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December 4, 1997

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

Re: Case No. 97-G-1427

Dear Secretary Crary:

The enclosed original and revised leaves, issued by New York State Electric & Gas Corporation ("NYSEG" or the "Company"), are transmitted for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Public Service Commission, State of New York.

Sixth Revised Leaf No. 7 to PSC No. 88 Gas

Effective January 4, 1998.

Proposed Revisions

NYSEG submits a further revision to the proposed tariff leaf filed with the PSC on August 14, 1997, and December 4, 1997 as recommended by Staff.

Reasons for Proposed Revisions

Staff has recommended that NYSEG revise the period in the definition of "storage year" to make it consistent with other references to the storage year period in the tariff.

Background

On August 14, 1997, NYSEG submitted a compliance filing with draft tariff leaves offering Managed Storage Service. This was done in compliance to a Commission order in Case 93-G-0932. Subsequent to this compliance filing, the Commission staff reviewed NYSEG's proposal. After numerous discussions with the PSC Staff, NYSEG is submitted new proposed tariff leaves earlier today. Subsequently, Staff has recommended that this further revision be made.

Customer Impact Assessment

There is no negative impact to any customer as a result of this change.

Special Requests

Pursuant to 16 NYCRR Part 270.13(b), NYSEG respectfully requests that these tariff leaves be allowed to become effective on January 1, 1998, the proposed effective date of the original filing.

Newspaper Publication & SAPA

NYSEG requests waiver from newspaper publication, pursuant to 16 NYCRR 270.70(a), of this proposed change since this was published at the time the Company filed its' original filing on August 14, 1997 and this is a further revision to that filing.

Company Contacts

Questions regarding this filing should be addressed to myself at (607) 762-5611, or Dan Verdun at (607) 762-4296.

Very truly yours,

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