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December 7, 2015

Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess, Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Office of the Secretary Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

**RE:** Case 14-E-0488 – In the Matter of the Continuation of Standby Rate Exemptions

**Order Denying Rehearing and Making Other Findings** 

Dear Secretary Burgess:

The enclosed leaf issued by Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid ("National Grid") is being transmitted for filing in compliance with the Commission's Order issued November 25, 2015 in the above case number (the "Order").

Seventh Revised Leaf No. 418

To PSC No. 220 Electricity

Effective: December 8, 2015

On April 20, 2015, the Commission issued the Exemption Expansion Order in the above proceeding extending the standby rate exemption to May 31, 2019. The Exemption Expansion Order also expanded the standby rate exemption to encompass certain combined heat and power ("CHP") facilities, sized between 1 MW and up to 15 MW installed before May 31, 2019 that would otherwise be subject to standby rates, to choose standard delivery rates for a period of four years.

On June 1, 2015 the Secretary issued a Notice Concerning Petitions for Rehearing in this proceeding based on filed petitions for rehearing of the Exemption Expansion Order. On November 25, 2015 the Commission issued the Order establishing that the changes requested in the petitions for rehearing did not justify changes to the standby rate exemptions for new CHP facilities as directed in the Exemption Expansion Order.

This purpose of this filing is to revise Service Classification No. 7 – Standby Service to incorporate the CHP exemption as directed in the Exemption Expansion Order. Attachment 1, included with this filing, contains a redlined leaf indicating where the changes have occurred.

Ordering Clause 2 of the Exemption Expansion Order waived the requirements of Public Service Law §66(12)(b) as to newspaper publication of these tariff amendments.

If you have any questions concerning this filing, please call Patricia Rivers at (315) 428-6833.

Sincerely,

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