

August 28, 2003

**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Jaclyn A. Brillling  
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 Brillling:

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. 3**. This Statement lists the Energy and Capacity Base Backout Rate to be used in conjunction with the Distribution Tariff for the period September 1, 2003 through September 30, 2003.

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

Sincerely,

Curt Roney  
Project Lead, Tariff Policy and  
Administration

Enclosure