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October 26, 2001

**Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.
4 Irving Place
New York, NY 10003**

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

Re: 01-G-1105

Dear Secretary Deixler:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits for filing Supplement No. 19 to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 4 - Gas.

This Supplement is issued October 26, 2001 with an effective date of November 26, 2001. The Company requests that this Supplement become effective on short notice, to be effective October 31, 2001.

This Supplement postpones until December 1, 2001 the effective date of the tariff amendments the Company had previously filed on August 10, 2001 to become effective November 1, 2001.

The above-referenced tariff amendments were filed to implement changes to the Company's gas tariff relating to interruptible sales, interruptible transportation, withdrawable sales, and withdrawable transportation service. Supplement No. 19 is being filed at the request of Commission Staff to postpone these tariff amendments and provide Commission Staff additional time to review this filing prior to its consideration at the Commission's November 28, 2001 session.

The Company also respectfully requests that the requirement for newspaper publication of this filing be waived.

Sincerely,

William Atzl, Jr.
Manager- Electric and Gas Rate Design