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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.
4 Irving Place
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March 8, 2001

Honorable Janet H. Deixler Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Re: Case No. 99-G-1695

Dear Secretary Deixler:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("the Company") hereby submits for filing the following tariff leaves reflecting revisions to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 4 - GAS.

Leaf 80.3 Revision 2 Leaf 123 Revision 6

These leaves are issued March 8, 2001 to become effective on April 1, 2001.

The purpose of this filing is to make minor changes to some of the tariff leaves originally filed on November 29, 2000 in compliance with Opinion No. 00-13, Opinion and Order Adopting Terms of Settlement, issued and effective November 20, 2000, in Case No. 99-G-1695 ("November 29, 2000 Filing").

Staff has reviewed the November 29, 2000 Filing and, after consultation with Staff, the Company has agreed to the following changes.

1. General Information Section 12.3, Weather Normalization Adjustment, has been modified to provide greater specificity regarding customers subject to the weather normalization adjustment and to remove unnecessary language.

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2. The Service Classification No. 4 loss allowance has been revised to reflect the revised factor of adjustment agreed to in the rate case settlement.

The Company requests a waiver of the requirement to publish notice of this filing as notice of the November 29, 2000 Filing was published in accordance with Opinion No. 00-13.

Any questions regarding this filing can be directed to me at (212) 460-3308.

Sincerely,

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