

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Rhode Island Division of  
Public Utilities and Carriers  
89 Jefferson Blvd.  
Warwick RI 02888  
(401) 941-4500

February 18, 2011

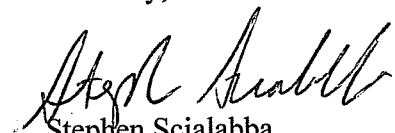
Luly Massaro  
Clerk, Public Utilities Commission  
89 Jefferson Boulevard  
Warwick, RI 02888

Re: Docket 4214. NBC Compliance Rate Filing For Increase Associated With  
Debt Service.

Dear Luly:

At the Open Meeting held on February 18, 2011, the Commission requested that the Division submit its position on the manner in which the \$2.5 million rate increase approved in this docket should be applied. In the Division's February 1 response to NBC's Notice of Withdrawal of Rate Application in Docket 4205, the Division stated, "The Division is in agreement that the additional revenues approved in Docket 4214 pertaining to debt service only, should be recovered on an across the basis as requested by NBC." I have attached a copy of that response to this letter.

Sincerely,

  
Stephen Scialabba  
Chief Accountant

cc: service list (via e-mail)

February 1, 2011

Ms. Luly Massaro  
Commission Clerk  
Public Utilities Commission  
89 Jefferson Blvd.  
Warwick, RI 02889

RECEIVED  
2011 FEB -3 PM 3:34  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

**Re: NARRAGANSETT BAY COMMISSION RATE FILING  
RIPUC DOCKET NO. 4205**

Dear Luly,

The Division of Public Utilities and Carriers ("Division") hereby offers no objection to the Narragansett Bay Commission's Notice of Withdrawal of Rate Application, submitted on January 28, 2011 in Docket 4205. The Division is in agreement that the additional revenues approved in Docket 4214 pertaining to debt service only, should be recovered on an across the board basis as requested by NBC.

In addition, the Division concurs with NBC's agreement to file a Tariff Advice pertaining to its Residential Well Charge tariff within 30 days. The Division and NBC have had discussions on modifying that tariff so that the assumed amount of usage built into the fixed charge tariff will be updated to reflect a more representative level of usage based on recent NBC data.

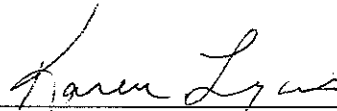
In light of the Notice of Withdrawal, the Division requests a stay of the procedural schedule in Docket 4205 as the Division's testimony is due to be filed on February 3, 2011. Since the Commission's decision on the Withdrawal request is not likely to occur prior to the prefiling date of the Division, the Division requests a stay of the schedule.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND,  
DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES  
AND CARRIERS

By their Attorney,



---

Karen Lyons, Esq. (#6797)  
Special Assistant Attorney General  
Rhode Island Department of Attorney General  
150 South Main Street  
Providence, Rhode Island 02903-2907  
Tel: (401) 274-4400 x 2403  
Fax: (401) 222-3016

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that on this 1st day of February 2011, this document was served by electronic mail upon the official Service List in this docket.

---