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**CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.
4 Irving Place
New York, NY 10003**

Hon. Debra Renner
Acting Secretary
State of New York
Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223

Dear Secretary Renner:

By letter dated July 29, 1999, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("the Company") filed with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") tariff amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 9 - Gas to conform its PSC No. 9 tariff to revisions that were made to its PSC No. 8 tariff concerning veterans' organizations that became effective December 18, 1998.

The Commission staff has requested a postponement of the effective date of the proposed tariffs to September 17, 1999. Accordingly, the Company hereby submits for filing Supplement No. 2 to its gas schedule, postponing to September 17, 1999, the effective date of the tariff leaves filed on July 29, 1999.

The Company respectfully requests that the Commission authorized this supplement to become effective on or before September 1, 1999 and that the requirements for newspaper publication be waived.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

By: _____
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