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

Re: Case 11-E-0299, Standby Service Rates

Dear Secretary Brilling:

On March 19, 2012, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. (the "Company") made a tariff filing with the Public Service Commission (the "Commission"), proposing changes to its Schedule for Electricity, P.S.C. No. 10 – Electricity and to its Schedule for PASNY Delivery Service, P.S.C. No. 12 – Electricity, in compliance with the Commission's <u>Order Approving Tariff Amendments With Modifications</u>, issued and effective November 17, 2011, in Case 11-E-0299, "Tariff filing by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. to Revise Service Classification No. 14-RA – Standby Service." The tariff changes were proposed to become effective June 22, 2012.

At the request of the Staff of the Department of Public Service, the Company agreed to postpone to July 23, 2012, and, later, to August 23, 2012, the effective date of the tariff changes that were filed on March 19, 2012.

On July 6, 2012, the Company filed cancelation Supplement No. 4 to P.S.C. No. 12 to cancel two leaves that were filed on March 19, 2012 (Leaf No. 13 and Leaf No. 14 of P.S.C. No. 12 – Electricity), and to issue updated versions of those leaves to incorporate changes that became effective April 1, 2012, in Case 09-E-0428 and Case 12-E-0009. The updated tariff leaves were issued with an effective date of August 23, 2012.

At Staff's request, the Company is further postponing to September 24, 2012, the effective date of the tariff changes filed on March 19 and July 6, 2012. Accordingly, the Company hereby submits Supplement No. 6 to P.S.C. No. 10 – Electricity and Supplement No. 5 to P.S.C. No. 12 - Electricity.

These Supplements are issued on 30 days' notice and have an effective date of August 31, 2012. However, since the tariff leaves currently have a proposed effective date of August 23, 2012, the Company requests that it be authorized to put the Supplements filed today into effect on short notice, <u>i.e.</u>, August 23, 2012. The Company also respectfully requests waiver of notice requirements of the proposed change in the effective date.

Sincerely,

/s/ Christine Colletti Director Rate Engineering Department