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

**Re: Case 09-E-0715 - New York State Electric & Gas Corporation
Case 09-E-0717 - Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation
Merchant Function Charge Statement**

Dear Secretary Burgess:

In compliance with the Public Service Commission's Order Establishing Rate Plan, issued and effective September 21, 2010, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation ("NYSEG") and Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation ("RG&E") hereby file the following Merchant Function Charge Statements to be effective April 1, 2016.

MFC Statement No. 71 to PSC 120 Electricity
MFC Statement No. 71 to PSC 121 Electricity
MFC Statement No. 68 to PSC 18 Electricity
MFC Statement No. 68 to PSC 19 Electricity

The filing of changes to the Merchant Function Charge is in accordance with RG&E's filed tariffs. The Merchant Function Charge Statement will be filed on not less than three days' notice. Please direct any questions to me at (585) 771-4692.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures