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Hon. Michelle L. Phillips Secretary to the Commission New York State Public Service Commission Empire State Plaza Agency Building 3 Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 20-M-0029 – In the Matter of the 2019 Amendment to the Public Service Law, Section, 66-p (C. 705, L. 2019), Relating to Billing Information for Residential Rental Premises.

## Dear Secretary Philips:

Pursuant to the *Notice of Tariff Filings Due to Amendment of the of the Public Service Law* ("Notice") issued by the Secretary on January 22, 2020 in the above-captioned proceeding, and subsequent discussions with Staff, the Hamilton Municipal Utilities Commission ("Hamilton") hereby submits the following tariff amendments:

- 1. A second revised Leaf 3, adding a reference to a new Subsection I. titled "Tenant Energy Bill Data" under Section XVI. "Meter Reading, Billing, Collection" in its Table of Contents; and
- 2. A first revised Leaf 46, adding the new Subsection I.

The Notice required all jurisdictional utilities to review their tariffs to ensure compliance with PSL §66-p (C. 705 of L. 2019), which was enacted on December 20, 2019 and will become effective on April 18, 2020. The Notice required any tariff amendments to be effective July 1, 2020.

The New Subsection I., titled Tenant Energy Bill Data contains the following language:

Upon written request from a prospective tenant or lessee, the Utility will provide, at no cost, the total gas charges incurred at the prospective residential rental premises for the life of the premises, or the preceding two-year period, whichever is shorter. The Utility will provide such information to the landlord or lessor and to the prospective tenant, or other authorized person, within ten days of receipt of the written request, and prior to the commencement of the tenancy or execution of a lease.

Hamilton requests waiver of newspaper publication of this change, since it merely effectuates a change in public service law.

Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

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