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Mr. Michael W. Kane Legislative Budget Assistant 107 North Main Street State House Room 102 Concord, NH 03301

Re: REQUEST FOR FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Department of Energy Chapter En 1500

Licenses for Crossings of Public Waters and State Land

Dear Mr. Kane:

Enclosed please find a Request for Fiscal Impact Statement regarding new En 1500 rules entitled, "Licenses for Crossings of Public Waters and State Land," proposed by the Department of Energy (the Department). Also enclosed for your review is a copy of the Initial Proposal for adoption of Chapter En 1500, as approved by the Commissioner of the Department on December 14, 2023.

The Department is adopting these new rules pursuant to the legislative directive set forth in RSA 371:22 and its rulemaking authority under RSA 12-P:5, IV regarding "rules necessary to implement the specific statutes administered by the department,"

When you have completed the Fiscal Impact Statement, please notify the Department. If you should have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Andrew J. Harmon

Andrew J. Harmon Hearings Examiner

Enclosures AJH/hms