

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

JUL 10 1995

Mr. Ronald G. Chevalier
Vice President
Public Service of New Hampshire
Gosling Road
Portsmouth, NH 03801

Re: NPDES Reapplication No. NH0001473 (Schiller Station)

Dear Mr. Chevalier:

Your reapplication for a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit has been reviewed and appears to be complete. You may be contacted for additional information as the permit is developed, should it be necessary to clarify, modify or supplement any previously submitted information. By copy of this letter, your State Water Pollution Control Agency is being furnished a copy of your complete application for certification pursuant to Section 401(a)(1) of the Clean Water Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. §1341(a)(1).

A draft permit and statement of basis or fact sheet will be prepared by this office and forwarded to you for comment prior to the opening of the public comment period. The draft permit will then be publicly noticed and forwarded for state certification if certification has not previously been received on the application. If it is deemed necessary, a public hearing will be held, in which case, the comment period will be extended until the close of the hearing. After the close of the public comment period, your final permit will be issued providing no new substantial questions are raised. If new questions develop during the comment period, it may be necessary to draft a new permit, revise the statement of basis or fact sheet and/or reopen the public comment period.

The conditions of your present permit will continue in force until your new permit is issued and becomes effective since you have filed a timely and complete application. 40 C.F.R. §122.6, 48 Fed. Reg. 14158 (April 1, 1983).

Should you have any questions concerning the permit issuance process, do not hesitate to contact Shelley Puleo of my staff. She may be reached at 617/565-3528.

Sincerely yours,

Veronica C. Harrington, Chief
 NPDES Program Operations Section

cc: NH DES

CONCURRENCES

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