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Ms. Luly Massaro, Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

**Re: *Docket No. 4814 - The Narragansett Bay Commission
Notice of Proposed Tariff Revisions***

Dear Ms. Massaro:

I am writing in follow up to the May 24, 2018 Memorandum submitted by the Rhode Island Division of Public Utilities and Carriers ("Division") in the above captioned Docket. In its memorandum, the Division recommends that the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") approve the following proposed changes to the Narragansett Bay Commission's terms and conditions:

- Change in Abatement Application Fee from \$36.00 to \$70.00.
- Adding an Abatement Meter Reading Fee of \$35.00.
- Adding a Real Estate Closing Request Fee of \$30.00.
- Correction of a typographical error in Schedule B, Section 1, Category 96. The proposed revision corrects the spelling of "Embalming."

The Division's memorandum does not recommend the addition of a Collection Notice Posting Fee in the amount of \$50.00. It is the Division's position that a fee of this nature is more properly addressed through a general rate proceeding where a more in-depth review of the issue can be considered. While the Narragansett Bay Commission respectfully disagrees with this position, it hereby withdraws its request for a Collection Notice Posting Fee in its pending request. The Narragansett Bay Commission will continue to work to provide the Division with more information regarding this fee in a separate proceeding or in its next general rate filing.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph A. Keough, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

Joseph A. Keough, Jr.

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cc: Docket 4814 Service List (*via electronic mail*)