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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-0982

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("O&R" or "the Company") is filing today with the Public Service Commission ("the Commission") Cancellation Supplement No. 34 to its Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 4 – Gas ("Gas tariff").

On August 10, 2004, the Company filed with the Commission changes to its Gas tariff to include as part of its tariff a supplementary application form for service to customers with gas-fired distributed generation facilities applying for Rider B. The tariff leaves filed by the Company on August 10, 2004 bear an effective date of November 1, 2004.

On September 29, 2004, the Company filed with the Commission, at the request of Staff, changes to the tariff leaves filed by the Company on August 10, 2004 to remove the supplementary application form from the tariff and to include the form instead in the Company's Gas Transportation Operating Procedures ("GTOP"). The tariff leaves filed on September 29, 2004 also bear an effective date of November 1, 2004.

At Staff's request, the Company is now withdrawing both its August 10, 2004 filing and its September 29, 2004 filing. Pursuant to consultation with Staff, a form for service to customers with gas-fired distributed generation facilities applying for Rider B will be provided by the Company pursuant to the Gas tariff, but will not be included as part of the Company's Gas tariff or its GTOP.

Accordingly, the Company files today Supplement No. 34 canceling the tariff leaves filed by the Company on August 10, 2004 and September 29, 2004. The Company respectfully requests that Supplement No. 34 be allowed to go into effect on short notice on November 1, 2004, and that the requirement of newspaper publication 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