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Martin Honigberg, Chairman
Thomas Burack
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New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee
21 South Fruit Street
Concord, NH 03301

Re: SEA-3, Inc., SEC Docket No. 2015-01

Dear Chairman Honigberg:

We support SEA-3, Inc.'s request for an exemption from full review by the NH Site Evaluation Committee of SEA-3's proposed expansion of its propane storage and distribution facility. The SEA-3 site has been a long-standing industrial use in the Town of Newington, having supplied local New Hampshire communities with propane for 40 years from its facility. The residents of our Town will benefit from having an abundant, stable, local supply of propane; an additional layer of contested review before the Site Evaluation Committee will only delay expanding and stabilizing the price and supply of propane in New Hampshire. Under such circumstances, we believe that the extensive site application should be deferred to by the Site Evaluation Committee. This is a modest expansion of an existing propane distribution and storage facility, a facility that has an exemplary safety record.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

Carleton Robie, Chairman
Candia Board of Selectmen