

**STATE OF VERMONT
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Case No. 23-3501-PET

Petition of Green Mountain Power for approval)
of its Zero Outages Initiative as a Strategic)
Opportunity pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 218d and)
GMP’s Multi-Year Regulation Plan)

JOINT MOTION TO CHANGE SCHEDULE

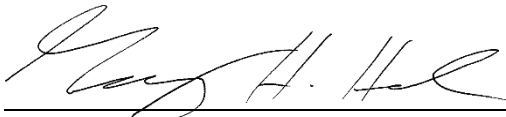
Green Mountain Power (“GMP”) and the Department of Public Service (“Department”) (collectively the “Parties”) file this joint request to modify the schedule in this docket. The changes are needed to accommodate both an unexpected Department staff conflict and GMP’s ongoing storm response work. The Department contacted GMP on April 1, 2024 seeking to move the hearing date a week earlier (the week of May 13) due to a staffing issue. In response, GMP proposed schedule options to meet the Department’s request, along with GMP’s developing need for limited additional time to file rebuttal testimony, due to extensive planning and restoration efforts associated with the heavy wet snow event that hit Vermont on April 3-5, 2024. To accommodate these changes GMP agreed to drop discovery on the Department’s surrebuttal testimony, provided the Department supplements its initial discovery response with documents reviewed and relied upon by its witnesses in surrebuttal testimony. The Department subsequently advised that its witnesses are not available the week of May 13, and as a result requested hearings be moved to the week of May 27th. GMP does not object to this request, provided that the briefing schedule is adjusted to limit the overall impact of the change. The Parties therefore propose the schedule below, with hearings requested on May 29th and 30th. In the event the Commission is not available on those dates, the Parties respectfully request the Commission adopt the other schedule changes proposed below, but keep hearings as presently scheduled on May 23rd and 24th. The Parties appreciate the Commission’s consideration of this

request. The undersigned counsel is authorized to represent that the Department joins in this request.

Event	Current Case Schedule	Proposed Revision
GMP rebuttal testimony due	April 10, 2024	April 15, 2024
Other parties serve discovery on GMP's rebuttal testimony	April 17, 2024	April 19, 2024
GMP responds to other parties' discovery requests	April 30, 2024	May 3, 2024
Other parties file surrebuttal testimony	May 10, 2024	May 13, 2024
GMP discovery on other parties' surrebuttal testimony	May 13, 2024	May 13, 2024
Other parties respond to discovery	May 17, 2024	May 17, 2024
Evidentiary Hearings	May 23 & 24, 2024	May 29 & 30, 2024
Post-Hearing Briefs due	June 13, 2024	June 14, 2024
Reply Briefs due (if necessary)	June 27, 2024	June 21, 2024

Dated at Burlington, Vermont, this 5th day of April, 2024.

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