

**BEFORE THE NEW HAMPSHIRE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**DE 24-087**

**Public Service Company of New Hampshire d/b/a Eversource Energy**

**Petition for Exemption from Town of Bethlehem Zoning Ordinance, Art. II, Part D, under  
RSA 674:30, III**

**New Hampshire Department of Energy  
Motion for Remote Participation**

Pursuant to New Hampshire Code Admin. Rule Puc 203.07(b)(9), the New Hampshire Department of Energy (“Department”) hereby moves the Public Utilities Commission (“Commission”) to allow the individual identified herein to participate remotely in the hearing in this matter scheduled for August 12, 2025.

In support of this Motion, the Department states as follows:

1. A final hearing in this matter is scheduled for August 12, 2025.
2. The witness for whom the Department has filed testimony in this docket is located in a place that would require time-consuming and expensive travel in order to appear in-person for the hearing.
3. Joseph DeVirgilio of Willoughby Consulting is located in Florida. His business address is 201 Vicenza Way, North Venice, FL 34275. His email address is [jjdevirgilio@gmail.com](mailto:jjdevirgilio@gmail.com).
4. Having this witness travel to New Hampshire for a single hearing would involve time-consuming travel and incur significant costs, rendering their in-person participation impractical and unreasonable. Allowing them to appear remotely would avoid this time-consuming and expensive travel.

5. The Department contacted the parties to seek their position on this motion. Eversource responded that it did not object to Mr. DeVirgilio's remote participation. As of this filing the other parties have not responded.

**WHEREFORE**, the Department respectfully requests that the Commission:

1. Allow the Department's witness listed herein to appear remotely at the final hearings in this matter scheduled to begin on August 12, 2025; and
2. Grant such further relief as is just and required.

Dated: July 29, 2025

Respectfully submitted,  
**New Hampshire Department of Energy**  
By its Attorney,

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**Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that a copy of this pleading was provided via electronic mail to the individuals included in the Commission's service list for this docket on this date, July 29, 2025.

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