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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.
One Blue Hill Plaza
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October 19, 1999

Honorable Debra Renner
Acting Secretary
State of New York
Department of Public Service
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223

Re: Compliance Filing - Case No. 97-G-1380

Dear Acting Secretary Renner:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits for filing Statement No. QSW-15 to its Schedule for Gas Service P.S.C. No. 4 - GAS.

This statement is issued October 19, 1999, to become effective November 1, 1999. This filing is submitted in compliance with the Commission's Order Requiring Modifications to Standby Capacity Service issued and effective October 15, 1999. In accordance with the above-referenced order, the Company's Standby Capacity Rate under Service Classification No. 12 has been set at \$0.35/Dth.

Please note that the other rates on the attached statement have been left blank. These rates fluctuate each month and the November rates are not yet available. The Company will file Statement No. QSW-16, including all applicable November rates, along with its monthly Gas Adjustment Clause filing. This filing will be made not less than three days prior to the November 1, 1999 effective date.

Included with this filing is the General Filing Information Form. Questions regarding this filing can be directed to me at (914) 577-2963.

Very truly yours,

William A. Atzl, Jr.
Manager - Regulatory Affairs