THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE SITE EVALUATION COMMITTEE

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 for the Construction of a New High Voltage Transmission Line in New Hampshire

Docket No. 2015-06

TOWNS OF BRIDGEWATER, BRISTOL, EASTON, FRANCONIA, LITTLETON, NEW HAMPTON, NORTHUMBERLAND, SUGAR HILL, WHITEFIELD AND WOODSTOCK'S AND THE CITY OF CONCORD'S NOTICE OF JOINDER IN THE OBJECTION OF COUNSEL TO THE PUBLIC TO APPLICANT'S REQUEST FOR PARTIAL WAIVERS UNDER THE NEWLY ADOPTED SEC RULES

The Towns of Bridgewater, Bristol, Easton, Franconia, Littleton, New Hampton,
Northumberland, Sugar Hill, Whitefield and Woodstock, as well as the City of Concord, submit
this Notice of Joinder to Objection of Counsel to the Public to Applicant's Request for Partial
Waivers Under the Newly Adopted SEC Rules ("Objection"), stating as follows:

- 1. Public Counsel filed an Objection on March 7, 2016 relative to the Applicant's request for partial waivers under the newly adopted SEC Rules.
- 2. The Towns of Bridgewater, Bristol, Easton, Franconia, Littleton, New Hampton, Northumberland, Sugar Hill, Whitefield and Woodstock, as well as the City of Concord, are filing this Notice to join the Objection filed by Counsel of the Public, which is incorporated herein by reference.
- 3. The Town of Dalton and the Ashland Conservation Commission assents to the relief sought herein. With respect to the position of the remaining municipalities, boards and commissions in Municipal Groups 1, 2 and 3, no response has been received as of the time of this filing.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that the Site Evaluation Committee:

A. Accept this Notice of Joinder to Objection of Counsel to the Public to Applicant's Request for Partial Waivers Under the Newly Adopted SEC Rules;

B. Deny the Applicant's Request for Partial Waivers Under the Newly Adopted SEC
 Rules; and

C. Grant such other and further relief as may be just.

Respectfully submitted,

CITY OF CONCORD

Dated: April 7, 2016

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 7th day of April 2016, a copy of the foregoing was sent by electronic mail to persons named on the Service List of this docket.

April 7, 2016

By:

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