MEMORANDUM

APPLICATION OF NORTHERN PASS NORTHERN PASS TRANSMISSION, LLC
and PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
d/b/a EVERSOURCE ENERGY
Docket No. 2015-06

TO: All Parties
FROM: Pamela G. Monroe, Administrator
DATE: October 13, 2016
RE: Technical Session Data Requests

A technical session was held on October 11, 2016, in the above referenced docket. The purpose of the technical sessions is for the parties to inquire of the Applicant’s witnesses their expertise, opinions and pre-filed testimony. The parties that were present during all or part of the technical sessions on each day are listed on the sign-in sheets that are attached to this memorandum. Peter Roth, Counsel for the Public, and his attorney, Thomas Pappas were both present.

At the conclusion of the technical sessions, the following data requests to the Applicant remain outstanding:

Oct. 11-Project Route Selection, Forward NH Plan, NH-Specific Benefits, Clean Energy RFP, etc.-William Quinlan and Kenneth Bowes

1. Provide clarification as to which portions of Mr. Muntz’s pre-filed testimony that Mr. Bowes is adopting and which portions Mr. Quinlan is adopting.

2. Provide a copy of the recent letter that Eversource sent to the Army Corps of Engineers regarding additional burial of the line.

3. Provide a list of recipients of grant funds that Eversource contributed to the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation Fund.

4. Provide a copy of the contract, if such a contract exists, that Eversource has with Seth Cargiuolo of Saint Consulting.

5. Provide a copy of the agreement between Northern Pass and the North Country Jobs Creation Fund.
6. Provide any documents exchanged between Northern Pass and Hydro-Quebec, resulting from joint meetings about the Project.

7. Provide the results of the public opinion polling that was conducted by Northern Pass.

8. Provide notice to the Parties prior to DOT conducting the fluidized backfill trial.

9. Provide any minutes, notes, or summaries of Mr. Quinlan’s listening tour that have not already been produced.

Confidential Session

1. Reconcile the cost estimates contained in document NPT_DIS 002477 with Mr. Quinlan’s present estimate that the cost per mile to construct the project underground is 8-13 million dollars per mile.

2. Provide all of the change request forms associated with the Project. To the extent that these were already provided in response to a previous data request, please supply the data request number.


4. Provide the name of the author and an interpretation of, the confidential spreadsheet titled: “Northern Pass Transmission Project-1090 MW 60 mile underground April 2019 ISD for Property Tax Purposes.” If the spreadsheet that has been produced is not complete, then provide the completed spreadsheet.

5. Provide any additional documents containing financial and/or engineering analysis of underground routes.

The foregoing shall be provided to all of the parties on or before October 24, 2016. Copies shall not be provided to the Committee. To the extent that the Applicant objects to providing the above referenced material, the requesting party must file a Motion to Compel with the Committee. Any questions regarding this memorandum or the data requests made at the technical session should be directed to Pamela Monroe, Administrator.

October 13, 2016

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