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May 1, 2014

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Re: Docket No. SB-2003-1

In re: The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid (E-183 115kV Transmission Line Relocation)

Dear Patti:

I am enclosing for filing an original and four (4) copies of the May 1, 2014 Status Report on behalf of National Grid in the above referenced matter.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing on the enclosed copy of this letter and the status report and return them to me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Peter V. Lacouture

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In re: The Narragansett Electric Company :

(E-183 115 kV Transmission Line : Docket No. SB-2003-01

Relocation Project – A/C I-195 Relocation):

# STATUS REPORT OF THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a NATIONAL GRID (MAY 1, 2014)

This report of The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid ("National Grid" or the "Company") is filed with the EFSB in response to its vote at the hearing on December 17, 2013 which required reports from National Grid every forty-five (45) days on the status of the E-183 Underground Relocation Project. National Grid's first report was filed on January 30, 2014 and its second report was filed on March 17, 2014.

The following activities have taken place since the March 17, 2014 report was filed:

- The project team has completed development of specifications for an engineering consulting firm to provide engineering services for the underground transmission portion of the project.
- The RFP and specifications for the engineering consultant were issued on April 2 to a pre-qualified list of bidders.
- Bids were due on April 23, 2014.
- National Grid received proposals (bids) from a number of engineering consultants for the project on that date.
- National Grid is currently evaluating the bids and expects to select a consultant in the next two weeks.
- Company representatives met with Commissioner Paul Roberti to discuss ISO funding issues.

Respectfully Submitted,

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