



June 7, 2012

**VIA ELECTRONIC SERVICE**

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

RE: Case 11-E-0176 – In the Matter of the Commission’s  
Implementation of Certain Provisions of the Recharge  
New York Power Program Act  
New York State Electric & Gas Corporation Tariff  
Filing

Der Secretary Brillling:

The enclosed tariff leaf, issued by New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (“NYSEG” or “the Company”) is transmitted for filing in compliance with Appendix 7-H (electronic tariff filing system) of the New York State Public Service Commission’s (“PSC” or “Commission”) Codes, Rules and Regulations (16 NYCRR Appendix 7-H).

PSC No. 120 – Electricity, Schedule for Electric Service

Leaf No. 27, Revision 6

Effective July 7, 2012.

**Overview**

By its Order, issued and effective January 20, 2012, in the above-referenced proceeding, the Commission approved, on a permanent basis, the Company’s tariff changes that were filed to implement discounted delivery rates for commercial and industrial customers who qualify for

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and receive Recharge New York (“RNY”) power allocations<sup>1</sup>. According to NYSEG’s tariff, the RNY billing change will become effective with the next full billing period that is practicable after the receipt of the notification of the change.

**Request**

The Company has recognized there is a potential for a customer that is taking service under the Special Provision for Power For Jobs (“PFJ”) to experience a loss of economic benefits from the termination of the PFJ program<sup>2</sup> until the customer begins receiving the economic benefit under RNY. Therefore, NYSEG is proposing a tariff amendment to allow customers who were formerly served under the Special Provision for Power For Jobs to be billed under RNY as of July 1, 2012, if NYPA has provided prior written notice of all information necessary for billing. Without this change, the Company will not be able to commence billing the customer under RNY until the customer’s next cycle billing date.

**Conclusion and Publication**

The Company respectfully requests waiver of the public notice requirements pursuant to Section 66(12)(b) of the Public Service Law of the proposed tariff change as it will affect only a small number of customers.

In accordance with 16 NYCRR 720-2.4, NYSEG respectfully requests special permission for emergency adoption of this tariff amendment and for the tariff amendment to become effective on July 1, 2012, as it will ensure economic benefits appropriately continue for customers who receive RNY and therefore is in the public interest.

If there are any questions concerning this filing, please call Sue Morien at (585) 771-4741 or me at (607) 762-8710.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosure

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<sup>1</sup> The customer’s allocation of RNY power will be exempt from paying the following surcharges: System Benefits Charge (“SBC”), Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard (“EEPS”), and the Renewable Portfolio Standard (“RPS”). Furthermore, the RNY allocation will be exempt from the Companies’ Revenue Decoupling Mechanism (“RDM”) Adjustment

<sup>2</sup> The PFJ program will end June 30, 2012.