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Effective Date

August 30, 2005

Honorable Jaclyn A. Brilling Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. (the "Company"), hereby submits for filing each of the following statements to its Schedule for Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 4 Gas ("Gas Tariff"):

| Statement of Gas Supply Charge No. GSC-59 | September 1, 2005 |
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| Statement of Natural Gas Vehicle Rates No. NGV-97 | August 31, 2005 |
| Statement of Interruptible Gas Rates No. IGR-97 | August 31, 2005 |
| Statement of Dual Fuel Gas Rates No. DFR-97 | August 31, 2005 |
| Statement of Interruptible Transportation and Supplemental | - |
| Sales Charges No. ITSS-97 | August 31, 2005 |

These statements were originally filed on August 26, 2005. However, the Company's expected cost of gas for September 2005 has increased significantly. As specified on Leaf 78.1 of the Gas Tariff, a new statement may be filed on one day's notice to become effective not more than five days after the effective date of the initial statement if the replacement of cost estimates in the initial statement with actual figures results in a change in the average cost of gas of more than five percent.

Any questions regarding this filing can be directed to me at (212) 460-3308.

Very truly yours,

William A. Atzl, Jr. Director – O&R Rates

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