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Honorable Jeffrey C. Cohen
Acting Secretary
State of New York
Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
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May 24, 2013

Re: Case 13-G-0156, Area Growth Program

Dear Acting Secretary Cohen:

By the letter dated April 1, 2013, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("the Company") filed with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") tariff amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 9 – Gas ("the Tariff"), to become effective July 1, 2013. The amendments to the Gas Tariff include adding a provision to General Rule III that would establish a New York City Clean Heat Area Growth Program in order to facilitate the City's Clean Heat Program and its goal of achieving fewer emissions through a required phase out of the use of No. 4 and No. 6 heating oil.

Department of Public Service Staff has requested a postponement of the effective date of the proposed tariffs to August 19, 2013, to allow time for further review of the proposed changes.

The Company accordingly files Supplement No. 47 to postpone the effective date of the tariff amendments included in its April 1, 2013 filing to August 19, 2013. Supplement No. 47 is issued May 24, 2013, with an effective date of June 23, 2013. The Company also respectively requests waiver of notice requirements of the proposed change in the effective date.

Sincerely,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

/s/ William A. Atzl, Jr.
Director, Rate Engineering Department