HERBICIDE USE NOTIFICATION

The National Grid company plans to apply herbicides along certain rights-of-way in New Hampshire in 2013. In accordance with administrative rules of the State of New Hampshire Pesticide Control Board, no application of herbicides shall be made to rights-of-way, during the months of June through October 15, without first providing notification to Town officials, the public, and residences near the rights-of-way. This announcement serves to provide notification to the public. The following herbicides will be selectively used to control certain tall-growing vegetation on the rights-of-way: Accord Concentrate (Glyphosate), Rodeo (Glyphosate), Garlon 4 Ultra (Triclopyr), Arsenal Powerline (Imazapyr), Escort XP (Metsulfuron Methyl), and Kremlte S (Fosamine Ammonium). National Grid will conduct maintenance on the following right-of-way in the associated Towns, beginning June 3, 2013:

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<th>Right-of-Way</th>
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<td>A201/B202</td>
<td>Bath, Benton, Haverhill, Lyman, Monroe, Warren, Wentworth</td>
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Individual landowners whose property abuts the right-of-way, or over whose property the right-of-way passes, may request and receive individual notification thirty days prior to any treatment. A Notification Request Coupon is provided below. To receive individual notification, fill out the Notification Request Coupon and return to the specified address. Coupons must be received by National Grid no later than May 3, 2013. Requests received after this date will not be granted until the next treatment cycle.

In addition to the Personal Notification by mail, as an individual landowner whose property abuts the right-of-way, or over whose property the right-of-way passes, you have the right to request and receive the approximate date, plus or minus 5 days, that pesticides will be applied to the right-of-way in your area. Requests should be made to the contact listed below.

Rights-of-way may be identified by locating a metal tag on a pole or structure with the following initials: “NEPCO” or “GSECO” and usually appear with a pole or structure number and the right-of-way number, see list above.

In accordance with State Regulations, it is the duty of each landowner or resident to make National Grid aware of the location of potentially affected private water supplies, and of any other environmentally sensitive areas where herbicide application should be further restricted.

Further information may be requested by contacting, during business hours (Mon.-Fri. 8:00AM-4:00PM):
Mariclaire Rigby • National Grid • Telephone (508) 860-6282

NOTIFICATION REQUEST COUPON

Name ___________________________ Property Location: Town ___________________________ Street ___________________________
Street Address ___________________________ Tel. # (home) ___________________________ Tel. # (work) ___________________________
Town ___________________________ State ___________________________ Zip Code ___________________________

Line and Pole Numbers:

Other Landowner Location Information:

Sensitive Areas:

Landowner or Abutter requests notification of approximate date of application (Yes or No): ___________________________

Return to: National Grid Transmission Forestry, Mariclaire Rigby, 939 Southbridge Street, Worcester, MA 01610