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August 30, 2005

Honorable Jaclyn Brilling Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Re: Statement of Gas and Pipeline Costs (GCA/PCA) No. **78** Effective September l, 2005 Trade Secret 92-48

Dear Acting Secretary Brilling:

In accordance with 16NYCRR 270.57 and Case 95-G-1032, we are electronically filing the aforementioned statement.

The gas and pipeline factors, as shown on this statement, apply to the appropriate billings under the Service Classifications in P.S.C. No. 1-GAS.

In accordance with the trade secret status that you granted on April 9, 1990, we request that all information included herein be handled and filed in accordance with the confidentiality protection provisions of 16NYCRR 6.1-6.3.

Questions pertaining to this filing may be directed to Aaron Binder at (718) 403-2327. We request that you acknowledge receipt of this letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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