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

December 28, 1999

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

Re: Case 98-G-1785 Suspension Supplement

Dear Acting Secretary Renner:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits for filing Supplement No. 8 to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 4 - GAS.

This filing is in compliance with the Commission's Order entitled <u>Further Suspension of Proposed Tariff Filings</u>, issued and effective December 22, 1999 in Case No. 98-G-1785.

The tariff amendments listed in the Supplement are suspended to and including June 30, 2000, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission.

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

Very truly yours,

William A. Atzl, Jr.

Manager - Electric and
Rate Design - O&R

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