

January 7, 2020

Honorable Michelle L. Phillips Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 18-M-0084 – In the Matter of a Comprehensive Energy Efficiency Initiative

**Postponement of Tariff Amendment** 

Dear Secretary Phillips,

After discussion with Department of Public Service Staff ("Staff"), National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation ("Distribution" or the "Company") hereby submits Supplement No. 17 to its tariff, P.S.C. No. 9 – GAS.

By way of background, Supplement No. 17 further postpones the effective date, from March 1, 2020 to July 1, 2020, for the tariff amendments outlined therein. Concurrent with this filing, Distribution respectfully requests a waiver from the requirements of Public Service Law \$66(12) and 16 NYCRR \$720-8.1, pertaining to newspaper publication, as the tariff filing is being made for transparency and clarification purposes.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing can be directed to the undersigned at (716) 857-7440 or at CrahenE@natfuel.com.

Respectfully submitted,

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