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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

Dear Secretary Deixler:

By letter dated August 6, 2001, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("the Company") filed with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") tariff amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 9 - Gas, to become effective November 1, 2001, related to service to interruptible and off-peak firm customers taking service under Service Classification Nos. 9 and 12.

At the request of Commission Staff, the Company hereby requests that the effective date of the tariff amendments be postponed to December 1, 2001 to provide Commission Staff additional time to review this filing prior to its consideration at the Commission's November 28, 2001 session.

The Company accordingly files Supplement No. 13 to postpone the effective date of the tariff amendments in its August 6th filing to December 1, 2001. Supplement No. 13 is issued October 18, 2001 with an effective date of November 18, 2001. The Company requests that Supplement No. 13 become effective on short notice on October 31, 2001 and that the requirements for newspaper publication be waived.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

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