

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.
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September 8, 2004

Hon. Jaclyn A. Brillling
Secretary
State of New York
Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223

Dear Secretary Brillling:

By letters dated July 15, 2004 and August 20, 2004, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("the Company") filed with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") tariff amendments to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 9 – Gas ("the Tariff"), to become effective September 23, 2004, related to the addition of an application form to the Tariff for Distributed Generation customers.

At the request of the Commission Staff, the Company hereby requests a postponement of the tariff amendments to October 22, 2004.

The Company accordingly files Supplement No. 20 to postpone the effective date of the tariff amendments in its July 15th and August 20th filings to October 22, 2004. Supplement No. 20 is issued September 8, 2004, with an effective date of October 8, 2004. The Company requests that Supplement No. 20 be put into effect on short notice, on September 23, 2004, and that the requirements for newspaper publication be waived.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

By: _____

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