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Honorable Michelle L. Phillips
Secretary to the Commission
New York State Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza, 19th Floor
Albany, New York 12223-1350

RE: Case No. 20-M-0082, Strategic Use of Energy Related Data

Dear Secretary Phillips:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("O&R" or the "Company") is filing with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") amendments to its Schedule for Electric Service, P.S.C. No. 3 – ELECTRICITY (the "Electric Tariff").

The revised Electric Tariff leaf, which is identified below, is filed to become effective on June 1, 2021.

<u>Leaf No.</u>	<u>Revision No.</u>	<u>Superseding No.</u>
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Reason for Filing

The Company is filing these tariff changes pursuant to the Commission's Order Implementing an Integrated Energy Data Resource, issued and effective February 11, 2021, in Case 20-M-0082 (the "Order"). The Order adopted the Integrated Energy Data Resource ("IEDR") System that provides a data platform for New York energy stakeholders to access and use customer energy data and system energy data. The Commission directed the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority ("NYSERDA") to lead coordination efforts to develop and implement a Pilot Data Platform with the assistance of a third-party platform provider. The new analytic tools would enable distributed energy resource providers, utilities, government agencies, and others to more readily develop valuable technical and business insights to accelerate realization of New York State's clean energy goals. The Order also directed the utilities to file tariff amendments to recover the costs associated with the IEDR program.

Tariff Changes

Pursuant to the Order, the Company is revising the above-referenced Electric Tariff leaf to allow for recovery of IEDR program costs. The Company will recover the IEDR program costs in a new component under the System Benefits Charge ("SBC"). The costs will be recovered through the IEDR Surcharge, plus or minus any under- or over-collections, on a per kWh basis.

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Load served by the New York Power Authority ("NYPA") in accordance with the Company's Rider B – NYPA – Recharge New York ("RNY") Program Rider is not subject to the SBC. As a result, IEDR charges will not be assessed by the Company on load served by NYPA under the RNY Program Rider. This is appropriate since it is the Company's understanding that NYSERDA will bill NYPA directly for IEDR costs.¹

Conclusion and Notice

As directed by Ordering Clause 3 of the Order, the Company is filing changes to the Electric Tariff to become effective on June 1, 2021. As specified in Ordering Clause 11 of the Order, the Commission has waived the requirements for newspaper publication.

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

Very truly yours,

/s/

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¹ Order, p. 19.