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September 14, 2011

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Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Blvd.
Warwick, RI 02888

**IN RE: NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY d/b/a NATIONAL GRID-
LEAST COST PROCUREMENT PLAN, DOCKET NO: 4284**

Dear Ms. Massaro,

The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid (“National Grid”) filed its proposed Energy Efficiency and System Reliability Procurement Plan on September 7, 2011 with the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission (“the Commission”). The Division asserts the proposed Plan complies with the provisions of Commission’s Standards for Energy Efficiency and Conservation Procurement and System Reliability (as amended).

National Grid prepared the proposed plan with the advice and consent of the Rhode Island Energy Efficiency and Resources Management Council (“EERMC”) after numerous discussions and input from representatives of the Division, National Grid, the Rhode Island Office of Energy Resources (“OER”), Environmental Northeast (“ENE”), the Energy Council of Rhode Island (“TEC-RI”), EERMC members, and EERMC consultant team. The Division after consideration of this lengthy process which included full participation and agreement of the aforementioned representatives hereby supports and requests the Commission’s approval of the proposed Plan.

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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,
Thomas F. Ahern, Administrator
State of Rhode Island
Division of Public Utilities and Carriers
By his attorney,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jon G. Hagopian', written in a cursive style.

Jon G. Hagopian
Special Assistant Attorney General

cc: Service List (e-mail only)