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Via Electronic Mail Only

Daniel C. Goldner, Chair
Public Utilities Commission
21 S. Fruit Street
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Re: DE 21-133 Low Income Electric Assistance Program, 2021-2022 Electric Assistance Program Budgets,
Request for Enlargement of Time to File Responses to Record Requests

Dear Chair Goldner:

The parties in this docket include Unitil Energy Systems, Inc. (UES), Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy (Eversource), Liberty Utilities (Granite State Electric) Corp. d/b/a Liberty (Liberty), the New Hampshire Electric Cooperative, Inc. (NHEC), the Community Action Agencies (CAA), the Office of the Consumer Advocate (OCA), LISTEN Community Services (LISTEN) and the Department of Energy (DOE), (hereinafter "the Parties").

Pursuant to Order 26,576 (February 3, 2022) the parties have worked diligently to file responses to the Commission's record requests. While the parties, in good faith, anticipated filing responses today, the parties require a small additional amount of time in which to reach full agreement on responses. Accordingly, on behalf of the parties, the Department of Energy seeks an enlargement of time of one day, until March 1, 2022, in which to file responses to record requests.

This request for a one-day extension will not unduly delay the proceeding, or adversely affect the right of any party. See NH Admin R. Puc 202.04. A coordinated response from all eight parties is useful. Were the extension not granted, the unanswered record requests would significantly inconvenience the parties and the Commission. See id.

Pursuant to the Commission's March 17, 2020, secretarial letter, the enclosed exhibit list, and witness list are only being filed electronically.

Thank you for your attention to these matters.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mary E. Schwarzer

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