STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN RE: THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC : COMPANY DEMAND-SIDE MANAGEMENT:

AND RENEWABLE ENERGY PROGRAMS : DOCKET NO. 3240

FOR 2002 :

ORDER

On December 12, 2001, Narragansett Electric Company ("Narragansett") on behalf of the itself, the Division of Public Utilities & Carriers, and The Energy Council of Rhode Island (collectively known as the "Collaborative") filed a request with the Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") to continue for 2002 the operation of the Company's demand-side management ("DSM") and renewable energy programs in effect during 2001. As grounds for the continuation, Narragansett indicated that it expected the Collaborative would shortly be filing a Stipulation regarding the Company's DSM and renewable programs for the year 2002, which the Commission could review in 2002. At an open meeting on December 13, 2001, the Commission considered the request and granted the extension.

Accordingly, it is

(16903) ORDERED:

1. The Stipulation filed November 30, 2000 regarding the Company's 2001 demand-side management and renewable energy programs shall

¹ The Collaborative's Stipulation filed November 30, 2000 regarding the Company's 2001 DSM and renewable energy programs was approved in <u>Commission Order No. 16798</u> (issued November 29, 2001).

continue in effect beyond December 31, 2001 until such time as the Commission approves new programs.

 A Conservation and Load Management Factor of \$0.0023 per kilowatt-hour is hereby approved for usage on and after January 1, 2002 through December 31, 2002.

EFFECTIVE AT WARWICK, RHODE ISLAND ON JANUARY 1, 2002
PURSUANT TO AN OPEN MEETING DECISION ON DECEMBER 13,
2001. WRITTEN ORDER ISSUED JANUARY 30, 2002.

Elia Germani, Chairman
Kate F. Racine, Commissioner
Brenda K. Gaynor, Commissioner

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