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## STATE OF CONNECTICUT PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY

November 7, 2013 In Reply, Please Refer to: Docket No. 12-01-07:ES:BSM Motion No. 22

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Dear Attorneys Jepsen and Katz:

Re: Docket No. 12-01-07 – Application for Approval of Holding Company Transaction Involving Northeast Utilities and NSTAR

The Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (Authority) acknowledges the Attorney General's and Consumer Counsel's motion, dated September 20, 2013, requesting that the Authority review recent public reports concerning the possibility that Northeast Utilities may outsource hundreds of information technology jobs that are currently performed in Connecticut. The Authority hereby grants your request. A proceeding to allow for comments and the opportunity to cross-examine witnesses will be scheduled.

Sincerely,

PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY

Nicholas E. Neeley

**Acting Executive Secretary** 

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