June 14, 2016

Pamela Munroe, Administrator Mew Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee c/o New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission 21 South Fruit St., Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301-2429

Re: SEC Docket No. 2015-04, Application of Public Service Company of New Hampshire db/a Eversource Energy for a Certificate of Site and Facility for the Construction of a new 115 kV Transmission Line from Madbury Substation to Portsmouth Substation

Petition to Intervene as Property Owner of Darius Frink Farm. 272 Nimble Hill Road. Newington. NH 03801

Helen H. Frink of 24 Clark Road, South Acworth, NH 03607 respectfully petitions the New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee for leave to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding under New Hampshire RSA 541- A:32.

In support of this petition, I represent that: On April 12, 2015 the Committee received an Application for a Certificate of Site and Facility from Eversource for the construction of a new 115 kV Transmission Line from the Madbury Substation to Portsmouth Substation, the Seacoast Reliability Project. The Committee accepted the Application as administratively complete on June 1, 2016.

The proposed Seacoast Reliability Project described in the Application will be located in the Towns of Madbury, Durham, Newington and the City of Portsmouth. A portion of the Project will run through the Frink Farm at 272 Nimble Hill Road in Newington, a property jointly owned by Helen H. Frink, John D. Frink, and Sara F. Ryder.

RSA 541-A:32, II provides that the Commission shall grant a petition to intervene if, among other things, the petition states facts demonstrating that the petitioner's "rights, duties, privileges, immunities or other substantial interests may be affected by the proceeding," and the Commission "determines that the interests of justice and the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings would not be impaired by allowing the intervention."

I, Helen H. Frink, have a substantial interest that may be affected by this proceeding, because a portion of the Project, 1051 linear feet in length, will pass through the Frink Farm at 272 Nimble Hill Road in Newington. The Frink Farm lies within the Newington Center Historic District, and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Section 106 of the National Historic Protection Act should oblige Eversource to avoid the introduction of incompatible visual elements into the unspoiled viewscape of this family owned farm.

As noted above, my rights, duties, privileges or substantial interests as a property owner may be affected by the proceeding. The interests of justice and orderly and prompt conduct of the proceeding will not be impaired by the granting of this Petition to Intervene. Therefore I respectfully request that the Committee grant me intervenor status in the proceeding and grant such other relief as the Committee deems just and equitable.

Respectfully submitted,

Helon H. Trink

Helen H. Frink 24 Clark Road South Acworth, NH 03607 Tel. 603-863-4455; e-mail: hfrink@keene.edu