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NYSEG

May 22, 1997

Honorable John C. Crary
Secretary
Public Service Commission
3 Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12223

Re: Case No. 97-G-0758

Dear Secretary Crary:

The enclosed revised leaves, issued by New York State Electric & Gas Corporation ("NYSEG" or "Company"), are transmitted for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Public Service Commission of the State of New York.

Second	Revised Leaf No. 24	to PSC 87 Gas
Second	Revised Leaf No. 25	to PSC 87 Gas

Effective May 23, 1997.

Reasons for Proposed Revisions

These leaves are being filed on one day's notice in compliance with Commission order dated May 20, 1997 in the above-referenced case.

On March 7, 1997, the Commission approved NYSEG's new electronic tariff schedule, PSC No. 87. Further review of the new schedule by staff revealed incorrect wording in the minimum charge section of Service Classification No. 3. On April 24, 1997, NYSEG filed changes to the minimum charge provision of Service Classification No. 3 to clarify the intent of the provision. Staff reviewed the Company's proposed tariff provision and recommended further revision.

Proposed Revisions

The Company's April 24, 1997 revision removed the words "reduced by" from the provision, "In the event that service is interrupted by the Company in accordance with the terms of this service classification, then the Minimum Charge shall be reduced by the ratio of the number of days that service is available to the Customer for a full day to the total number of days in the service period." The Commission approved the removal of the inappropriate words but recommended that further revisions be made so the provision now states, "In the event that service is interrupted by the company in accordance with the terms of this service classification, then the Minimum Charge shall be multiplied by the ratio of the number of days that service is available to the customer for a full day to the total number of days in the service period."

Newspaper Publication & SAPA

Ordering paragraph No. 2 of the Commission's May 20, 1997 order grants waiver of newspaper publication.

Special Requests

NYSEG requests a waiver from the applicable sections of 16 NYCRR Part 270 to allow for the new electronic format.

Company Contacts

If you have any questions regarding this tariff revision, please contact Donna Slater at (607)762-8007.

Very Truly Yours,

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