

**THE BROOKLYN UNION GAS COMPANY
d/b/a KEYSPAN ENERGY DELIVERY NEW YORK
One MetroTech Center
Brooklyn, New York 11201**

March 31, 2003

Honorable Janet H. Deixler
Secretary
New York State Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12223

Re: Case No. 02-G-1308

Dear Secretary Deixler:

Attached for filing electronically with the Commission is Supplement No. 18 to the Schedule of Gas Service, P.S.C. No. 12-Gas issued by The Brooklyn Union Gas Company d/b/a/ KeySpan Energy Delivery New York to become effective April 30, 2003.

The purpose of this filing is to postpone until May 24, 2003, the effective date of the tariff leaves filed for the Company's Application for Non-Residential Service. This postponement is requested to allow for further review by Commission Staff.

The Company requests permission for this supplement to become effective on April 23, 2003 and a waiver from the Commission's regulation's governing newspaper publication of the enclosed tariff provisions.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact Eileen O'Brien at 718-403-2916.

Sincerely,

THE BROOKLYN UNION GAS COMPANY
d/b/a KEYSPAN ENERGY DELIVERY NEW YORK

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