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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC. 4 Irving Place New York, New York 10003

October 11, 2002

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

Re: Case 99-G-1695

Dear Secretary Deixler:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits for filing Supplement No. 20 to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 4 - GAS.

This Supplement is issued October 11, 2002, to become effective November 10, 2002. The Company respectfully requests that Supplement No. 20 be allowed to go into effect on short notice on November 1, 2002.

This Supplement postpones until November 6, 2002, the effective dates of the tariff leaves filed by the Company on September 24, 2002 to become effective November 1, 2002.

The Company also requests that the requirement for newspaper publication of the changes filed today and for the changes filed on September 24, 2002 be waived.

Very truly yours,

William A. Atzl, Jr.

Manager - Electric and
Rate Design - O&R

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