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

RE: Cases 14-M-0565 et al., Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program

Dear Secretary Phillips:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (“Company”) is filing with the Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 9 – Gas (the “Gas Tariff”), applicable to its customers in the City of New York and the County of Westchester. The revised Gas Tariff Leaves, which are identified below, are filed to become effective on February 1, 2023:

<u>Leaf No.</u>	<u>Revision No.</u>	<u>Superseding Revision No.</u>
77	7	6
183.6	6	5

Reason for Filing

This filing is made pursuant to the Commission’s Order Authorizing Phase 2 Arrears Reduction Program, issued and effective January 19, 2023, in Cases 14-M-0565 et al. (the “Order”). The Order directed the Company to file tariff amendments in conformance to the Order to implement the Phase 2 Arrears Reduction Program.¹

Summary of Tariff Changes

Pursuant to the Order, the Company is filing changes to its Gas Tariff as described below.

- The Company updated General Information Section III.8.(X) of the Gas Tariff to describe the new provisions of the Order. Under Phase 2 of the Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program, residential customers who did not receive a bill credit under the Phase 1 Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program and small commercial customers (as defined in the Order) with eligible arrears, subject to the conditions in the Order,

¹ The Company refers to this program as the “The Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program.”

will receive a one-time bill credit under Phase 2 of the Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program towards arrears balances from bills for service through May 1, 2022.

- The Company has amended General Information Section IX Special Adjustments 32 – Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program Surcharge to add a reference to the Order for collection of costs associated with the Phase 2 Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program. Since the Company is undergoing a transition to a new billing system, the Company will continue to collect all Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program costs through the Monthly Rate Adjustment (“MRA”) on a common cents per therm basis. When its new billing system is established, the Company will make a filing to amend the Gas Tariff such that the collection of any remaining Electric and Gas Bill Relief Program costs will be based on an allocation consistent with the manner in which uncollectible costs were allocated in the Company’s most recently approved rate case.

Conclusion and Notice

As directed by Ordering Clause 7 of the Order, the tariff amendments are filed on not less than five days’ notice to become effective on February 1, 2023. Pursuant to Ordering Clause 8 of the Order, the Company will file proof of newspaper publication within six weeks of the effective date of the tariff amendments.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/
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