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Martin Honigberg, Chairman New Hampshire Site Evaluation Committee 21 Fruit Street, Suite 10 Concord, NH 03301

Re: 2015-06— 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; Unavailability of NEPGA Counsel for May 19, 2016 Hearing

Dear Chairman Honigberg and Members of the Committee:

Due to previously scheduled travel arrangements to attend my daughter's college graduation out-of-state, I will be unavailable to attend the May 19th, 2016 hearing in Whitefield. In addition, it is unlikely that any other staff member from the New England Power Generators Association will be available to attend the hearing in my absence. I apologize for any inconvenience as a result of my absence, but will make myself available to the Committee upon my return to address any questions or NEPGA's position on any outstanding issues.

Please contact me if you have any questions in this regard. Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours.

Carol J. Hőlahan

cc: Service List 2015-06 (electronic mail only)