



## Lori A. Cole Manager - Regulatory & Tariffs

June 1, 2023

### VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Honorable Michelle L. Phillips Secretary New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 19-E-0378 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of New York State Electric & Gas Corporation for Electric Service.

Case 19-G-0379 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of the New York State Electric & Gas Corporation for Gas Service.

Case 19-E-0380 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation for Electric Service.

Case 19-G-0381 – Proceeding on the Motion of the Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of the Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation for Gas Service.

Rate Adjustment Mechanism

#### Dear Secretary Phillips:

In compliance with the Public Service Commission's <u>Order Approving Electric & Gas Rate Plans in Accord with Joint Proposal, with Modifications</u>, issued and effective November 19, 2020, New York State Electric & Gas Corporation ("NYSEG") and Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation ("RG&E") (together "the Companies") are hereby filing the following Rate Adjustment Mechanism ("RAM") Statements to be effective July 1, 2023.

RAM Statement No. 5 to PSC 120 Electricity

RAM Statement No. 5 to PSC 121 Electricity

RAM Statement No. 3 to PSC 87 Gas

RAM Statement No. 3 to PSC 88 Gas

RAM Statement No. 7 to PSC 18 Electricity

RAM Statement No. 7 to PSC 19 Electricity

RAM Statement No. 3 to PSC 16 Gas



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A RAM Compliance Filing setting forth the preliminary rates by service classification was submitted to the Commission on March 31, 2023. In the RAM Compliance Filing, the Companies indicated that NYSEG Electric had a qualifying regulatory asset balance that exceeded the total dollar threshold for full application of the RAM mechanism. The other three businesses (NYSEG Gas, RG&E Electric, and RG&E Gas) would only recover the COVID-related bill credits.

As set forth in Appendix W of the Companies' Joint Proposal, an informational meeting was held with interested parties on April 24, 2023. Based upon discussions during the meeting, and a subsequent review process, it has been determined that RG&E Electric also has a qualifying regulatory asset balance that exceeds their total dollar threshold for full application of the RAM mechanism. Therefore, both electric businesses are hereby filing surcharge rates to recover the COVID-related bill credits (Type 1) and qualifying regulatory asset balance (Type 2 deferrals). The two gas businesses will be recovering the COVID-related bill credits (Type 1) only. The filing of the RAM is in accordance with the Companies' filed tariffs. The RAM Statements will be filed on not less than 30 days' notice.

# **Company Contacts**

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Respectfully submitted,

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**Enclosures**