

December 17, 2018

Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Re: Case 15-M-0252 – In the Matter of Utility Energy Efficiency Programs

Case 07-G-0141 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules, and Regulations of National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation for Gas Service

Dear Secretary Burgess,

Pursuant to the New York State Public Service Commission's Order Authorizing the Clean Energy Fund Framework, issued and effective January 21, 2016, in Case 14-M-0094, the Order Authorizing Utility-Administered Energy Efficiency Portfolio Budgets and Targets For 2016-2018, issued and effective January 22, 2016, in Case 15-M-0252, and the Order Authorizing Utility-Administered Energy Efficiency Portfolio Budgets and Targets for 2019-2020, National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation ("Distribution" or the "Company") hereby submits Conservation Incentive Program ("CIP") Statement No. 21.

By way of background, this statement is being submitted on 15 days' notice, to become effective January 1, 2019. It is also important to note that a separate companion filing is being submitted today in Cases 15-M-0252 and 07-G-0141, via the Document and Matter Management ("DMM") system, providing additional documentation supporting the rates presented herein.

Any questions regarding this filing can be directed to the undersigned at (716) 857-7440 or at <u>crahene@natfuel.com</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment