



July 24, 2015

## **VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 15-E-0033 - New York State Electric & Gas Corporation

Case 15-E-0035 - Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation

Tariff Filings to Effectuate Amendments to Public Service Law §66-j (Net Metering for Non-Residential Farm Waste or Fuel Cell Electric Generating Equipment) and Conforming Changes to Standardized Interconnection Requirements.

#### Dear Secretary Burgess:

The enclosed tariff leaves and Standardized Interconnection Requirements Addendums, issued by New York State Electric & Gas Corporation and Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation (together the "Companies") are transmitted for filing in compliance with the requirements of the New York Public Service Commission's (the "Commission <u>Order Approving Tariff Filings</u>, issued and effective on July 20, 2015 (the "Order"), in the above referenced proceedings. The leaves and Addenda will become effective on July 27, 2015.

### P.S.C. No. 119 – Electric, Schedule for Electric Service

Addendum SIR - Standardized Interconnection Requirements, Addendum No. 12

### P.S.C. No. 120 – Electric, Schedule for Electric Service

Leaf No. 116, Revision 12 Leaf No. 117.38, Revision 9



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### P.S.C. No. 19 – Electric, Schedule for Electric Service

Leaf No. 160.39.3.2, Revision 5 Addendum SIR – Standardized Interconnection Requirements, Addendum No. 13

### **Purpose of the Filing**

The Companies are filing tariff amendments for the SIR Addendums in compliance with Ordering Clause No. 2 of the Order to implement changes necessary to effectuate the amendments related to non-residential farm waste and fuel cell electric generating equipment. The Companies are also filing tariff amendments in compliance with Ordering Clause No. 3 of the Order to incorporate previously approved provisions since the tariff amendments were filed<sup>1</sup>.

On May 4, 2015, amendments to the tariff to provide for the increase in the cap. The Order approved tariff changes to allow non-residential customers to install farm waste generation at their premises and be able to participate in Farm Waste net metering provisions. Additionally, the tariffs had been revised to increase the rated capacity of fuel cell electric generating equipment from 1,500 kW to 2,000 kW and be eligible for net metering. The revisions herein reflect the consolidation of the approved changes.

## **Publication**

Requirements of Public Service Law Section 66 (12) (b) as to newspaper publication of the tariff revisions are waived pursuant to the Ordering Clause No. 4.

If there are any questions concerning this filing, please call Kathy Grande at (585)771-4514 or me at (607)762-8710.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Enclosures** 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On May 4, 2015, amendments to the tariff to provide for the increase in the cap. The Commission's Order approved te reviionrevision submitted today consolidates