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June 14, 2002

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

Hon. Janet Deixler Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Re: Case No. 00-M-0504

Dear Secretary Deixler:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison" or "the Company") is filing today with the Public Service Commission ("the Commission") amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service -PSC No. 9 - Gas.

Fourth Revised Leaf No. 363, Second Revised Leaf No. 391.1, Third Revised Leaf No. 391.4 and Original Leaf No. 397.3 are issued June 14, 2002 to become effective June 15, 2002.

Reason for Filing

The Company is filing a tariff amendment to comply with the Commission's Order in Case 00-M-0504, <u>Order Concerning ESCO Deposits and Prepayments</u>, issued and effective May 9, 2002. ("May 9 Order"). The Company is incorporating tariff language that delineates the rules that the Commission has promulgated and that Marketers must follow before they begin to accept deposits and pre-payments from their customers.

Summary of the Proposed Changes

Pursuant to the May 9 Order, the Company is filing a tariff amendment to incorporate Commission rules that Marketers must follow before they accept customer deposits and prepayments. These requirements have been added to Service Classification No. 20 as Miscellaneous Provision (S).

Conclusion

Ordering Clause 1 of the Commission's Order required the Company to file tariff changes on not less than one day's notice within 30 days of the issue date of the Order. The Company requested and received a postponement to file no later than June 14, 2002. Thus this filing is being issued on one day's notice, with an effective date of June 15, 2002. Ordering Clause 2 waived the requirements for newspaper publication. The Company is serving copies of this filing by e-mail to all energy service companies serving gas transportation customers in the Company's service area.¹

Respectfully submitted,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

By:_____ Joel H. Charkow

¹Please note that on June 10, 2002, the Company filed a request for rehearing of the May 9, 2002 Order on this proceeding. The Company will make further adjustments to its Rate Schedule consistent with the Commission's disposition of that rehearing request.