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

June 29, 2010

Honorable Jaclyn A. Brilling Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12223-1350

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison or the Company") hereby submits for filing with the New York State Public Service Commission (the "Commission") revisions to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 9 - Gas (the "Gas Tariff").

The tariff leaves reflecting the revisions are identified below:

PSC No. 9 - Gas

Leaf 118, Revision 6 Superseding Revision 5

Leaf 118.1, Revision 3 Superseding Revision 1

The tariff leaves have an issue date of June 29, 2010, and an effective date of September 27, 2010.

### Reason for Filing

The Joint Proposal (pp. 59-62) approved by the Commission's <u>Order</u> <u>Establishing Three-Year Electric Rate Plan</u>, issued and effective March 26, 2010, in Cases 09-E-0428 and 08-M-0152 required that the Company develop a process to provide building owners or managers of multifamily or commercial buildings, at their written request, up to 24 months of energy usage information on a building level. This information would be provided in aggregate form and would not reveal particularized or identifiable customer information. Furthermore, if requested by the building owner or manager, information would be provided on the tenant level, upon the written consent of the directly-metered tenant(s). Any incremental costs associated with this effort would be charged to the requesting party to recover the costs associated with such effort.

The Company filed changes to its electric tariff, P.S.C. No. 9 – Electricity, today, as required by the Joint Proposal. This filing is being made to conform the Gas Tariff to changes being made to the electric tariff.

#### Tariff Changes Proposed

The Company proposes a change to its Gas Tariff (similar to a proposed change in the electric tariff) so that it can provide aggregate information concerning a building's most recent 24 months of gas usage (i.e., for all units plus common areas) to a building owner or its authorized agent who requests the information in writing. The charge for building-level data will be \$102.50 per request per building<sup>1</sup> for information covering the lesser of 24 months or the months of data in the Company's database of current customers, and \$102.50 per hour of Company labor (calculated in half-hour increments and rounded up to the nearest half-hour) for archived information. The charge for tenant-level data will be \$102.50 per hour of Company labor (calculated in half-hour increments and rounded up to the nearest half-hour).

If building-level or tenant-level data is requested for both gas and electricity in a building receiving the Company's gas and electricity service, the Company proposes to allocate half of the applicable charge to the gas service and half to the electricity service. The revenue from these charges is expected to be de minimis.

Similar to changes being proposed in the electric tariff, the tariff leaves indicate that all requests for building-level or tenant-level data must be made in writing and must state the relationship of the requestor to the building and the reason the information is being requested. The leaves also state that the Company will comply with requests within 15 business days or within a reasonable period thereafter if the Company receives multiple requests during such timeframe.

#### Conclusion and Notice

This filing is proposed to become effective on September 27, 2010. Enclosed is a proposed form of Notice of Proposed Rule Making for publication in the New York State Register pursuant to the provisions of the State Administrative Procedure Act. The Company will publish notice of the changes proposed to the gas and electric tariffs by means of newspaper publication on July 6, 13, 20, and 27, 2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Providing this information is expected to take an average of one hour, at a fully-loaded labor rate of \$102.50 per hour.

Very truly yours,

# CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

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