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Kathleen H. Burgess Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission 3 Empire State Plaza, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor Albany, New York 12223

Dear Secretary Burgess:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("the Company") herein submits for electronic filing its Statement of Energy Cost Adjustment, Statement No. ECA-43, to its Schedule for Electric Service, P.S.C. No. 3 – ELECTRICITY. This statement is issued September 28, 2015 to become effective October 1, 2015.

The Energy Cost Adjustment ("ECA") rates for October 2015 consist of Base ECA, Variable ECA, and Temporary Surcharge components. The Variable ECA: (a) recovers the charges/credits relating to Transmission Congestion Contracts on a monthly basis, pursuant to the Commission's Order issued January 27, 2006, in Case No. 05-E-1090, and (b) recovers program costs on an as-incurred basis for Riders D, E, and F pursuant to the Commission's Order issued June 18, 2015 in Case Nos. 14-E-0423 and 15-E-0191. The Temporary Surcharge components are set to recover approximately \$1.5 million over the 12-month period ending June 30, 2016, pursuant to the Commission's Order issued June 15, 2012 in Case No. 11-E-0408.

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

Sincerely,

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