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Secretary  
New York State Department of Public Service  
3 Empire State Plaza, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor  
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RE: Case No. 13-E-0426 – Tariff filings to Effectuate  
Amendments to Public Service Law §66-j (Net Energy  
Metering for Residential Farm Photovoltaic and Farm and  
Non-Residential Fuel Cell Electric Generating Systems) and  
Conforming Changes to Standardized Interconnection  
Requirements.

Dear Secretary Burgess:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the “Company”) hereby submits for electronic filing with the Public Service Commission (the “Commission”) the following tariff leaves reflecting revisions to its Schedule for Electric Service, P.S.C. No. 3 – Electricity (the “Tariff”).

1st	Revised Leaf No.	116
2nd	Revised Leaf No.	117
2nd	Revised Leaf No.	179
4th	Revised Leaf No.	180
	Original Leaf No.	180.1
3rd	Revised Leaf No.	181
2nd	Revised Leaf No.	184
	Original Leaf No.	184.1
3rd	Revised Leaf No.	185

These leaves are issued October 15, 2013, to become effective February 1, 2014.

#### **Reason for Filing**

Tariff changes have been made pursuant to the Commission’s Notice Establishing Filing Requirements (“Notice”), issued September 18, 2013, which directed the major New York electric utilities to conform their tariffs to Chapters 200 and 253 of the Laws of 2013, which amended Public Service Law (“PSL”) §66-j. Chapter 200 extended remote net metering to customers who have fuel cell electric generating equipment at their non-residential premises or on their farm operation. Chapter 253 extended net metering to residential customers with solar electric generating equipment rated up to 100 kW located on their farm operation.

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### **Tariff Changes**

To comply with the Notice, the Company proposes the following changes to Rider N – Net Metering for Customer-Generators:

- A separate definition has been added to the Applicability Section for residential customers with solar electric generating equipment. Qualifying solar equipment located on a residential site, but not located on a farm operation still retains a rated capacity of 25 kW. Case 13-E-0426 expanded net-metered service to residential customers having solar electric generating equipment on a farm operation that is also located on their residence to a rated capacity up to 100 kW. This provision was also added to General Information Section No. 9.
- The Remote Net Metering Section was modified to indicate all applicable customer generating equipment eligible for remote net metering.
- Provisions were added to account for the billing of fuel cell customer-generators that participate in Remote Net Metering.
- The definition of farm operations contained in the Applicability Section and the Remote Net Metering Section was revised to reflect the fact that PSL §66-j and §66-l have different definitions of farms. PSL §66-j refers to Subdivision 11, and PSL §66-l refers to Subdivision 4, of Section 301 of the New York State Agriculture and Markets Law.

In addition, a housekeeping change was made to General Information Section No. 9 Interconnection of Non-Company Generating Equipment, to indicate that a customer shall be subject to an application fee as set forth in Addendum – SIR.

### **Conclusion and Notice**

The Company will provide for public notice of the tariff changes in this filing by means of newspaper publication once a week of four consecutive weeks prior to the effective date for the proposed tariff changes. Enclosed is a proposed form of Notice of Proposed Rule Making for publications in the State Register pursuant to the State Administrative Procedures Act.

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

Very truly yours,

/s/

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