

September 29, 2017

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Kathleen H. Burgess, Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Empire State Plaza, Agency Building 3 Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 17-G-0423 - Rate Filing of Bath Electric, Gas and Water Systems to Increase its Annual Gas Revenues by \$304,629 or 14%

Dear Secretary Burgess:

On behalf of the Bath Electric Gas and Water Systems -Gas Department ("Bath"), in accordance with the provision of the New York State Public Service Law and the Public Service Commission's ("Commission") regulations, Bath hereby submits a postponement of the tariffs it filed with the case on July 14, 2017 and further revisions filed on September 8, 2017. The postponement changes the effective date of the tariffs from November 1, 2017 to January 1, 2018 in order to allow New York State Department of Public Service staff ample time to review and analyze the filing. The Company respectfully requests a waiver of the Commission's rules and regulations regarding newspaper publication for the supplement.

Bath respectfully asks that questions regarding this filing be directed to Erin Bonacci, Director of Municipal Utilities, 7 South Avenue, Bath, NY 14810, (607) 664-9103, or via e-mail at <u>ebonacci@begws.com</u>, and Frank Radigan of the Hudson River Energy Group, 235 Lark Street, Albany, NY, 12203, (518) 431-8480, or via e-mail at <u>FRadigan@aol.com</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

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Frank W. Radigan