

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.
4 Irving Place
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March 14, 2005

Hon. Jaclyn A. Brillling
Secretary
State of New York
Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12223

Re: Consolidated Billing - Customer Credits and Marketer Charges Applicable to Retail Access

Dear Secretary Brillling:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison" or the "Company") is filing today with the Public Service Commission ("the Commission") amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 9 – Gas ("Gas Tariff"). The changes to the Gas Tariff are set forth in the attached tariff leaves, which bear an effective date of May 1, 2005.

The specific tariff leaves being revised are identified below:

Leaf 315.2, Revision 2
Superseding Leaf 315.2, Revision 1

Leaf 397.3, Revision 4
Superseding Leaf 397.3, Revision 3

Reason for the Proposed Changes

On January 25, 2005 ("January filing"), the Company filed with the Commission proposed changes to its Gas Tariff to recognize concurrent changes to the electric tariffs that were also filed in the unbundling and electric rate case proceedings, i.e., Case 00-M-0504 and Case 04-E-0572, respectively, that impacted the implementation of the current Gas Tariff provisions governing billing credits and billing charges associated with consolidated bills. Based on discussions with Commission Staff, minor housekeeping changes have been made to the January filing in the subject case. The changes clarify that the total credit applicable to a Firm Transportation Customer receiving Company or

Marketers Consolidated Bills on a combined gas and electric account will not be less than \$0.65 per monthly billing cycle. Similarly, the total charge to a Marketer/ESCO on a Consolidated bill issued by the Company on a combined gas and electric gas account will be no less than \$0.65 per monthly billing cycle.

Notices

Since there are no substantive changes to the January filing, the proposed form of Notice of Proposed Rule Making for publication in the State Register pursuant to the State Administrative Procedure Act submitted by the Company on January 25, 2005 is still applicable and no additional form has been provided herein. The Company will provide for newspaper publication of the proposed changes reflected in its January filing, including the changes proposed herein, prior to May 1, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

By: _____
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