto are supplemental responses to Exhibits 1 and 2 which provide information and responses to the Commission's questions based upon this alternative cost recovery methodology.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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