September 25, 2003

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jaclyn A. Brilling
Acting Secretary to the Commission
New York State Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223

Re: Case 01-E-0199 - Ordinary Tariff Filing to Establish a Market Based Backout Credit

Dear Secretary Brilling:

As required by Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation's P.S.C. 20 – Electricity, Schedule for Electric Distribution Service ("Distribution Tariff"), the Company hereby files its **Energy and Capacity Base Backout Rate Statement No. 4**. This Statement lists the Energy and Capacity Base Backout Rate to be used in conjunction with the Distribution Tariff for the period October 1, 2003 through October 31, 2003.

Please direct any questions regarding this Statement to me at (585) 724-8252.

Sincerely,

Curt Roney Project Lead, Tariff Policy and Administration

Enclosure