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

RE: Case 14-M-0224, Community Choice Aggregation

Dear Secretary Burgess:

By letter dated August 5, 2016, Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") filed with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 4 – Gas, to become effective November 28, 2016.

The filing was made in compliance with the Commission's <u>Order Authorizing Framework for Community Choice Aggregation Opt-out Program</u>, issued April 21, 2016, in Case 14-M-0224, "Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Enable Community Choice Aggregation Programs." On October 18, 2016, at the request of Commission Staff, the Company filed a postponement of the effective date of the proposed tariff amendments to February 28, 2017, in order to allow time for further review of the proposed changes. Commission Staff has requested a further postponement of the effective date of the proposed tariff amendments to May 1, 2017. The Company accordingly files Supplement No. 65 to postpone the effective date of the tariff amendments included in its August 5, 2016 filing. Supplement No. 65 is issued January 16, 2017 with an effective date of February 17, 2017.

The Company requests waiver of newspaper publication of the proposed tariff changes since the Company has already completed publication of the proposed tariff changes; this filing only serves to postpone the effective date of the Company's August 5, 2016 filing.

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

Sincerely,

/s/

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