

Memorandum

TO: RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

**FROM: DAVID EFFRON, BERKSHIRE CONSULTING SERVICES,
ON BEHALF OF THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS.**

DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 2016

Electric Infrastructure, Safety, and Reliability Plan FY 2016 Reconciliation, Docket 4539

The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid (“National Grid” or “the Company”) filed its Fiscal Year 2016 Infrastructure, Safety, and Reliability (ISR) Plan reconciliation for fiscal year 2016 on August 1, 2016. Testimony and calculations supporting the FY16 ISR revenue requirements associated with the vegetation management, inspection & maintenance, and qualifying capital investment components are included in the electric ISR Reconciliation.

At the request of the Division I have reviewed the filing for the purpose of verifying the accuracy of the filed revenue requirement associated with the actual FY 2016 activity under the ISR programs. I have noted no exceptions and believe that the filing accurately portrays the actual ISR revenue requirement associated with the FY 2016 electric ISR programs. As such, the Division recommends approval of the filed FY16 ISR CapEx and O&M Reconciliation factors, for effect October 1, 2016.