

**STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Case No. 18-1633-PET

Petition of Green Mountain Power for approval of)
a multi-year regulation plan pursuant to 30 V.S.A.)
§§ 209, 218, and 218d)

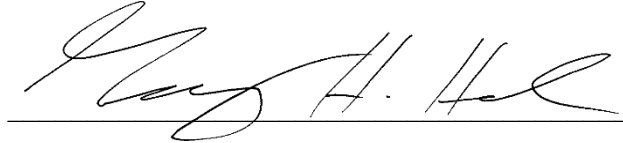
**GREEN MOUNTAIN POWER’S MOTION FOR SELECT WITNESS APPEARANCE
BY PHONE**

Pursuant to Commission Rule 2.206, Green Mountain Power (“GMP”) requests that the Commission grant permission for GMP’s expert witnesses James Coyne to appear by telephone at the upcoming evidentiary hearing scheduled for this proceeding on April 2nd, 2019 (and April 3rd and 4th as needed). GMP understands based on the cross-examination estimates from other parties that were provided to the Commission today that only the Department of Public Service expects to have questions for Mr. Coyne, and that these questions will be limited to an estimated ten minutes. Given this time frame, allowing Mr. Coyne to appear by telephone rather than in-person will save travel and time spent at the hearing and will save the parties money, and therefore will save GMP customers money.

GMP thus respectfully requests that the Commission authorize the appearance of Mr. Coyne by telephone, and with as much advance notice as possible before the hearing so as to avoid making unnecessary travel arrangements. GMP has reached out to the other parties and no party raised an objection to Mr. Coyne’s appearance by phone.¹

¹ GMP heard back from all parties except the Vermont Fuel Dealer’s Association.

DATED this 27th day of March, 2019 by:



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