

August 16, 2005

Jaclyn A. Brillling, Secretary  
State of New York Department of Public Service  
Three Empire State Plaza  
Albany, New York 12223-1350

Dear Secretary Brillling:

Bethel Water Company, Inc. (Bethel) is formally requesting the Staff of the Water Rates Section of the Department of Public Service to electronically file on its behalf, as a compliance filing in C. 03-W-0763 (Order Clause No. 3) an electronic tariff under its own name, Bethel Water Company, Inc. to its P.S.C. No. 1 – Water, to become effective October 1, 2005.

Bethel also requests waiver of newspaper publication of the proposed change.

Sincerely,

Steven Silverman, President