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NYSEG

March 31, 1997

Honorable John C. Crary
Secretary
Public Service Commission
3 Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12223

Re: Case No. 93-G-0932

Dear Secretary Crary:

In compliance with the Commission's March 24, 1997 order in the referenced case, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation ("NYSEG" or the "Company") submits for filing the following revisions to its gas tariff.

First	Revised Leaf No. 2	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 7	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 17	to PSC 88 Gas
Original	Leaf No. 17.1	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 50	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 55	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 67	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 71	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 99	to PSC 88 Gas
First	Revised Leaf No. 105	to PSC 88 Gas

Effective April 1, 1997.

Purpose of Revisions

The purpose of this filing is to implement changes directed by the Commission in Ordering Clause No. 6 of its March 24, 1997 order. Further, the Company is taking this opportunity to include the complete short-term curtailment revisions implemented in P.S.C. No. 83 on January 3, 1997 in compliance with the Commission's December 3, 1996 and March 24, 1997 orders, into its new electronic tariff, PSC No. 88 Gas.

Proposed Revisions

In compliance with Ordering Clause No. 6 and Appendix E, pages 7 and 8, of the Commission's March 24, 1997 order, the Company has removed the definition of the process of computing the replacement cost of gas for core customers whose gas is diverted to other core customers, and added the term "Aggregator Nomination Order" to the Definitions section and to the applicable provisions in the tariff.

The Company is also submitting tariff leaves to incorporate the short-term curtailment provisions that were implemented in P.S.C. No. 83 on January 3, 1997 in compliance with the Commission's December 3,

1996 order. PSC No. 88, which supersedes P.S.C. No. 83, was approved by the Commission to become effective on March 7, 1997, therefore, the new short-term curtailment provisions needed to be included to bring PSC No. 88 up-to-date.

Background

On December 3, 1996, the Commission issued an Order Adopting Short-Term Curtailment Procedures and required the utilities to file appropriate tariff revisions. Staff reviewed NYSEG's compliance filing and is allowing it to become effective on a permanent basis with modifications as directed in Ordering Clause No. 6.

Further, the Public Service Commission developed a new procedure for filing tariffs electronically. To start the new Electronic Tariff System (ETS), it is necessary for New York State utilities to cancel their current schedule(s) and submit new schedules formatted for the ETS. On December 20, 1996, NYSEG filed Schedule PSC No. 88 to supersede P.S.C. No. 83. PSC No. 88 became effective on March 7, 1997. During the period from December 20, 1996 to March 7, 1997, the short-term curtailment revisions were filed to P.S.C. No. 83 and approved by the Commission, therefore, it is necessary to incorporate those revisions into the new tariff, PSC No. 88, to bring it up-to-date.

Customer Impact Assessment

Since these revisions are in further compliance with previous Commission orders and "housekeeping" in nature, there will be no customer impact.

Newspaper Publication

Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph No. 11 of the Commission's March 24, 1997 order, the requirement of newspaper publication has been waived.

Special Requests

NYSEG requests a waiver from the applicable sections of 16 NYCRR Part 270 to allow for the new electronic format.

Pursuant to Ordering Clause No. 10 of the Commission's March 24, 1997 order, a copy of this compliance filing is being mailed to parties requesting service.

Company Contacts

If you have any questions regarding this tariff revision, please contact Donna Slater at (607)762-8007.

Very Truly Yours,

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