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Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess Secretary to the Commission State of New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12223

> RE: Case No. 16-E-0226 - Tariff Filing by Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. to Update Service Classification No. 4 – Public Street Lighting – Company Owned – to Incorporate LED Options Contained in P.S.C. No. 3 - Electricity.

Dear Secretary Burgess:

By letter dated April 27, 2017, Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") filed with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") amendments to its Schedule for Electric Service, PSC No. 3 – Electricity to become effective August 1, 2017. This filing was made in compliance with the Commission's Order Approving Tariff Amendments with Modifications, issued March 10, 2017, in the above-referenced proceeding ("March Order"). The March Order directed the Company to file tariff amendments to add an LED luminaire option to Service Classification ("SC") No. 4 – Public Street Lighting – Company Owned, in the range of 20-25 Watts, by no later than May 1, 2017.

Commission Staff has requested a one month postponement of the effective date of the proposed tariff amendments to September 1, 2017 to provide additional time for the public comment period to expire before the filing is acted on by the Commission. The Company accordingly files Supplement No. 26 to postpone the effective date of the tariff amendments included in its April 27, 2017 filing. Supplement No. 26 is issued May 11, 2017 with an effective date of June 13, 2017.

The Company requests waiver of newspaper publication of the proposed changes since the Company has already begun publication of the proposed tariff changes and this filing only serves to postpone the effective date of the Company's April 27, 2017 filing.

Any questions regarding this filing can be directed to Cheryl Ruggiero at (212) 460-3189.

Very truly yours,

/s/

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