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Honorable Michelle L. Phillips
Secretary to the Commission
New York State Public Service Commission
Empire State Plaza Agency Building 3
Albany, New York 12223-1350

Re: Case No. 23-E-0708
Filing to Amend Pole Attachment Charges

Dear Secretary Phillips:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("O&R" or the "Company") hereby submits for filing with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission") the following tariff leaf proposing revisions to its Schedule for Electric Service P.S.C. No. 3 – ELECTRICITY (the "Electric Tariff").

<u>Leaf No.</u>	<u>Revision No.</u>	<u>Superseding No.</u>
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This revised tariff leaf is issued February 2, 2024, to become effective May 1, 2024.

Reason for Filing and Proposed Tariff Change

By letter dated December 7, 2023, O&R filed with the Commission proposed revisions to General Information Section No. 12.2 – Pole Attachment Charges of the Electric Tariff to update the charge applicable to span wire and wireless pole attachments (the "December Filing"). During discussions with Commission Staff, the Company identified that further revisions to the calculation of the span wire and wireless pole attachment charges included in the December Filing were required.¹ The Company is making this filing to include the updated charges. The Company has re-calculated the charge for span wire pole attachments to be \$26.55 per attachment per year and the charge for wireless pole attachments to be \$26.55 multiplied by the number of feet occupied.²

¹ On Page 3 of 4 in Attachment 1, the Company updated the taxes element, gross plant investment, and depreciation. In addition, the Company updated the pre-tax cost Rate of Return percent in its revised Pole Attachment workpapers from 8.38% to 8.34% percent.

² In the December Filing the proposed annual span wire attachment charge was \$26.88 per attachment and the wireless pole attachment charge was \$26.88.

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Conclusion and Notice

The Company is filing this tariff leaf with an effective date of May 1, 2024. The Company requests a waiver of the requirement for newspaper publication of the rate change. As required in General Information Section No. 12.2 of the Tariff, a copy of this revised filing will be sent to all cable television companies and telecommunication carriers that currently attach facilities to the Company's poles.

Please direct any questions regarding this filing to Cheryl Ruggiero at (212) 460-3189.

Very truly yours,

/s/

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