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Michael Morrell, Director Administrative Rules Division Office of Legislative Services State House Annex, Room 219 25 Capitol Street Concord, NH 03301-6312

Re: En 1500 – Licenses for Crossings of Public Waters or State Land

Department of Energy Final Proposal Rulemaking Notice No. 2023-298

Dear Director. Morrell:

On December 27, 2023, the Department of Energy filed a rulemaking notice with respect to the adoption of En 700 rules for sewer utilities. The rulemaking notice was published in the Rulemaking Register on January 4, 2024. A public hearing on the Initial Proposal was held on February 13, 2024, pursuant to RSA 541-A:11, and notice was given that written comments should be submitted by February 27, 2024. On March 29, 2024, the Commissioner of the Department established the Final Proposal for adoption of En 1500.

As required by the Rulemaking Manual, enclosed please find one copy of each of the following:

- A completed Appendix II-G Cover Sheet for Final Proposal;
- Report of Public Comments;
- The established text of the Final Proposed rule as the "Final Proposal-Fixed Text," including the cross-reference table required by RSA 541-A:3-a, II as Appendix A; and
- The text of the Final Proposed rule as the "Final Proposal-Annotated Text."

Thank you in advance for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Jared S. Chicoine Commissioner