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Re: AFF 2024-003; Northern Utilities, Inc. and Granite State Gas Transmission, Inc. –  
Lease Agreement  
AFF 2024-004; Northern Utilities, Inc. and Unitil Service Corp. – Lease  
Agreement  
DOE Acknowledgement

Dear Attorney Taylor,

This letter serves as acknowledgment that the New Hampshire Department of Energy (“DOE” or “Department”) has received a copy of two lease agreements (1) between Northern Utilities, Inc. and Granite State Gas Transmission, Inc. (docketed as AFF 2024-003); and (2) between Northern Utilities, Inc. and Unitil Service Corp from Unitil Service Corp. (“Company”) (docketed as AFF 2024-004).

This acknowledgement does not constitute approval of any rate or revenue requirement change that may be claimed as a result of these Lease Agreements, as any rate issues may be addressed, as applicable, in another proceeding.

The DOE opened an investigation under RSA 366:6 and issued one set of Data Requests to the Company, and the Company responded. The Department does not have additional questions at this time.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Molly M. Lynch*

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Staff Attorney/Hearings Examiner  
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cc: Office of the Consumer Advocate.