

Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. 4 Irving Place New York, NY 10003-0987

May 15, 2013

Via electronic mail

Honorable Jeffrey C. Cohen Acting Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: PSC Case No. 09-E-0428 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to the Rates,

Charges, Rules and Regulations of Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. for

Electric Service

Dear Acting Secretary Cohen:

Pursuant to the New York Public Service Commission's Order establishing the Electric Rate Plan for Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Order"), issued March 26, 2010 in the above-referenced proceeding, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("CECONY" or the "Company") hereby submits for filing the electric earnings report for Rate Year 3 ("RY3"), i.e., the twelve months ended March 31, 2013, as well as the cumulative earnings report for Rate Year 2 ("RY2"), i.e., the twelve months ended March 31, 2012, and RY3.

If the level of earnings exceeds a common equity return of 10.65% for RY2 and RY3 on a cumulative basis, the Order (p.15) provides for a portion of the earnings to be deferred for the benefit of customers.

As set forth in Attachment 1 to this letter, CECONY's earned rate of return on electric common equity capital for RY3 was 9.40% and was 9.58% cumulatively over RY2 and RY3. Since the Company's actual operating results on a cumulative basis for RY2 and RY3 were below the earnings sharing threshold of 10.65 percent, there are no shared earnings to be allocated between CECONY's customers and shareholders.

If you or any members of your staff have any questions regarding this report, please call me at (212) 460-2884 or Richard Kane at (212) 460-6634.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Joseph Miller Assistant Controller

#### Attachment

c: Via electronic mail
Active Parties, Doris Stout, John Scherer, Kevin Higgins, Michael Summa, Claude Daniel

### CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. CALCULATION OF RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY PER THE 2010 ELECTRIC SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2013 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

	12 Months Ended March 31,			arch 31,	Rate Year 2&3		
		2012		2013		Total	
OPERATING INCOME (ADJUSTED)	\$	1,189,532	\$	1,177,633	\$	2,367,165 (A)	
AVERAGE RATE BASE	\$	15,875,859	\$	16,235,240	\$	32,111,099 (B)	
RATE OF RETURN ON RATE BASE		7.49%		7.25%		7.37%	
RATE OF RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY		9.74%		9.40%		9.58% (C)	
RATE OF RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY - SHARING THRESHOLD		10.65%		10.65%		10.65%	

(A) Please refer to Attachment 2 for the calculation of the adjusted operating income. Please note the reported operating income for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012 submitted last year showed operating income of \$1.198 billion and an earned Return on Equity of 9.84%. The amounts reported were not adjusted to eliminate an incentive the Company earned as a result of the property tax true-up mechanism. After eliminating the incentive, equivalent to \$7.9 million (net of income taxes), operating income was reduced from \$1.198 billion to \$1.190 billion and the return on common equity decreased from 9.84% to 9.74%.

<sup>(</sup>B) See Attachment 3 (C) See Attachment 4

#### CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. ELECTRIC OPERATING INCOME <u>TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2013</u> (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

	12 Months End		ded M	arch 31,	Rate Year 2&3	
		2012		2013		Total
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES	\$	8,364,836	\$	8,284,201	\$	16,649,037
PRODUCTION EXPENSES TRANSMISSION & DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES CUST. ACCTS., CUST. SERVICE AND ADMIN. & GENERAL EXPENSES		2,599,676 625,614 1,385,892		2,302,864 637,197 1,640,358		4,902,540 1,262,811 3,026,250
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		4,611,182		4,580,419		9,191,601
DEPRECIATION TAXES, OTHER THAN INCOME TAXES		668,158 1,451,828		720,423 1,390,644		1,388,581 2,842,472
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES BEFORE INCOME TAXES		6,731,168		6,691,486		13,422,654
OPERATING INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES		1,633,668		1,592,715		3,226,383
FEDERAL INCOME TAX STATE INCOME TAX		337,179 92,877		343,657 63,568		680,836 156,445
OPERATING INCOME AFTER INCOME TAXES - PER BOOKS		1,203,612		1,185,490		2,389,102
ADJUSTMENTS TO OPERATING INCOME, NET OF INCOME TAX:						
NYS GRT EXCESS DIVIDEND TAX REFUND - INCENTIVE REVERSAL OF ACCRUED EEPS REVENUE ADJUSTMENT 2011 ELECTRIC CAIDI REVENUE ADJUSTMENT EXCESS LIABILITY INSURANCE ADJUSTMENT (CASE 08-S-0153) RETENTION OF PROPERTY TAX REFUND - INCENTIVE RETENTION OF PROPERTY TAX TRUE-UP - INCENTIVE	\$	(6,375) (3,588) 3,032 873 (112) (7,910)	\$	- - 72 (19) (7,910)		(6,375) (3,588) 3,032 945 (131) (15,820)
		(14,080)		(7,857)		(21,937)
ADJUSTED OPERATING INCOME AFTER INCOME TAXES	\$	1,189,532	\$	1,177,633	\$	2,367,165

<sup>(</sup>a) See Attachment 5 for explanations of each adjustment.

State tax rate = 7.1%, federal tax rate = 35%, overall effective rate = 39.625%

#### CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

#### AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2013 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

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		_						 :	2012		201	-		Total
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				talization	_				315,40			(21,387		294,07
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				on Farrag	ut					59		20		389
					1999) - Net	of Tax			5,20			-		5,200
	rest Ne			(	,				1,9			484		2,442
				tigation C	osts				2,89			2,190		5,08
				rograms					50	52		285		84
tena	intenar	ance F	eserve						1,4	78		14,154		15,632
owe	Power	r							9	73		1,705		2,678
add	e addit	litions							1,325,3	35	1	,174,141		2,499,47
Fun	o Fund	d Tem	porary S	Surcharge	,				_			(41,012	)	(41,01
					ction - Net o	of Tax			(4,4	56)		(6,218		(10,67
dva	Advan	ances	or Cons	truction					(16,49			(15,202	,	(31,70
dva	Advan	ances	or Cons	truction -	59th Stree	t Gen. Stat	ion		(6,14	46)		(16,848	)	(22,99
Inc	ce Incer	entive	- Net of	Tax					(60	03)		(601	)	(1,20
					&M - Net of				(40	63)		(484	)	(94
					riation of P	roperty			(27,8	,		3,875		(24,01
				nue - Net						33)		(407	,	(990
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catio	acation	on							15,60			(1,556	,	14,05
			penses						(4,0			306		(3,74
	Revenu								109,3			66,594		175,97
			of Const	ruction					19,0			24,376		43,43
	ed Inter								11,4			10,939		22,41
			e Allowa	ance					2,90			2,969		5,93
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				4					(23,9)			(16,751		(40,65
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Real Time Pricing Program - Net of Tax
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Voluntary Load Reduction Program - Net of Tax
Direct Load Control Program - Net of Tax

# CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. AVERAGE CAPITALIZATION FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2013 (MILLIONS OF DOLLARS)

12 Months Ended March 31, 2013	<u>AMOL</u>	<u>JNT</u>	PERCENT	WEIGHTED COST	RATE OF <u>RETURN</u>
LONG-TERM DEBT	\$ 10,	060.9	48.59	% 5.20%	2.53%
PREFERRED STOCK		0.0	0.00	% 0.00%	0.00%
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	:	294.7	1.41	<u>%</u> 1.39%	0.02%
SUB-TOTAL	10,	355.6	50.00	%	2.55%
COMMON EQUITY	10,	525.7	50.00	<u>%</u> 9.40%	4.70%
TOTAL	\$ 20,	381.3	100.00	<u>%</u>	7.25%
12 Months Ended March 31, 2012	AMOL	<u>JNT</u>	PERCENT	WEIGHTED <u>COST</u>	RATE OF <u>RETURN</u>
LONG-TERM DEBT	\$ 9,	777.6	47.72	% 5.34%	2.55%
PREFERRED STOCK	:	203.7	0.99	% 5.57%	0.06%
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	:	288.1	1.41	<u>%</u> 1.62%	0.02%
SUB-TOTAL	10,	269.4	50.12	%	2.63%
COMMON EQUITY	10,	221.8	49.88	<u>%</u> 9.74%	4.86%
TOTAL	\$ 20,	191.2	100.00	<u>%</u>	7.49%
24 Months Ended March 31, 2012	AMOL	<u>JNT</u>	PERCENT	WEIGHTED <u>COST</u>	RATE OF <u>RETURN</u>
LONG-TERM DEBT	\$ 9,	919.3	48.10	% 5.27%	2.53%
PREFERRED STOCK		101.9	0.49	% 5.57%	0.03%
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	:	291.4	1.41	<u>%</u> 1.50%	0.02%
SUB-TOTAL	10,	312.5	50.00	%	2.58%
COMMON EQUITY	10,	373.8	50.00	<u>%</u> 9.58%	4.79%
TOTAL	\$ 20,	86.3	100.00	<u>%</u>	7.37%

### CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. ADJUSTMENTS TO OPERATING INCOME

#### **DESCRIPTION OF ADJUSTMENT**

#### NYS GRT EXCESS DIVIDEND TAX REFUND

Pursuant to the Commission May 19, 2011 Order in the Case 10-E-0308, the Company was allowed to retain a portion of the NYS GRT/Excess dividend tax refund. Refer to Attachment 6 for the adjustment for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012.

#### REVERSAL OF ACCRUED EEPS REVENUE ADJUSTMENT

Pursuant to the Commission December 21, 2010 Order in the Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standards proceeding, revenue adjustments may be incurred if the Company is unable to meet certain program targets. In December 2010, the Company reserved \$6 million in anticipation that it would not meet the targets set forth in the 2010 Order. The Commission clarified the application and measurement of the EEPS targets in its March 2012 Order. As a result, the Company reversed the adjustment accrued in the prior year. Refer to Attachment 6 for the adjustment for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012.

#### **ELECTRIC CAIDI PENALTY**

Per the Joint Proposal adopted by the Commission in the Case 09-E-0428, if the Company Customer Average Interruption Duration Index (CAIDI) is greater than 3 hours for 15% of it's customers, the Company would be required to pay a penalty in the amount of \$5M. Refer to Attachment 6 for the adjustment for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012.

#### **EXCESS LIABILITY INSURANCE**

Pursuant to the Joint Proposal dated August 14, 2008 in the Case 08-S-0153, the Company may not recover from ratepayers \$2 million of its insurance premiums for excess liability insurance annually for policies covering the period beginning April 28, 2010 and ending April 27, 2011 and the period beginning April 28, 2011 and ending April 27, 2012. Refer to Attachment 6 for the adjustments for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012 and twelve months ended March 31, 2013.

#### **RETENTION OF PROPERTY TAX REFUND - INCENTIVE**

defer property tax refunds allocated to the electric business that were not reflected in the Electric Rate Plan for future disposition. The Company was also allowed to retain 14 percent of the refund or credit. Refer to Attachment 6 for the adjustments for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012 and twelve months ended March 31, 2013.

#### RETENTION OF PROPERTY TAX TRUE-UP - INCENTIVE

Pursuant to the Joint Proposal adopted by the Commission in Case 09-E-0428, the Company is at risk for +/- 20% of any variation between actual property tax expense and the allowance reflected in rates up to a 10 basis point cap. Refer to Attachment 6 for the adjustments for the twelve months ended March 31, 2012 and twelve months ended March 31, 2013.

## CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. ADJUSTMENTS TO OPERATING INCOME (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

DESCRIPTION OF ADJUSTMENTS	12 Months Ended March 31, 2012	12 Months Ended March 31, 2013		
•	<u>RY 2</u>	<u>RY 3</u>		
NYS GRT Excess Dividend Tax Refund				
Before Tax	(10,558)	-		
After Tax	(6,375)	-		
Reversal of Accrued EEPS Revenue Adjustment				
Before Tax	(5,942)	_		
After Tax	(3,588)	_		
	(5,555)			
2011 Electric CAIDI Revenue Adjustment				
Before Tax	5,021	-		
After Tax	3,032	-		
Evened Linkility Industrance Adjustment (Cone 09 C 045)	2			
Excess Liability Insurance Adjustment (Case 08-S-015) Before Tax	<u>5</u> 1,445	120		
After Tax	873	72		
Autor rux	070	12		
Retention of Property Tax Refund - Incentive				
Before Tax	(185)	(31)		
After Tax	(112)	(19)		
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Passback / Retention of Property Tax True-ups Incention Before Tax	<u>ve</u> (13,100)	(13,100)		
After Tax	(7,910)	(7,910)		
AILUI TAA	(1,310)	(1,910)		