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Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess
Secretary
New York State Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 18-E-0130 – In the Matter of Energy Storage Deployment Program.

Dear Secretary Burgess:

New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (“NYSEG”) and Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation (“RG&E”), (together the “Companies”), are transmitting for filing in compliance with the New York State Public Service Commission’s (the “Commission”) Order Establishing Energy Storage Goal and Deployment Policy, issued and effective on December 13, 2018 (the “Order”), in the above-referenced proceeding. The tariff leaves will become effective June 1, 2019.

P.S.C. No. 120 – Electric, Schedule for Electric Service
Leaf No. 117.46.24, Revision

P.S.C. No. 19 – Electric, Schedule for Electric Service
Leaf No. 160.39.19, Revision

Purpose of Filing

The Companies are filing amendments to its tariffs in compliance with Ordering Clause No. 3 of the Order. The updates will provide for cost recovery of the contract costs to deploy 10 MW of qualified energy storage systems.

Overview

The Order directs the utilities to recover the costs for procuring storage assets from all delivery customers in the same manner that Non Wires Alternative program costs are recovered for each

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utility¹. The Companies are proposing to recover the costs through the Rate Adjustment Mechanism ("RAM"), consistent with the recovery of costs for Non-Wires Alternative ("NWA") projects. The contract costs for procuring the storage assets will be tracked separately from the recovery/return limits that were established for the RAM.

Newspaper Publication

In accordance with Ordering Clause No. 15 of the Order, newspaper publication in accordance with Public Service Law 66(12)(b) and 16 NYCRR 720-8.1 is waived.

Company Contacts

If there are any questions concerning this filing, please call Kathy Grande at (585)771-4514 or me at (585)484-6810.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures

¹ Order, page 55.