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Docket No. <u>D-E 3314</u>	



THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

v.

WILLIAM H. SLEEPER

Petition for Condemnation

Comes now Public Service Company of New Hampshire, a corporation organized under the laws of The State of New Hampshire, and having its principal place of business in Manchester, New Hampshire, engaged in the generation, distribution, and sale of electric energy to the public in Manchester and elsewhere in The State of New Hampshire, and respectfully represents to this Commission as follows:

(1) In order to meet the reasonable requirements of service to the public, it is necessary for the Company to construct one or more lines for the transmission of electric energy between the City of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, and the Town of Bow, New Hampshire.

(2) The Company is informed and believes and therefore alleges that William H. Sleeper of Exeter, County of Rockingham, is the owner of a certain tract of land in Deerfield, said County of Rockingham, more particularly bounded and described as follows:

A certain tract of land situated in Deerfield, County of Rockingham, The State of New Hampshire, bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by land now or formerly of one Marston and land now or formerly of Moses Germain; easterly by the road leading from Deerfield to Nottingham; southerly by land now or formerly of Scott Adams and land now or formerly of one Quimby; and westerly by land now or formerly of Moses Germain.

(3) The company desires to acquire a right of way 100 feet in width across a portion of the above described premises, said right of way being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

A right of way 100 feet in width across a strip of land 100 feet in width lying southerly of and adjacent to a 100 foot right of way deeded to J. Brodie Smith by William H. Sleeper by deed dated September 18, 1926 and recorded in Rockingham County Registry of Deeds, Book 816, Page 429, said strip of land extending from a point in the highway leading from Deerfield Parade to Nottingham, westerly a distance of 1386 feet, more or less, to land now or formerly of Roy Smith.

(4) The Company is unable to agree with said William H. Sleeper either as to the necessity of said right of way, or as to the price to be paid therefor.

WHEREFORE, Public Service Company of New Hampshire prays:

(1) That the Commission grant it permission to take the right of way as above set forth in paragraph "3";

(2) That the Commission determine the price to be paid for said right of way.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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