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VIA E-MAIL AND INTER-DEPARTMENT MAIL

Joseph A. Foster, Attorney General Office of the Attorney General 33 Capitol Street Concord, NH 03301-6397

Re: Joint Application of Northern Pass Transmission, LLC and Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy for a Certificate of Site and Facility, N.H Site Evaluation Committee Docket No. 2015-06

Dear Attorney General Foster:

I am writing to you in my capacity as Administrator of the Site Evaluation Committee. On October 19, 2015, the Committee received an application for a Certificate of Site and Facility for the siting, construction and operation of a proposed electric transmission line with a 1,090 MW transfer rating, extending approximately 192 miles from the Canadian border in Pittsburg, NH to a substation located in Deerfield, NH. The Project, as proposed, is comprised of a 158.3 mile, +/- 320 kV direct current (DC) segment and a 33.7-mile 345 kV alternating current (AC) segment. Approximately 60.5 miles will be located underground in public roadways. The project will be located in five counties (Coos, Grafton, Belknap, Merrimack, and Rockingham).

Pursuant to RSA 162-H:9, please appoint an Assistant Attorney General as counsel for the public. The counsel for the public will be accorded all the rights, privileges and responsibilities of an attorney representing a party in a formal action and will serve until the decision to issue or deny a certificate is final. I look forward to the notice of your appointment.

Sincerely,

Pamela G. Monroe

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Ec: K. Allen Brooks, Senior Assistant Attorney General