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

RE: Case 04-G-0999

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("O&R" or "the Company") is filing today with the Public Service Commission ("the Commission") Postponement Supplement No. 37 to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 4 – Gas ("Gas tariff").

On August 11, 2004, the Company filed with the Commission proposed tariff leaves to implement additional eligibility requirements for new customers taking interruptible transportation service under Service Classification ("SC") No. 8 of the O&R Gas tariff. The proposed tariff leaves bear an initial effective date on November 1, 2004.

On September 21, 2004, the Company filed changes to two of the tariff leaves filed on August 11, 2004 and to two SC No. 13 tariff leaves to correct for a typographical error. The tariff leaves filed on September 21, 2004 also bear an initial effective date of November 1, 2004.

By orders issued October 19, 2004 and November 16, 2004, the Commission postponed the effective date of the tariff leaves filed on August 11, 2004 and September 21, 2004 to December 1, 2004 and to January 1, 2005. The Company respectfully requests that the effective date of the proposed tariff leaves be postponed an additional month, to February 1, 2005, in order to give the Company time to file revisions to the tariff leaves agreed to by the Company and Staff.

Accordingly, the Company files today Supplement No. 37 postponing until February 1, 2005 the proposed tariff leaves filed on August 11, 2004 and on September 21, 2004. The Company respectfully requests that the requirement for newspaper publication of the change proposed by the supplement be waived.

Please direct any questions pertaining to this filing to me at (212) 460-3308.

Respectfully submitted,

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Director – O&R Rates