### CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. 4 Irving Place New York, NY 10003

July 15, 2004

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

**Re:** Rider H – Distributed Generation Service Application

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison" or the "Company") is filing today with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") amendments to the Company's Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 9 – Gas.

The specific leaves being revised are identified in Attachment A. The tariff leaves bear an effective date of September 23, 2004.

#### **Reason for Filing**

This filing is being made to provide an application form for a customer applying for distributed generation service under Rider H of the Company's Schedule for Gas Service. The information provided in this form shall be used for purposes of determining a customer's initial eligibility for service under this Rider and obtaining other useful information. For example, the application form includes a section to be completed by a professional engineer retained by the Customer attesting to the Customer's estimated annual gas usage and winter peak day gas usage. This information is necessary to determine if the Customer meets Rider H's annual load factor requirement of at least 50%. Other sections provide the Company information on the Customer's estimated gas contract demand, distributed generation technology and associated rated capacity.

#### **Notices**

The Company will provide for public notice of the changes proposed in this filing by means of newspaper publication once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to September 23, 2004. Enclosed is a proposed form of Notice of Proposed Rule Making for publication in the State Register pursuant to the State Administrative Procedure Act.

Sincerely,

Joel H. Charkow Director Rate Engineering

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## <u>P.S.C NO. 9 – GAS</u>

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