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

Ms. Janet Deixler Secretary Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Re: Statement of Balancing Service Charges No. 8

Dear Secretary Deixler:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison" or "the Company") is filing today the Statement of Balancing Service Charges No. 8, effective April 1, 2002, replacing the Statement of Balancing Service Charges No. 7 effective April 1, 2001. This filing is pursuant to the provisions of Con Edison's Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 9 - Gas, which allows the Company to periodically review and update the charges included in this Statement.

Statement of Balancing Service Charges No. 8 for Service Classification Nos. 9 and 20 Effective April 1, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

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