

April 15, 2020

Honorable Michelle L. Phillips  
Secretary  
State of New York  
Public Service Commission  
Three Empire State Plaza  
Albany, NY 12223

Re: Case 15-M-0127 – In the Matter of Eligibility Criteria for Energy Service Companies;

Case 12-M-0476 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Assess Certain Aspects of the Residential and Small Non-Residential Retail Energy Markets in New York State;

Case 98-M-1343 – In the Matter of Retail Access Business Rules

Dear Secretary Phillips:

Pursuant to Ordering Clause 7 of the New York Public Service Commission's ("Commission") *Order Adopting Changes to the Retail Access Energy Market and Establishing Further Process*, issued on December 12, 2019 ("Order") in the aforementioned cases, National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation ("National Fuel") hereby submits the attached 12-month trailing average utility supply rates ending March 31, 2020 for each mass-market service class and each mass-market customer grouping that receives different supply rates based on National Fuel's tariff. The average utility supply rates have been posted on National Fuel's website and can be accessed at <https://nationalfuelgas.com/marketers/default.aspx> using the "12-Month Trailing Average Utility Supply Rates" link.

In accordance with the Order, the 12-month trailing utility supply rates include all charges and credits that apply to full-service customer bills but would not apply to energy service company customer bills for the applicable service class and customer grouping. As further explained in the attached, the calculations were prepared as weighted averages and are weather normalized.

This filing satisfies the requirements of Ordering Clause 7 of the Order, which states, "Each utility shall file a letter in Cases 15-M-0127, 12-M-0476, 98-M-1343 at the time it posts the data for the 12-month trailing average . . . ." Furthermore, newspaper publication in



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accordance with Public Service Law § 66(12)(b) is waived pursuant to Ordering Clause 9 of the Order.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

**National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation**  
**New York Division**  
**Average Natural Gas Supply Charge**  
**Twelve Months Ended March 31, 2020**

The following trailing twelve-month weighted average is based on the total Natural Gas Supply (NGS) charge for customers served under NFGDC's SC-1 and SC-3 tariff classes. The NGS rates are filed monthly with the NY PSC and include the Merchant Function Charge (MFC). These rates exclude sales tax and GRT. For each month, the effective NGS rate is multiplied by weather normalized usage to calculate gas cost for an average customer. The total gas cost is divided by the total normalized usage to produce a weighted twelve-month average.

**SC-1 Weighted Average Rate (\$/Mcf)**

<b>\$3.73581</b>
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**SC-3 Weighted Average Rate (\$/Mcf)**

<b>\$3.70651</b>
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