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*Via Electronic Submission*

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

**Re: Docket - DT 20-104: Complaint by Town of Durham Public Works, City of Dover, City of Portsmouth, City of Somersworth, Town of Newington, Town of Newmarket and Town of Exeter Against Consolidated Communications of Northern New England Company, LLC d/b/a Consolidated Communications-NNE**

Dear Ms. Howland,

On December 10, 2020, following a settlement conference held on December 9, the Commission's Staff filed a letter requesting that the Commission suspend the schedule in the above-captioned proceeding and further recommended that a status report be filed on or before February 26, 2021. The Commission approved this request and suspended the procedural schedule via a Secretarial Letter issued on December 11, 2020.

Pursuant to the Secretarial Letter, on behalf of the parties to this Docket, Consolidated Communications hereby advises the Commission that the parties' settlement negotiations are ongoing. Due to various scheduling conflicts and the number of parties involved in the negotiations, the parties need additional time to conclude their discussions. Therefore, the parties request that the Commission continue with the suspension of the Docket until April 30, 2021, by which date a follow-up status report will be provided.

Pursuant to your March 17, 2020, notice that the Commission temporarily has waived the requirements of Puc. 203.02, paper copies of this correspondence will not be filed.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick C. McHugh".

Patrick C. McHugh  
On Behalf of Consolidated Communications of Northern New England Company, LLC

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