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

RE: Case 16-E-0604, Eligibility of Non-Metered  
Accounts for Remote Net Metering

Dear Secretary Burgess:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits for filing with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") revised tariff leaves to its Schedule for Electric Service, P.S.C. No. 3 – ELECTRICITY (the "Tariff"). The revised tariff leaves, which are identified below, make changes to Rider N – Net Metering for Customer Generators, and have an effective date of August 31, 2017.

1st	Revised Leaf No.	180.4
7th	Revised Leaf No.	181
3rd	Revised Leaf No.	181.1
2nd	Revised Leaf No.	181.2

#### **Reason for Filing**

This filing is made pursuant to the Commission's Order Providing for Eligibility of Non-Metered Accounts for Remote Net Metering, issued and effective August 2, 2017 (the "Order") in Case 16-E-0604, "Petition of Sunlight Beacon LLC and BQ Energy, LLC for a Declaratory Ruling that Street Lighting and Area Lighting Accounts are Eligible for Designation as Satellite Accounts in Conjunction with Remote Net Metering Under Public Service Law Section 66-j." The Order directed each utility to file tariff amendments that allowed for non-metered accounts to be eligible satellite accounts as part of Remote Net Metering ("RNM") and as part of Community Distributed Generation ("CDG"), where those RNM and CDG projects are compensated under a monetary basis under a Value of Distributed Energy Resources Phase One tariff ("Phase One NEM") or as an RNM or CDG project compensated under the Value Stack Tariff.

#### **Tariff Changes**

Pursuant to the Order, the Company has modified Rider N – Net Metering for Customer Generators. Currently, the Remote Net Metering and Community Distributed Generation Section of Rider N (the "RNM CDG Section of Rider N") indicates that an unmetered<sup>1</sup> account cannot be RNM Satellite Accounts unless that account is served under Service Classification

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<sup>1</sup> The Tariff uses the term unmetered account, which is equivalent to the term non-metered.

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No. 4 – Public Street Lighting – Company Owned<sup>2</sup>. This provision was amended to indicate that if an RNM Host Account is a Grandfathered Net Metering Account, then the RNM Satellite Account cannot be unmetered, unless such RNM Host Account makes a one-time, irrevocable opt-in to the Value Stack Tariff, when it becomes available. Provisions were added to the RNM CDG Section of Rider N to state that an RNM Satellite Account served by a non-Grandfathered Net Metering RNM Host Account may be unmetered subject to the following conditions: (1) the RNM Satellite Account receives monetary credits from a Phase One NEM RNM Host Account; (2) the RNM Satellite Account who receives volumetric credits from a Phase One NEM RNM Host Account and has opted to be served under the Value Stack Tariff; or (3) the RNM Host Account will be served under the Value Stack Tariff. These same provisions were also applied to the description of CDG Satellite Accounts in the RNM CDG Section of Rider N.

### **Conclusion and Notice**

As directed by Ordering Clause 1 of the Order, the tariff amendments are filed, on not less than five days' notice, to become effective on August 31, 2017. Pursuant to Ordering Clause 3 of the Order, the Commission has waived the requirements for newspaper publication.

Any questions regarding this filing can be directed to Cheryl Ruggiero at (212) 460-3189.

Very truly yours,

/s/

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Director – Rate Engineering

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<sup>2</sup> O&R currently has a Grandfathered Net Metering RNM Host Account with an RNM Satellite Account served under Service Classification No. 4. Since the Order indicates that Grandfathered Net Metering RNM Host Accounts cannot have unmetered Satellite Accounts if an RNM Host Account is a Grandfathered Net Metering Account, then the customer will need to remove this Satellite Account.