

**CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.**  
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Hon. Jaclyn A. Brilling  
Secretary  
State of New York  
Public Service Commission  
Three Empire State Plaza  
Albany, N.Y. 12223-1350

RE: Case Number 06-G-1332

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison" or the "Company") is filing today with the Public Service Commission ("the Commission") amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service ("the Schedule"), PSC No. 9 - Gas. The changes to the Schedule are set forth in the following attached tariff leaf, which bears an effective date of October 1, 2008 and a notation that the leaf is issued in compliance with the Commission's Order dated September 18, 2008 ("September 2008 Order") in the subject case.<sup>1</sup>

Leaf 177      Revision 5  
Superseding      Revision 4

**Reasons for the Proposed Changes**

The Joint Proposal in the subject case provided for a three-year gas rate plan covering the period October 1, 2007 through September 30, 2010 ("Gas Rate Plan"). The Gas Rate Plan authorized the Company to implement a Gas Energy Efficiency Program and to enter into a funding agreement with NYSERDA for a maximum of \$14 million in program costs for the period from October 1, 2007 to September 30, 2008 ("Rate Year 1"). The Gas Rate Plan also required the formation of a collaborative ("the Collaborative") to develop a Gas Energy Efficiency Program for the periods October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2009 ("Rate Year 2") and

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<sup>1</sup> Case 06-G-1332, *Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. for Gas Service*, Order Continuing Gas Energy Efficiency Programs, issued and effective September 18, 2008.

October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010 ("Rate Year 3"). The Collaborative held its first meeting on September 6, 2007 and issued its final report on April 15, 2008. As a result of the Collaborative and subsequent comments received from the parties, the Commission issued the September 2008 Order which addressed the Gas Energy Efficiency Program for Rate Years 2 and 3.

### **Summary of Proposed Changes**

The September 2008 Order extended the Gas Energy Efficiency Program through Rate Years 2 and 3, and established a funding level for Rate Year 2 of \$14 million with an additional \$420,000 added for enhanced evaluation. Leaf 177 has been modified to include relevant language extending the Gas Energy Efficiency Program through Rate Year 2.

### **Conclusion**

In accordance with Ordering Clause 7 of the September 2008 Order, the Company has filed the tariff changes to become effective October 1, 2008 on not less than 1 day's notice. In addition, pursuant to Ordering Clause 7, the requirements of Section 66 (12) (b) of the Public Service law as to newspaper publication of the changes proposed by this filing have been waived.

The Company is serving copies of this filing upon all parties to this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,  
Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.

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