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James Buckley, Esq., Hearing Examiner  
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**Re: CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY and PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF  
NEW HAMPSHIRE, Request for Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the  
Maine Power Reliability Program Consisting of the Construction of Approximately 350  
miles of 345 kV and 115 kV Transmission Lines ("MPRP"), Docket No. 2008-255**

Dear Mr. Buckley:

As discussed at the case management conference on October 2, 2008, enclosed please find Petitioners' proposed schedule for the local technical conferences to be held in the above-captioned proceeding on October 27 and 30, 2008. Petitioners have identified, with respect to each broad segment of the project (here divided into 8 "sessions"), the relevant towns. Organizing the conferences along these lines will help focus on each geographic area in turn, and provide guidance to the interveners about which session or sessions to attend. Consistent with Petitioner's case management memorandum of August 19, 2008 and as referenced in the Procedural Order dated Sept. 18, 2008, Petitioners will prepare targeted information packages for each of these eight sessions, to be distributed in advance of the technical conferences.

Please note that the enclosed proposed schedule reflects some minor refinements to the draft schedule provided at the case management conference. The draft was divided primarily by MPRP segment, which meant that certain towns were included in more than one session. In the interest of making it clearer to intervenors which session will address their local concerns, the revised proposal includes each town in only one segment.

Because Petitioners will provide the same witnesses for each session of both local technical conferences, Petitioners have no preference as to the order in which these sessions are held. Once the order of the sessions is finalized, Petitioners further recommend that the Examiner establish a schedule in which each session will last for approximately two hours, to ensure fair treatment of each session.

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Sincerely,

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Hallie Flint Gilman

cc: Service List

MPRP Local Technical Conferences				
Session No.	From	To	Substations	MPRP Segment No.
1	Surowiec, Kennebec River DCT Maine Yankee DCT	Elm St. Mason	Surowiec, Elm St., Raven Farm, Maine Yankee, Mason	18DCT, 18, 19, 29DCT
2	Newington	South Gorham Section 167A re-rate	Newington, Schifler, Bolt Hill, Eliot 34/12, Three Rivers, Quaker Hill, Maguire Road, Louden, South Gorham, Pride's Corner	24, 27, 27B, 167A
3	Larrabee Rd.	Rumford	Livermore Falls, Riley, Rumford I.P.	14, 39A, 39B
4	Surowiec	Lewiston Lower Hotel Road	Crowley's, Sabattus, Larrabee Rd., Gulf Island, Deer Rips, Great Falls, Middle St., Lewiston Lower, Hotel Road	17, 38A, 38B
5	Larrabee Rd.	Maxcy's Augusta East Side	Wales Corner, Day's Corner, Bowman St., Brown's Crossing, Maxcy's, Augusta East Side	15, Sec 88 re- rate
6	Maxcy's	Detroit, Rice Rips Lakewood Sappi (Hinckley)	Albion Rd., Heywood Rd., Winslow, Rice Rips, Lakewood, Sappi (Hinckley)	6, 9, 10, 10A, Sec 87A re-rate, Sec 83B re-rate, Sec 83C re-rate
7	Detroit	Orrington	Detroit, Orrington	1, 3
7A	Bucksport	Searsport	Bucksport	2DCT, 40A
8	Maxcy's	Frankfort, Highland	Highland	4, 6, 35
				<b>Towns</b>
				Pownal, North Yarmouth, Cumberland, Yarmouth, Bowdoinham, Woolwich, Wiscasset
				Newington NH, Portsmouth NH, Kittery, Elliot, South Berwick, North Berwick, Wells, Kennebunk, Arundel, Biddeford, Saco, Scarborough, Gorham, Westbrook Greene, Leeds, Livermore Falls, Jay, Canton, Dixfield, Peru, Rumford,
				Durham, Auburn, Lewiston, Minot
				Greene, Wales, Monmouth, Litchfield, West Gardiner, Farmingdale, Chelsea, Augusta, Whitefield, Windsor
				China, Albion, Winslow, Oakland, Benton, Clinton, Burnham, Pittsfield, Cornville, Madison, Stowhegan
				Detroit, Plymouth, Troy, Dixmont, Monroe, Winterset, Frankfort, Bucksport, Orrington
				Bucksport, Prospect, Stockton Springs, Searsport
				Somerville, Hibbert's Gore, Washington, Liberty, Appleton, Searsport, Morrill, Waldo, Brooks, Swanville, Monroe, Jefferson, Waldoboro, Warren