



October 19, 2016

Hon. Kathleen H. Burgess
Secretary
Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12123-1350

**Re: Case No. 14-M-0224 – Postponement of Proposed Tariff
Amendment by National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation**

Dear Secretary Burgess:

National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation (“Distribution” or the “Company”) submits the following amendment to its tariff, P.S.C. No. 8 - GAS:

Supplement No. 54

The proposed Supplement is issued as of today is issued on 30 days’ notice and has an effective date of November 19, 2016.

On August 5, 2016, Distribution submitted a proposed tariff amendment (“August 5 Filing”) in compliance with Ordering Clause 4 of *Order Authorizing Framework for Community Choice Aggregation Opt-Out Program*, issued and effective on April 21, 2016 in the above referenced case. At the request of Department of Public Service Staff (“Staff”), Distribution is filing the instant supplement to postpone the effective date of the tariff amendment to March 1, 2017 to provide more time for Staff review.

Consistent with the waiver sought in the August 5 Filing, the Company also respectfully requests waiver of any publication requirements in the Public Service Law and corresponding regulations.

For questions relating to this filing, please contact the undersigned at (716) 857-7884.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Michael E. Novak".

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