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NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION
A **National Grid** Company
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September 24, 2002

Honorable Janet Hand Deixler
State of New York
Public Service Commission
Office of the Secretary, 19th Floor
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223

RE: Case No. 02-G-0769

Dear Secretary Deixler:

The enclosed leaves, issued by Niagara Mohawk are transmitted for filing in accordance with the requirements of the Public Service Commission, State of New York:

Fourth Revised Leaf No. 71
First Revised Leaf No. 93.2

To P.S.C. No. 218 Gas

Effective: November 1, 2002

On June 13, 2002, the Company filed revisions to Rule 16 - Special Services Performed By Company for Customer at a Charge. Specifically, the filing added Rule 16.4 in order to allow customers to request the Company provide demand pulse capability on their gas meters to enable the customer to receive electronic pulse information for input into customer-owned energy management systems. The June 13, 2002 filing also modified Rule 13.5 which contains procedures for customers who are required to install Approved Remote Meters (ARMs).

On September 19, 2002, the Commission approved the Company's June 13, 2002 filing subject to revisions providing for an allowance of one "no-charge" visit per ARM customer when the problem is determined to reside solely with the customer's equipment.

The above listed tariff leaves are filed in compliance with the Commission's September 19, 2002 Order. As required by Ordering Paragraph 2, the tariff revisions are being filed effective November 1, 2002.

In accordance with Ordering Paragraph 3 of the September 29 Order, newspaper publication required by 16NYCRR 720-8.1 has been waived.

Please address any questions regarding this filing directly to Paula Relyea at (315) 428-5835. Please advise the undersigned of any action taken in regards to this filing.

Sincerely,

Received: 9/24/2002

Marcia G. Collier
Manager, Gas Rates

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