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**VIA EXPRESS MAIL**

Honorable Jaclyn A. Brilling  
Secretary  
State of New York  
Public Service Commission  
Three Empire State Plaza  
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Re: Case 06-E-1433 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to  
the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of Orange and  
Rockland Utilities, Inc. for Electric Service

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Pursuant to the Ruling on Procedure and Schedule issued January 18, 2007 by  
Administrative Law Judge Liebschutz, as modified by the Judge Liebschutz's Ruling  
Revising Procedure and Schedule issued February 1, 2007, I enclose 25 copies of the  
testimony of the following witnesses, submitted on behalf of Orange and Rockland  
Utilities, Inc. ("Orange and Rockland"):

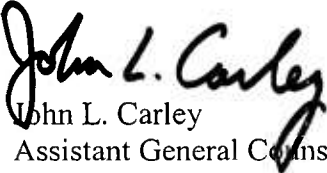
- Edward Rasmussen
- Richard Kane
- Kenneth Kosior
- Margaret Lenz
- Angelo Regan
- John Perkins
- Carl Seligson
- Charles Zielinski

As demonstrated by the testimony of these witnesses, Orange and Rockland's  
current electric rates are just and reasonable and the imposition of temporary rates is  
therefore unwarranted. The evidence submitted by the Company demonstrates that  
forecasted earnings are materially less than the earnings achieved by the Company during  
the recently expired rate plan, materially less than the earnings that both CPB and Staff

have speculated that the Company would achieve on a going forward basis, and are not excessive.

Copies of Orange and Rockland's testimony have been sent by e-mail today to Judge Liebschutz and all active parties, with hard copies to follow. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding these comments.

Very truly yours,

  
John L. Carley  
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c: ALJ Liebschutz  
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**TESTIMONY**

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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
EDWARD J. RASMUSSEN

NYPSC CASE No. 06-E-1433

1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. My name is Edward J. Rasmussen. My business address is 4 Irving Place,  
3 New York, New York, 10003.

4 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

5 A. I am employed by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con  
6 Edison") and hold the position of Vice President and Controller. In my  
7 capacity as Controller, I also have the overall responsibility for the financial  
8 accounting records and external financial reports of Orange and Rockland  
9 Utilities, Inc. ("Orange and Rockland", "O&R", or the "Company") as well as  
10 those of Con Edison.

11 Q. Briefly state your educational background.

12 A. I graduated from St. Francis College in June 1970, with a Bachelor's Degree in  
13 Business Administration. In 1977, I received a Master's Degree in Finance  
14 from Long Island University.

15 Q. Please explain your work experience with Con Edison and your current  
16 primary responsibilities.

17 A. From 1970 to 1987, I worked in the Rate Matters Section of Corporate  
18 Accounting in increasing levels of responsibility up to and including Director  
19 of the section. In 1987, I was promoted to Assistant Controller responsible for  
20 Accounting Research, Payroll and Stores Accounting. In 1990, I was  
21 transferred to Manhattan Customer Service as General Manager of Operations

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1 Service responsible for transportation, stores, budgets and personnel. In 1993,  
2 I returned to Corporate Accounting as Assistant Controller responsible for  
3 various sections within the department. In December 2000, I was promoted to  
4 my current position of Vice President and Controller.

5 Q. Have you been involved in industry-wide utility issues?

6 A. Yes, for many years I have been an active member of both the Edison Electric  
7 Institute ("EEI") and the American Gas Association ("AGA") finance and  
8 accounting committees and I am currently a member of the Executive  
9 Accounting Committee of EEI. In addition, I have written an article published  
10 in the Public Utility Fortnightly and I have been a speaker at many industry  
11 forums on matters of concern to the electric and gas industries.

12 Q. Have you previously testified before this Commission?

13 A. Yes. I have testified before the Commission in numerous electric, gas and  
14 steam rate proceedings.

15 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?

16 A. My testimony addresses whether the Commission should impose temporary  
17 rates for Orange and Rockland's electric service, or establish an earnings  
18 sharing mechanism. I also address the issue of increasing deferred costs,  
19 particularly pension and other post employment benefit ("OPEB") costs.

20 Q. Please summarize the Company's positions on these issues.

21 A. For the reasons I discuss below, as supported by the testimony of the  
22 Company's other witnesses, the Commission should neither implement  
23 temporary rates for Orange and Rockland's electric service, nor impose an

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1 earnings sharing mechanism. On the issue of deferred costs, the Company  
2 crafted for the Commission's consideration netting deferred credits and  
3 charges as of December 31, 2006, and a mechanism to recover the remaining  
4 deferred balance over three years by means of a surcharge.

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Temporary Rates

7 Q. What is the backdrop to this proceeding and why is it important?

8 A. The impetus for this hearing is assertions by both the Consumer Protection  
9 Board ("CPB") and the Department of Public Service Staff ("Staff") that the  
10 Company's expected earnings in the future are excessive, which prompted the  
11 Commission to initiate this expedited proceeding for the consideration of  
12 temporary rate action. As explained below, I see no merit to these assertions  
13 and will show that they are grossly overstated.

14 Q. Do you agree that the Commission has the right to institute a proceeding if it  
15 believes that the rates of a utility may not be just and reasonable?

16 A. Yes, I do. However, the Company does not agree that circumstances here  
17 provide a basis for the Commission to consider action on either an emergency  
18 basis or to implement temporary rates pending a proceeding to consider  
19 permanent rates for the Company's electric service.

20 Q. What assertions have CPB and Staff made regarding the projected earnings for  
21 Orange and Rockland's electric service?

22 A. In its November 8, 2006 Complaint, CPB speculated (Complaint, p. 3) that  
23 "the Company's electric earnings will increase beyond the recent 16.17%

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1 level, ceteris paribus,” which was the return the Company earned during the  
2 twelve months ended June 2006. It further alleged that higher earnings were  
3 expected because the Company’s electric capital expenditures in 2007 would  
4 be approximately \$3.7 million less than the expenditures in the twelve months  
5 ended June 2006. Then, in its Motion for Interlocutory Review filed with the  
6 Commission on January 19, 2007, in response to Administrative Law Judge  
7 Liebschutz’s (the “ALJ”) January 18 Procedural Ruling (“Ruling”), CPB  
8 alleged that absent action by the Commission, the Company’s electric earnings  
9 would increase by approximately 370 basis points, to 19.87%, everything else  
10 equal (Motion, p. 6).

11 Staff drew similar erroneous conclusions from the Company’s historical data.  
12 In its response to the Company’s rehearing petition, Staff attempted to support  
13 its request for the immediate establishment of temporary rates by, first,  
14 assuming that the Company’s financial situation in calendar year 2007 would  
15 mirror that of the twelve months ended June 2006, and, second, by utilizing the  
16 9.55% return on equity established for New York State Electric and Gas  
17 Corporation (“NYSEG”) in Case 05-E-1222 as an earnings cap for the purpose  
18 of calculating “annual excess revenues” in 2007 of approximately \$19.5  
19 million (Staff Response, pp. 10-11).

20 These projections not only are based upon unfounded assumptions and  
21 speculation, as I discuss in more detail later in my testimony, they also  
22 misconstrue fundamental Commission ratemaking policies.

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1 Q. Does the Company project that it will earn at the levels projected by CPB or  
2 Staff?

3 A. No, it does not. As demonstrated by the financial data presented by Company  
4 witnesses Kane, Kosior, Regan, Perkins and Lenz, the Company projects that it  
5 will earn approximately 11.63% during calendar year 2007, and that earnings  
6 will thereafter decline to 10.37% and 9.09%, respectively, in calendar years  
7 2008 and 2009.

8 Q. Do earnings at these projected levels warrant temporary rate action by the  
9 Commission?

10 A. Absolutely not.

11 Q. Please explain why.

12 A. First, as discussed by Company witness Charles Zielinski, a former Chairman  
13 of this Commission, and Company witness Carl Seligson, a noted industry  
14 expert specializing in financial matters related to the utility industry,  
15 temporary rate action should be taken by a utility commission only under  
16 extraordinary circumstances and no such circumstances exist for Orange and  
17 Rockland. They also explain why such action would call into question the  
18 stability of New York regulation of public utilities, the likely perception of the  
19 investment community, and the potential adverse ramifications to the  
20 Company. They affirmatively contradict assertions made by Staff and CPB in  
21 prior pleadings in this case that the Company is not harmed by temporary rate  
22 action simply because the Commission has the authority in the permanent rates  
23 phase of the proceeding to undue its temporary rate action and presumably

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1 make the Company whole. Their testimonies demonstrate that there are  
2 potential long-term adverse consequences to a temporary rate action and that  
3 the Commission cannot undue the harm simply by writing a check to the  
4 Company at some unspecified date in the future.

5 Q. Please continue.

6 A. The testimony presented by the Company's other witnesses provide the  
7 information requested by the Commission in the Order and additional  
8 information necessary to demonstrate that the Company's current rates are just  
9 and reasonable and that these rates, in conjunction with the current deferral  
10 mechanisms, will not "result in an opportunity for unjust enrichment of the  
11 Company and higher rates than necessary for ratepayers" (Order, p. 4).

12 Q. Are the Company's forecasted operating results based upon the operating  
13 conditions on which CPB and Staff based their projected earnings for the  
14 Company?

15 A. No, they are not. The Staff and CPB simplistically and incorrectly assume that  
16 the conditions that existed during the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 will  
17 also exist in the year 2007. To my knowledge, neither party sought any  
18 information from the Company as to the possibility of material changes to  
19 operating conditions since June 2006 that could materially, and in fact do  
20 materially, impact operating results during the post-rate plan period.  
21 The Company's demonstration properly considers major increases and  
22 decreases to its costs during the 2007 through 2009 period. Company witness  
23 Lenz presents forecasted sales, which does reflect sales growth, but also

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1 reflects the loss of load from the Company's largest customer. Company  
2 witnesses Kane and Kosior detail major changes in operating costs. Company  
3 witness Regan presents the Company's planned capital expenditures and  
4 infrastructure improvements needed for the Company to continue to provide  
5 safe and reliable service. Company witness Perkins presents the Company's  
6 capital structure.

7 Q. Why is it necessary to consider this information?

8 A. Ratemaking in New York has always been based upon reasonable projections  
9 of future costs and expenses. To determine future rates solely on the basis of  
10 financial results during a historical period would constitute a form of  
11 retroactive ratemaking. Contrary to views expressed by CPB and Staff, while  
12 operating results during a past period do provide a reasonable basis on which  
13 to make future projections, there is no rational basis for making a rate decision  
14 on the assumption that such conditions will repeat themselves.

15 Nor should action as extraordinary as establishing temporary rates be based  
16 upon a limited period of time in which efficiency gains are achieved, while  
17 ignoring reasonably projected operating results and trends during the  
18 subsequent period.

19 Q. Why is necessary to consider operating results for calendar years 2008 and  
20 2009?

21 A. The operating results for these years bring into focus the Company's projected  
22 earnings for calendar year 2007, as compared to the twelve months ended June  
23 30, 2006, confirming the Company's projections for a continuing downward

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1 trend from the earnings achieved during the recently expired rate plan. As set  
2 forth in Exhibit E-4, Schedule 1, page 1 and Exhibit E-7, Schedule 1, and as  
3 discussed in the testimony of Company witness Kane, the Company's 2007 –  
4 2009 forecast return on equity would be 11.63%, 10.37% and 9.09%,  
5 respectively, absent any change in base rates.

6 And, while the Company does not know at this time when it may need to  
7 initiate efforts for a permanent increase in its base electric delivery rates, rate  
8 stability is a demonstrated goal of the Company.

9 As Company witness Kane explains, Orange and Rockland has not increased  
10 its base electric delivery rates in 12 years and the Company's electric delivery  
11 rates today are, effectively, more than 20% lower than they were in 1994 when  
12 adjusted for inflation. Neither the Company's earnings during the recently  
13 expired rate plan, nor the earnings that the Company is forecasting for the  
14 2007-2009 period, could reasonably constitute the Company's being unjustly  
15 enriched.

16 Moreover, it bears mention that neither CPB nor Staff has alleged poor or  
17 declining service or reliability by O&R, or under-expenditures on critical  
18 operation and maintenance ("O&M") or capital programs, as factors associated  
19 with its past or projected earnings. In fact, as demonstrated by Company  
20 witness Regan, the Company is moving forward with a comprehensive capital  
21 program on its own initiative. I recognize that CPB makes mention of a \$3.7  
22 million decrease in capital spending between the twelve months ended June

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1 30, 2006 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2007, which I will  
2 address later in my testimony.

3 Q. Are there other reasons why the imposition of temporary electric rates for  
4 Orange and Rockland is totally inappropriate?

5 A. Yes. As noted by Company witness Seligson, the projected earning levels are  
6 neither excessive nor unreasonable based upon the computation of a  
7 reasonable rate of return using established methodologies, or as compared to  
8 the earnings of other utilities, or in light of the 12.75% sharing threshold in the  
9 Company's recently-expired rate plan, which both CPB and Staff supported.  
10 In fact, the pleadings submitted by CPB and Staff in this proceeding have  
11 obfuscated the difference between the return on equity that the Commission  
12 has used to design base delivery rates and the return on equity the Commission  
13 has considered for the purpose of earnings sharing thresholds in the context of  
14 multi-year rate plans that it has adopted.

15 Q. Please explain.

16 A. As indicated above, in projecting that the Company will have annual excess  
17 revenues of \$19.5 million, Staff not only assumes without any basis that the  
18 Company's current operations will produce earnings at the same 16.17% level  
19 achieved during the twelve months ended June 2006, it ignores the fact that the  
20 9.55% ROE was established in the NYSEG proceeding for the purpose of  
21 designing base electric delivery rates and that NYSEG is not currently subject  
22 to either an earnings cap or an earnings sharing threshold. In doing so, Staff  
23 seeks to characterize as excess earnings more than 300 basis points above

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1 9.55% that the Company would have been entitled to keep if the earnings  
2 sharing mechanism in its recently-expired rate plan had continued in effect.  
3 Notably, neither Staff nor CPB has alleged that the 12.75% earnings sharing  
4 threshold is unreasonable, nor is there anything else in the record on which to  
5 find that the 12.75% earnings sharing threshold should not be the measure for  
6 purposes of their analyses.

7 Q. Do you believe that customers are being harmed by the rates in effect for  
8 Orange and Rockland, as CPB and Staff allege?

9 A. Again, I must say absolutely not. When customers are paying rates that are  
10 effectively more than 20% lower today than they were in 1994 when adjusted  
11 for inflation, I do not understand how the Commission could find that  
12 customers are being harmed because the Company, through efficient  
13 operations, will achieve earnings at a rate of return higher than what the  
14 Commission might use if it were setting rates today in the context of a  
15 permanent rate proceeding.

16 As I indicated above, during the past 12 years, the Company has reduced its  
17 base rates to reflect the impact of increased operating efficiencies and sales  
18 growth. I am not aware of any other electric utility in this State that has been  
19 able to reduce and/or freeze its rates for this long a period of time. The  
20 Company's recently expired electric rate plan marked a period of steady  
21 progress in operations and customer service, and capital spending that  
22 exceeded the capital spending forecasts on which the rate plan was predicated.  
23 It was also a period in which the Company successfully responded to

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1 numerous challenges including record peak demands, repeated storm activity  
2 and significant other challenges, including the threatened closure of the Lovett  
3 plant. To my knowledge, this Commission has never sought to eliminate or  
4 reduce the investors' share of earnings after the expiration of a rate plan by  
5 means of temporary rates, and there is no basis for its doing so for the first  
6 time in the case of Orange and Rockland's electric service.

7 Q. In its Complaint, CPB states (p. 3) "higher earnings are also expected because  
8 the Company projects its electric capital expenditures in 2007 will be  
9 approximately \$3.7 million less than the twelve months ended June 2006." Is  
10 this a correct statement?

11 A. No, it is not. CPB misunderstands the impact of the projected reduction in  
12 capital expenditures in calendar year 2007 as compared to the twelve months  
13 ended June 30, 2006. As a point in fact, capital additions, even if lower than in  
14 the past year, have the impact of decreasing the Company's earnings, not  
15 increasing them. Exhibit E-2, Summary, shows that the Company's rate base  
16 will grow by over \$66 million between the twelve months ended June 30, 2006  
17 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2007. The carrying cost on this  
18 additional investment (i.e., depreciation expense, property taxes and financing  
19 costs) will have the impact of reducing the Company's earnings, not increasing  
20 them, from the levels experienced during the twelve months ended June 30,  
21 2006.

22 Q. Does this \$3.7 million reduction indicate that the Company is cutting back on  
23 its capital program?

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1 A. No, it does not. First, CPB erroneously compared the \$58.9 million in capital  
2 expenditures that was projected for 2007 to the spending in the third year of  
3 the recently-expired rate plan. Instead, the projected capital expenditures for  
4 2007 should be compared to the average level of spending over the whole term  
5 of the recently expired rate plan of \$42.1 million per year (i.e., total capital  
6 expenditures of \$126.4 million / 3 years), not just the third year of the rate  
7 plan. In addition, the Company's Capital Budget for 2007 that was approved  
8 by its Board for 2007 increased the expenditure level by \$5.3 million to \$64.2  
9 million. This increase is primarily attributable to the increase in the cost of  
10 transformers that the Company has experienced over the last several months.

11 Q. Does the Company expect that its level of construction expenditures will  
12 continue at this higher level beyond 2007?

13 A. For calendar years 2008 through 2011, the Company projects it will spend  
14 \$66.0 million in 2008, \$58.8 million in 2009, \$62.2 million in 2010, and \$70.2  
15 in 2011.

16 Q. Are there any other factors that the Commission should take into account when  
17 considering whether to make temporary a portion of Orange and Rockland's  
18 electric rates?

19 A. Yes. The temporary rate action contemplated by the Commission would, if  
20 implemented, create a new asymmetrical regulatory paradigm in which  
21 regulatory lag becomes a one-way street, where positive benefits would be  
22 captured immediately for the customer while recovery of increased costs  
23 would still require a rate filing process that exceeds a year (including the 11-

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1 month suspension period) before a utility could recover increased costs in  
2 rates. As a result, the Company would no longer be permitted to share in  
3 management's productivity efforts, which would provide a negative signal to  
4 investors that there is no upside potential to utility earnings.

5 Such action would therefore likely have an adverse impact on the current  
6 ratemaking framework that encourages the active parties to utility rate  
7 proceedings to work towards comprehensive, multi-year rate plans. These  
8 collaborative efforts often produce solutions to many issues in a manner that  
9 balances the interests and positions of normally adverse parties that cannot be  
10 accomplished through litigation. While rate plans normally are in effect for a  
11 defined period of time, they do include specific terms that identify the items in  
12 the plan that continue beyond the period covered by those plans and the items  
13 in the plans that sunset at the expiration of the rate plan. The process of  
14 developing rate plans will continue to be viable only if the parties to that  
15 process can reasonably rely on the entire package of terms and conditions  
16 being honored until the next time permanent rates are established.

17 In fact, the 12-year history of O&R's electric rates serves as a very positive  
18 example of a successful collaborative process. Customers benefited through  
19 20% reduction in rates in real terms and the Company was able to achieve a  
20 reasonable, but not an excessive, return. The introduction of a temporary rate  
21 action, which was never contemplated during the negotiation process or  
22 factored in to the many give and take concessions on both sides, would do  
23 irreparable damage to future negotiations.

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1 Q. Please continue.

2 A. As discussed by Company witnesses Seligson and Zielinski, the setting of  
3 temporary rates would have a far reaching effect on how New York regulation  
4 is viewed by the investor and the investment community, and on the Company  
5 itself.

6 The Commission should also bear in mind that as a publicly traded company,  
7 O&R's parent, Consolidated Edison, Inc. ("CEI") would be required to  
8 disclose, and bring attention to, such action by the Commission. While the  
9 imposition of temporary rates may not have a material impact on the  
10 consolidated operating results of the parent company, it would send a negative  
11 message to investors and lead to a perception that there is greater regulatory  
12 risk for investor in utility companies that operate in New York State.

13

14 Treatment of Deferred Costs

15 Q. Do you believe that the mere level of deferred costs should bear on the  
16 Commission's determination as to temporary rates in this proceeding?

17 A. The Company is deferring pension/OPEB expenses, environmental  
18 remediation costs, and R&D expenses pursuant to Commission-approved  
19 mechanisms. Any action to limit the recovery of these deferred should be  
20 considered only in the context of a permanent rate proceeding, where the  
21 deferral mechanisms were established and/or continued. The potential for  
22 limiting the recovery of pension/OPEB costs is particularly troubling.

23 Q. Why is that?

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1 A. The deferral of pension/OPEB costs reflects the Company's participation in  
2 the full reconciliation program established by the Commission's Pension  
3 Policy Statement. This Policy Statement is intended to protect both customers  
4 and investors from the volatility of pension/OPEB costs independent of the  
5 rate-setting process. The Company elected to participate in this program based  
6 upon the symmetrical treatment of these very material and volatile costs. It  
7 would be highly improper and confiscatory for the Commission to unilaterally  
8 limit the Company's rights under the Policy Statement to defer costs for any  
9 period of time for the purpose of capturing for customer benefit efficiencies  
10 that have been achieved for investors pursuant to a Commission-approved rate  
11 plan (including the post-rate plan period).

12 Q. Aren't other New York utilities that participate in the Policy Statement  
13 program currently subject to limitations on certain deferred costs, including  
14 pension/OPEB costs, when they earn above a pre-established earnings  
15 threshold?

16 A. Yes. However, those limitations were accepted by these utilities and  
17 established in the context of a negotiated multi-year rate plan adopted by the  
18 Commission. In all of these cases, limitations on deferrals were considered in  
19 the context of a myriad of other rate plan provisions, reflecting a balancing of  
20 material interests among multiple parties normally having adverse interests.  
21 To my knowledge, the Commission has never unilaterally imposed the deferral  
22 limitations sought by CPB in this proceeding and O&R's circumstances do not  
23 provide a basis for the Commission's doing so here for the first time.

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1 Q. Are there other reasons why it would be improper to limit O&R's recovery of  
2 these deferred costs?

3 A. Yes. The reason for increasing pension/OPEB and environmental remediation  
4 deferrals is that the Company's base rates have not been adjusted to reflect  
5 changes in these costs for several years. Had such an adjustment been made as  
6 part of the recently expired rate plan, there would be no issue today as to the  
7 build-up of these deferrals, as the Company would be recovering these higher  
8 costs on a current basis in base rates.

9 As part of its continuing effort to avoid base rate increases, the Company not  
10 only agreed to rely upon deferral mechanisms in lieu of a base rate increase to  
11 which it would otherwise have been entitled, the Company also agreed to  
12 mitigate the then applicable deferral balance of pension/OPEB costs through a  
13 write-down of \$11 million. To limit the deferral mechanism after-the-fact  
14 would be grossly inequitable and effectively penalize the Company through  
15 what would be tantamount to retroactive ratemaking.

16 In sum, deferral limitations that are unilaterally imposed upset the balance  
17 between customers and investors in the rate setting process, creating a highly  
18 inequitable asymmetry by confiscating all or part of any operating efficiencies  
19 achieved by the Company, and result in a rate setting process that is inherently  
20 more risky for investors. The asymmetry is even more evident when one  
21 considers that there is no comparable policy that makes deferred credits  
22 available to utilities when actual earnings are less than forecasted.

23 Q. How can the build-up of these deferrals be addressed?

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1 A. In its Order (p. 5), the Commission asked the Company to "include proposed  
2 changes needed to the pension and OPEB rate allowance to eliminate any  
3 increase in deferred balances." (Order, p. 5) As detailed in Company witness  
4 Kane's testimony, if the Commission were looking for ways to mitigate the  
5 build up of deferrals, either for reasons of rate stability, intergenerational  
6 equities, or some other reasons, it could consider current recovery through a  
7 surcharge mechanism. Such a mechanism would be particularly appropriate  
8 where it can take advantage of energy cost reductions to mitigate bill impacts.

9 Q. Please continue.

10 A. The surcharge mechanism discussed in the testimony of Mr. Kane, if adopted  
11 by the Commission, would also eliminate the build up of environmental  
12 remediation costs and R&D expenses. The size of the surcharge is mitigated  
13 by netting the deferred costs against deferred credits recorded on O&R's  
14 Books as of December 31, 2006. In this regard, the Company recognizes that  
15 this surcharge mechanism may be different and/or more expansive than what  
16 the Commission had in mind in the Order. Nonetheless, the Company thought  
17 it appropriate to share its thoughts on this important matter at this time,  
18 recognizing that consideration of this surcharge may have to wait until a future  
19 proceeding.

20 Q. Would the recovery of these costs through such a surcharge mechanism impact  
21 the Company's forecasted earnings?

22 A. No, it would not. As indicated above, the Company believes that any  
23 limitation on its right to fully recover these deferred costs would be

1           confiscatory. The surcharge mechanism simply addresses the timing of the  
2           recovery of deferred costs.

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**Earnings Sharing**

5    Q.    The Commission required the Company to "include in its response proposed  
6           earnings and sharing thresholds" (Order, p. 5). What is the Company's  
7           position with respect to this requirement?

8    A.    For the same reasons discussed above regarding a unilateral imposition of a  
9           deferral limitation, the Company believes it would be highly inequitable and  
10          totally inappropriate for the Commission to unilaterally implement an earnings  
11          sharing mechanism. To my knowledge, earnings sharing mechanisms have  
12          only been implemented pursuant to the Commission's adoption of a joint  
13          proposal that is supported by the utility and other parties in the context of a  
14          multi-year rate proposal.

15         I don't believe we are in a position to establish a "temporary rate earnings  
16         sharing mechanism," since the period of time that temporary rates may be in  
17         effect is not known. This is very important because an earnings sharing  
18         mechanism normally recognizes the opportunities and incentives for efficiency  
19         gains over a known period of time, a utility's ability to achieve earnings that  
20         are relatively under its control over such period, and earnings levels that reflect  
21         the risks inherent in operating under a known rate plan.

22         Finally, a decision to impose earnings sharing in conjunction with temporary  
23         rates would be viewed as prejudging the temporary rate issue, since it has been

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1 my understanding that a potential outcome of the permanent rate proceeding  
2 should include the full restoration of the Company to its prior position.

3 Accordingly, it would seem to me that an earnings sharing mechanism should  
4 be considered, if at all, only if the Commission decides to not implement  
5 temporary rates.

6 Q. Do you nonetheless have an earnings sharing proposal in response to the  
7 Commission's directive?

8 A. Yes. Should the Commission decide to establish an earnings sharing  
9 mechanism, the Commission should continue prospectively the mechanism in  
10 the recently-expired rate plan, pursuant to which the Company would begin to  
11 share earnings with customers on a 50/50 basis if its earnings exceed 12.75%.

12 Q. Why should this be the minimum sharing threshold?

13 A. It is somewhat apparent that this proceeding would not have been instituted  
14 had that the rate plan provided for the existing sharing mechanism to remain in  
15 place at the end of the term of the rate plan. Accordingly, there is no basis for  
16 the Commission to now assume that any lower threshold is appropriate.

17 Q. Are you proposing to continue any other feature of the existing mechanism?

18 A. Yes. The rate plan also permitted the Company to apply the customers' share  
19 of earnings above the threshold against outstanding deferrals. Continuing that  
20 feature would continue the current mechanism "to reduce and eliminate the  
21 Pension/OPEB and other outstanding deferrals when earnings exceed certain  
22 levels." (Order, p. 5)

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- 1 Q. Does this conclude your direct testimony?
- 2 A. Yes, it does.

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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
RICHARD A. KANE

NYPSC CASE No. 06-E-1433

1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. Richard A. Kane, 4 Irving Place, New York, New York 10003.

3 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

4 A. I am employed by Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con  
5 Edison"). I hold the position of Department Manager of Regulatory Filings.

6 Q. Please explain your educational background, work experience, and current  
7 general responsibilities.

8 A. In May 1976, I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from  
9 Manhattan College. I worked for Con Edison from August 1976 until January  
10 1978 as a staff accountant. I then joined Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
11 ("Orange and Rockland", "O&R" or the "Company") and became Supervisor –  
12 Facility Accounting. In 1980, I became Manager – Budgets. In 1989, I  
13 became Manager – General Accounting and in 1996, the Accounts Payable  
14 Section was added to my responsibilities. As a result of O&R's merger with  
15 Con Edison, O&R's Accounting Department was combined with Con Edison's  
16 and relocated to Con Edison's headquarters in New York City. After the  
17 merger, I continued to be responsible for overseeing O&R's General  
18 Accounting Section and Financial Reporting area until March 2003. At that  
19 time, I assumed my current position as Department Manager of Regulatory  
20 Filings within Con Edison's Corporate Accounting Department. The primary

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1 responsibility of the section is to coordinate as well as participate in the  
2 Company's rate case applications before regulatory agencies.

3 Q. Have you previously testified before the New York Public Service  
4 Commission ("NYPSC" or "Commission")?

5 A. Yes, I have previously submitted testimony in various cases.

6 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?

7 A. My testimony supports a number of exhibits that I am sponsoring in this case  
8 in response to the Commission's Order to Show Cause ("Order") issued  
9 December 15, 2006 in this proceeding. The Order requires Orange and  
10 Rockland to show cause why the Commission should not direct the Company  
11 to immediately file tariff revisions to reduce its electric rates. In its Order on  
12 page 5 the Commission directed that Orange and Rockland include in its  
13 submission, at a minimum:

14 detailed cost of service, rate base, and capitalization schedules, sales forecasts  
15 and work papers to support calculations of earnings for the period ending  
16 December 31, 2007. The forecasted calculations of earnings through the end  
17 of the year 2007 should be compared to the historic period earnings for the  
18 year ending June 30, 2006. Orange and Rockland's response shall include  
19 proposed changes needed to the pension and OPEB allowance to eliminate any  
20 increase in deferred balances. Other outstanding deferrals for which the  
21 Company would seek recovery from customers in the future, such as the  
22 electric portion of the Manufactured Gas Plant site remediation costs, should  
23 be taken into account, to the extent possible, in developing its proposals for a  
24 reduction in electric rates. In addition, Orange and Rockland is directed to  
25 include in its response proposed earnings and sharing thresholds and  
26 recommended mechanisms to reduce and eliminate the Pension/OPEB and  
27 other outstanding deferrals when earnings exceed certain levels.  
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29 In her Ruling on Procedure and Schedule ("Ruling") issued January 18, 2007  
30 (at 4) in this proceeding, Administrative Law Judge Liebschutz provided

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1 additional guidance as to the contents of the Company's submission. In  
2 compliance with the Order and the Ruling, I am sponsoring the revenue  
3 requirement and rate base calculations used to develop the Company's cost of  
4 service for calendar year 2007. I incorporated the sales and revenue forecast  
5 sponsored by Company witness Lenz, the capital structure and cost of debt  
6 provided by Company witness Perkins. Company witnesses Regan and Kosior  
7 provided me with capital expenditures and certain elements of expense.  
8 I will also discuss a surcharge mechanism that could be implemented to  
9 recover current pension, other post employment benefits ("OPEB"), and  
10 manufactured gas plant ("MGP") remediation expenditures as well as  
11 outstanding deferrals.

12 Mr. Rasmussen will address the Company's proposal regarding earnings and  
13 sharing thresholds and the treatment of accounting deferrals when those  
14 thresholds are exceeded.

15 Q. Please provide an overview of your testimony.

16 A. In summary, I will:

- 17           • Provide an overview of the level of operating revenues, expenses  
18           and rate base for the twelve months ending December 31, 2007 as  
19           compared to the twelve months ended June 30, 2006;
- 20           • Sponsor historic financial statements and statistical data;
- 21           • Support the average rate base for the twelve months ended  
22           December 31, 2007;

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- 1           • Sponsor the electric income statement; other operating revenues,  
2           taxes other than income taxes, income taxes, the general inflation  
3           factor, and the source and use of funds;
- 4           • Present certain operating and maintenance ("O&M") expense cost  
5           elements and the amortizations of deferred charges;
- 6           • Discuss the Company's three-year electric earnings forecast; and,  
7           • Discuss a surcharge mechanism that could eliminate increases in  
8           deferred balances for trued up O&M expenses (i.e., pension, OPEB,  
9           research and development ("R&D") and environmental remediation  
10          costs);

11          I sponsor the following exhibits and schedules:

12	<u>Description of Schedule</u>	<u>Exhibit</u>
13	Historical Financial Data	E-1
14	Average Electric Rate Base	E-2, Summary,
15		Sch. 1 – 9
16	Electric Income Statement and Rate of Return	E-4, Sch. 1 – 10
17	Fund Requirements and Sources	E-4, Sch. 11
18	Electric O&M Expenses:	
19	• Purchased Power Costs	E-5, Sch. 1
20	• Employee & Other Insurance Costs	E-5, Sch. 4
21	• Regulatory Costs and Amortizations	E-5, Sch. 5
22	• Pensions and OPEBs	E-5, Sch. 6
23	• Uncollectible Costs	E-5, Sch. 7



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1           \$1.5 million or roughly 3.8%. The factors that are reducing O&R's projected  
2           earnings for calendar year 2007 include higher O&M expenses of \$5.7 million  
3           and higher depreciation expense of \$1.1 million offset in part by lower  
4           property tax expenses of \$5.0 million and all other items, including higher  
5           sales of \$0.3 million. By contrast rate base is projected to grow by more than  
6           \$66 million as shown on Exhibit E-2, Summary between the twelve months  
7           ended June 30, 2006 and the twelve months ending December 31, 2007. The  
8           growth is in rate base related to investments in infrastructure necessary to  
9           maintain and improve the electric system. The cost to finance the growth in  
10          rate base is the primary factor that is reducing the Company's projected return  
11          on equity between the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and the twelve  
12          months ending December 31, 2007.

13    Q.    In light of this development, please respond to the Consumer Protection  
14          Board's ("CPB") allegations regarding the Company's level of capital  
15          expenditures.

16    A.    In its Complaint to the Commission regarding the Company's electric rates  
17          filed with the Commission on November 8, 2006, CPB alleged that the  
18          Company will be expecting higher earnings because the Company's electric  
19          capital expenditures in 2007 will be \$3.7 million less than the twelve months  
20          ended June 2006. Company witness Rasmussen in his testimony explains why  
21          this allegation is incorrect from a financial perspective. The Company,  
22          however, also takes marked exception to CPB's implicit allegation that the  
23          Company is somehow skimping on its investment in its electric system.

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1 Nothing would be further from the truth. I would note that Attachment 2 to  
2 Company's October 30, 2006 letter to the Staff Director of Accounting to  
3 which CPB refers, indicates that the Company had actual electric capital  
4 expenditures of \$31.1 million in 2003-2004, \$32.5 million in 2004-2005, and  
5 \$62.5 million in the 2005-2006 fiscal time periods. In addition, the Company  
6 projected electric capital expenditures of \$58.9 million in 2006-2007. As  
7 noted in the testimony of Mr. Rasmussen, this amount was subsequently  
8 increased to \$64.2 million. Moreover, the Company's levels of electric capital  
9 expenditures during the period of 2003 through 2006 (i.e., \$126.1 million) far  
10 exceeded the level of expenditure (i.e., \$108 million) for this period  
11 contemplated under the Company's last electric rate plan (See, Appendix C of  
12 the July 1, 2003 Joint Proposal in Case 03-E-0797). Company witness  
13 Regan's testimony discusses the Company's continuing high levels of electric  
14 capital plant additions. Taken together, this information plainly contradicts  
15 CPB's allegations that the Company is not investing adequately in its electric  
16 system.

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**HISTORICAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

19 Q. Are you familiar with the books and records of the Company?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. Are the accounts of the Company kept in accordance with the Uniform System  
22 of Accounts prescribed by the Commission?

23 A. Yes.

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1 Q. Please describe Exhibit E-1 and each of the supporting schedules.

2 A. Exhibit E-1 is entitled "Historical Financial Data - Electric" and includes ten  
3 supporting schedules.

4 • Schedules 1 through 5 are balance sheets and supporting schedules as of  
5 December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.

6 • Schedules 6 through 10 are income statements and supporting schedules  
7 for the twelve months ended December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006.

8 The data on these schedules have been taken directly from the books and  
9 records of the Company except for the average electric plant per customer on  
10 Schedule 5 and the unit cost figures on Schedules 8 and 10, which have been  
11 computed for the purpose of the respective exhibits. It should be noted that  
12 Schedules 1, 2, and 6 reflect total Company operations.

13 • Schedule 1 shows comparative balance sheets at December 31, 2002, 2003,  
14 2004, 2005, and 2006.

15 • Schedule 2 is a statement of retained earnings at December 31, 2003, 2004,  
16 2005, and 2006.

17 • Schedule 3 shows the net book value of electric plant in service by primary  
18 account at December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006.

19 • Schedule 4 shows the net book value of common plant in service at  
20 December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.

21 • Schedule 5 shows electric plant in service and the average cost per  
22 customer at December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006.

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- 1           • Schedule 6 shows comparative income statements for the twelve months  
2           ended December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006.
- 3           • Schedule 7 is a statement of electric operation and maintenance expenses  
4           for the years ended December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006.
- 5           • Schedule 8 shows electric operating expenses per kWh sold for the twelve  
6           months ended December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006.
- 7           • Schedule 9 is a statement of electric operating taxes, other than income  
8           taxes, for the twelve months ended December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and  
9           2006.
- 10          • Schedule 10 is a statement of electric operating revenues per kWh of  
11          electricity sold for the years ended December 31, 2003, 2004, 2005, and  
12          2006.

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**AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE**

- 15   Q.    Please explain how the rate base for the forecast year was developed.
- 16   A.    The Summary Schedule of Exhibit E-2 details the Company's average rate  
17          base for the historical twelve months ended June 30, 2006 per books and also  
18          shows the forecasted rate base for the twelve months ending December 31,  
19          2007.
- 20   Q.    What components have you included in rate base?
- 21   A.    I have included in electric rate base the twelve-month average balance of  
22          electric plant in service, the allocated portion of common utility plant, electric  
23          plant for future use, and that portion of construction work in progress not

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1 subject to an Allowance for Funds Used During Construction ("AFUDC"). I  
2 have deducted the accumulated provision for depreciation relating to electric  
3 plant in service, the allocated portion of common utility plant and electric plant  
4 held for future use, as well as the average balances related to customer  
5 advances for construction, accumulated deferred income taxes and  
6 accumulated deferred investment tax credits. Finally, I have added working  
7 capital, reflected the twelve-month average balance of regulatory assets and  
8 liabilities, and deferred income taxes. Schedule 1 shows the monthly balances  
9 used to compute electric rate base for the twelve months ended June 30, 2006.  
10 Exhibit E-2, Schedule 2 contains the projected monthly rate base balances for  
11 the twelve months ending December 31, 2007. The forecasts of accumulated  
12 deferred income taxes and accumulated deferred investment tax credits have  
13 been derived from the forecast of plant-in-service using the appropriate book  
14 and tax depreciation factors. Data supporting the monthly plant in service and  
15 accumulated depreciation balances are shown on Exhibit E-2, Schedules 4 and  
16 5, respectively.

17 Q. What is the purpose of Exhibit E-2, Schedule 3?

18 A. The NYPSC adopted the earnings base/capitalization comparison to ensure  
19 that a return is authorized on investor-supplied capital only. The adjustment  
20 originated, in part, because of concerns that the standard working capital  
21 allowance formula (the so-called "one-eighth formula") did not accurately  
22 measure the working capital devoted to the provision of utility service. The

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1 comparison is used to develop what is known as the earnings base, or the  
2 capital devoted to providing utility services.

3 Q. What does the Exhibit E-2, Schedule 3 show?

4 A. Exhibit E-2, Schedule 3 shows the average rate base and capitalization for the  
5 twelve-month period ended June 30, 2006 for electric and gas operations. The  
6 Company's average capitalization balance was developed by first calculating  
7 O&R's average equity and long-term debt balances for the twelve-month  
8 period ended June 30, 2006. This figure was then increased for other funds  
9 that are available to support rate base and reduced by amounts of capitalization  
10 that are not devoted to the maintenance of rate base.

11 Q. Has the methodology you have just described been used in prior Orange and  
12 Rockland proceedings?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. Is there a difference between capitalization and average rate base for the test  
15 period and, if so, what does this require?

16 A. Yes, there is a difference. Rate base exceeds capitalization, and the amount of  
17 this excess that is attributable to electric operations is \$22,642,000. Given the  
18 nature and purpose of the comparison, twelve months ending December 31,  
19 2007 rate base for electric operations must be decreased by this amount. This  
20 adjustment has been reflected in rate base on Exhibit E-4, Schedule 2, Page 1,  
21 and in the calculation of the Company's earned return on Page 2.

22 Q. Please describe Exhibit E-2, Schedules 4 and 5.

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1 A. Schedule 4 shows the monthly plant in service amounts for the eighteen  
2 months ending December 31, 2007 and includes the major plant additions  
3 shown on Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1. The forecast for electric plant held for  
4 future use assumes no change in that component of rate base beyond June 30,  
5 2006.

6 Schedule 5 shows the forecast of the various components of the accumulated  
7 reserve for depreciation through December 31, 2007 utilizing the plant-in-  
8 service forecast and the rates used for depreciation of various plant  
9 components as of June 30, 2006. The forecast of the accumulated reserve for  
10 depreciation for the eighteen months ending December 31, 2007 utilizes the  
11 depreciation rates currently authorized by the Commission.

12 Q. Please describe Exhibit E-2, Schedules 6, 7, 8, and 9.

13 A. Schedules 6 thru 9 show the forecast of working capital requirements for  
14 materials and supplies, prepayments and cash working capital. The cash  
15 working capital is derived by first deducting purchased electric costs,  
16 uncollectible and regulatory costs and amortizations from the annual O&M  
17 expenses shown on Exhibit E-5, Summary. The cash working capital is then  
18 calculated by use of the one-eighth formula.

19 The prepayment balances were forecast based on the estimated cost of the  
20 underlying cost element or through the use of general inflation factors. For  
21 example, prepaid property taxes, which are the single largest prepayment, are  
22 forecasted based on the projected property tax bills. The forecast of insurance  
23 premiums was based on the Test Year plus general inflation. The forecasted

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1 balances of materials and supplies include plant materials and stores expense.  
2 Plant materials and stores expense was forecasted by use of the general  
3 inflation factors addressed later in my testimony.

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5 **ELECTRIC INCOME STATEMENT AND RATE OF RETURN**

6 Q. Please generally describe how the Company's forecast cost of service was  
7 developed.

8 A. I refer to Exhibit E-4, Schedule 2, Page 1, which is the summary of the cost of  
9 service for the historical twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and the twelve  
10 months ending December 31, 2007. Column 1 of this schedule contains the  
11 actual per books numbers for the twelve months ended June 30, 2006.  
12 Operating revenues have been detailed by sales to the public, sales for resale,  
13 and other operating revenues. The operating expenses have been broken down  
14 into elements of cost, some of which are forecasted directly and others of  
15 which are included in a grouping that was escalated by inflation rates  
16 supported later in my testimony. The Test Year contains items not specifically  
17 related to actual Test Year operations or which may be considered  
18 nonrecurring. These items are adjusted through various normalizing  
19 adjustments as set forth in column 3 of the Exhibit. The adjusted results for  
20 the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 are summarized in column 4. Column  
21 6 reflects conditions in the twelve months ending December 31, 2007 and  
22 various rate case adjustments and column 7 reflects the twelve months ending  
23 December 31, 2007 absent rate change. Column 9, which is a summation of

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1 columns 7 and 8, shows operating income, average rate base and rate of return  
2 for the twelve months ending December 31, 2007.

3 Q. Was the data shown for the twelve months ending December 31, 2007 derived  
4 from the per books data shown in the first column?

5 A. Yes. Each element of cost has been analyzed to further subdivide the basic  
6 elements into necessary components for purposes of forecasting the various  
7 changes in that cost element for the forecast period. Exhibit E-4, Schedules 3  
8 through 10, supports the remaining cost of service components; sales and  
9 revenues, surcharge to recover trued-up O&M and deferrals, other operating  
10 revenues, depreciation, taxes other than income taxes, state and federal income  
11 taxes, and interest synchronization respectively.

12 **Sales and Revenues:**

13 Q. What was your source for the calendar year 2007 projections of sales and  
14 delivery revenues?

15 A. Company witness Lenz provided me with the projections of sales and delivery  
16 revenues. The amounts are shown on Exhibit E-3, Schedule 1 as well as  
17 Exhibit E-4, Schedule 3.

18 **Surcharge for True-Up O&M and Deferrals**

19 Q. As discussed below, one means to avoid further increases in O&M expenses  
20 that the Company is currently allowed to defer (i.e., pension, OPEB, R&D and  
21 environmental remediation costs, as well as to reduce the net outstanding  
22 deferred balance as of December 31, 2006), is through a surcharge mechanism.  
23 As Mr. Rasmussen explains, if the Commission were looking for ways to

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1 mitigate the build up of deferrals, either for reasons of rate stability,  
2 intergenerational equities, or some other reasons, it could consider current  
3 recovery through this type of surcharge mechanism. Such a mechanism would  
4 be particularly appropriate where it can take advantage of energy cost  
5 reductions to mitigate bill impacts.

6 Q. Can you please explain how this mechanism would work and how the amount  
7 was computed?

8 A. The new surcharge would be part of the Company's Energy Cost Adjustment  
9 ("ECA"). The calculation of the surcharge is shown on Exhibit E-4, Schedule  
10 4, and reflects the following:

11 a) The surcharge would allow for all outstanding electric deferred  
12 credit and debit balances as of December 31, 2006 to be netted to  
13 eliminate large offsetting items. Exhibit E-4, Schedule 4, page 2 of  
14 2 shows that at December 31, 2006, the Company had  
15 approximately \$20 million of regulatory liabilities. This schedule  
16 nets the regulatory liabilities against selected regulatory assets in  
17 order to utilize all of the credits leaving a net of approximately \$25  
18 million excluding the OPEB Transitional Obligation.

19 b) For the remaining regulatory asset balances the Company would  
20 propose to recover those costs over three years as part of the  
21 surcharge. The amounts to be recovered would total approximately  
22 \$8.7 million per year.

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1 c) Page 1 of Exhibit E-4, Schedule 4, shows the projected level of  
2 ongoing pension, OPEB, R&D and environmental remediation  
3 costs, as compared to the current rate allowance for those expenses.  
4 To the extent that the 2007 level of expense exceeds the current rate  
5 allowance, this overage has been added to the annual surcharge.

6 **Other Operating Revenues**

7 Q. How was the forecast of Other Operating Revenues on Exhibit E-4, Schedule  
8 5, developed?

9 A. The schedule shows three components for other operating revenues, i.e.,  
10 Miscellaneous Service Revenues, Rents, and Revenue Subject to Refund. I  
11 first will discuss Miscellaneous Service Revenues.

12 Q. Please continue.

13 A. The line item for Late Payment Charge ("LPC") Revenues was forecasted  
14 using the ratio of the historic LPC to sales revenues to develop a factor. This  
15 factor was applied to the forecast revenues for calendar year 2007. The next  
16 item, "3<sup>rd</sup> Party Wheeling" was removed from the twelve months ending  
17 December 31, 2007, because it is a component of the Market Supply Charge  
18 ("MSC"). The next item represents billings to Consolidated Edison Company  
19 of New York, Inc. for the carrying charges related to the second 345 KV  
20 Circuit, Ramapo to South Mahwah. The forecast of \$185,000 is based on the  
21 currently billed monthly carrying charge. The next item, "Customer  
22 Reconnect Fees" represents the \$21 charge to restore customer during other  
23 than normal business hours. The next item, "Property Tax Sharing Incentives"

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1 is O&R's 10% retention of savings on a cash refund received from the Town  
2 of Clarkstown, as allowed under the Company's recently expired electric rate  
3 plan. This item was eliminated from the calendar year 2007 projection. Next  
4 I projected the revenues from Bad Check Charges at the \$35,000 amount that  
5 was in the historic period. The three-year average was \$32,000. The Sundry  
6 System Billing Adjustments were out-of-period entries that were normalized.  
7 The charge to revenues for Accommodation Work was transferred to  
8 Distribution Expenses.

9 Q. Please continue with Rents from Electric Property.

10 A. These rents are projected at the anticipated rental income in the twelve months  
11 ending December 31, 2007 based on the Company budget.

12 Q. Please continue with Joint Use Rents.

13 A. Joint Use Rents with the Company's subsidiaries, Rockland Electric Company  
14 ("RECO") and Pike County Light & Power Company ("Pike"), included an out  
15 of period adjustment in the historic year. The level for the twelve months  
16 ending December 31, 2007 is \$3,446,000 based on the current billings for this  
17 item.

18 Q. What are the items in the next group, Revenue Subject to Refund?

19 A. The first item, identified as 2000 SIT Transitional Tax Benefits, represents  
20 New York State deferred income taxes that are applicable to calendar years  
21 prior to 2001 that resulted when the tax laws were changed and required the  
22 Company to start paying the New York State Corporate Business Tax in that  
23 year. A deferred tax benefit of \$6,973,000 was created for operating costs that

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1           were deferred in prior periods that will be deducted in the future as they are  
2           amortized. In this case we are proposing to pass this benefit back to customers  
3           as part of the deferral netting proposal. The next item identified as SIT Rate  
4           Differential represents the benefit set aside for customers for "excess" deferred  
5           New York State Income Taxes. This "excess" was created when the statutory  
6           tax rate was reduced from 10.03% to 9.53% in 2001 and then further reduced  
7           to 9.03% in 2002. I am proposing to return this benefit to customers also as  
8           part of our deferral netting proposal. Prior Period SIT Passback represents an  
9           offset to customer revenues to match SIT surcharges collected from customers.  
10          This item is not applicable to the twelve months ending December 31, 2007.  
11          The final item, Passback Electric Performance Penalty, represents the  
12          Company's proposal to return electric performance penalties incurred by the  
13          Company to customers also as part of our deferral netting proposal.

14    **Depreciation**

15    Q.    Please describe Schedule 6.

16    A.    Schedule 6 contains two pages; the first page shows the monthly calculation of  
17          depreciation expense for electric and common plant for the period from July 1,  
18          2006 through December 31, 2006. The second page shows the monthly  
19          calculation of depreciation expense for electric and common plant for calendar  
20          year 2007.

21    **Taxes Other Than Income Taxes**

22    Q.    Please describe the development of Taxes Other than Income Taxes.

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- 1 A. Exhibit E-4, Schedule 7, presents electric taxes other than income taxes for the  
2 twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and for the twelve months ending  
3 December 31, 2007. Taxes other than income taxes include property taxes,  
4 payroll taxes, revenue taxes, and other taxes.  
5 Payroll taxes were determined by applying effective payroll tax rates to the  
6 forecasted direct labor expense as provided to me by Company witness Kosior.  
7 Revenue taxes were determined based on the estimated revenue multiplied by  
8 the current tax rates. Other miscellaneous taxes were escalated by the inflation  
9 rates to arrive at the twelve months ending December 31, 2007 level of tax  
10 expense.
- 11 Q. Please describe the method used to forecast property taxes.
- 12 A. The property taxes associated with electric operations were derived by taking  
13 the latest known property tax bills and recently approved assessment  
14 reductions to calculate this expense for calendar year 2007. The tax rate was  
15 not projected to increase in 2007. Property taxes have been lower than the  
16 target established in the expired rate plan and the pass back of the  
17 overcollection as well as property tax refunds received is shown on this  
18 schedule.
- 19 Q. What do the property tax refund amounts on Exhibit E-4, Schedule 7,  
20 represent?
- 21 A. The property tax refunds in calendar year 2007 represent previously deferred  
22 refunds, net of incentives, from the Towns of Ramapo, Clarkstown,  
23 Orangetown, and Haverstraw.

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1 **Income Taxes**

2 Q. Please describe how the calculation of state and Federal income tax expenses  
3 were performed for electric operations.

4 A. I will begin with the computation of state income tax, which is shown on  
5 Schedule 8 of Exhibit E-4. Starting with operating income before state income  
6 taxes ("SIT") for the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and the various  
7 columns for normalizing adjustments and rate case adjustments, I then show  
8 the various required tax adjustments to book operating income to determine  
9 taxable income. I then computed the amount of SIT payable using the  
10 statutory rate of 7.5% applicable to such taxable income. The last column  
11 represents the state income tax for calendar year 2007.

12 Q. Please explain Schedule 9.

13 A. Schedule 9 details the Federal income tax ("FIT") computation. Starting with  
14 operating income before FIT for the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and  
15 the columns for normalizing adjustments and rate case adjustments, I deducted  
16 the amount of SIT previously determined on Schedule 8 to arrive at book  
17 operating income before FIT. I then show the various required tax adjustments  
18 to book operating income to determine taxable income and computed the  
19 amount of FIT payable using the statutory rate of 35% applicable to such  
20 taxable income. From this payable amount I then reflected certain items as  
21 adjustments to taxable income as well as amortizations for items normalized in  
22 the calendar year 2007 or in prior periods to arrive at FIT expense.

1 **Interest Synchronization**

2 Q. Please explain Schedule 10.

3 A. Schedule 10 shows the calculation of the interest deduction included in  
4 Schedules 8 and 9. The majority of long term debt has been issued by Orange  
5 and Rockland for itself and its subsidiary utility affiliates, RECO and Pike.  
6 This adjustment is necessary in order to allocate the proper level of interest  
7 expense to each jurisdiction.

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**OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES**

10 **Purchased Power**

11 Q. Please explain the purchased power cost element shown on Exhibit E-5,  
12 Schedule 1.

13 A. The purchased power cost element reflects the actual and forecast purchased  
14 power costs for O&R for the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and calendar  
15 year 2007. This cost is matched with the MSC/ECA recoveries shown on  
16 Exhibit E-4, Schedule 3.

17 **Employee and Other Insurance Costs**

18 Q. Please describe the costs included in the item "Health and Life Insurance  
19 Costs" set forth on Exhibit E-5, Schedule 4, page 2.

20 A. The first line item on this exhibit includes all costs related to medical, dental,  
21 prescription drugs (card and mail order), vision, health maintenance  
22 organizations ("HMOs"), life insurance, disability, and accidental death and  
23 dismemberment coverage. The amounts are net of reimbursements pursuant to

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1 the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 ("COBRA"),  
2 employee and retiree contributions, capitalized, and recovered amounts.

3 Q. How does the Company administer its medical benefit plans?

4 A. The Company's hourly employees are covered under a fully insured Point of  
5 Service Plan ("POS") with Aetna US Healthcare ("Aetna"), for which pre-  
6 established premium rates are paid. A self-funded POS Plan administered by  
7 United Healthcare covers the majority of management employees. In addition  
8 to the self-insured plan, management employees are offered the option of  
9 enrolling in one of two HMOs. For retirees, the most prevalent coverage is an  
10 indemnity type plan administered by United Healthcare.

11 Q. How does the Company manage its prescription, dental and vision insurance  
12 costs?

13 A. Prescription, dental and vision benefits for employees have been carved out of  
14 the medical plans and are administered by Caremark, MetLife, and  
15 Comprehensive Professional Systems, respectively. Coverage for employees  
16 is provided through self-insured indemnity type plans. Each year the Company  
17 reviews industry trends with regards to sharing of cost increases for  
18 prescription drug, dental and vision plans. These trends are taken into  
19 consideration plan design and employee contribution changes.

20 Q. What changes has the Company made within the benefit plans over the last  
21 several years?

22 A. Since the merger with Con Edison, Orange and Rockland has moved its health  
23 care, prescription drug, dental and vision plans over to the same health care

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1 providers used by its Con Edison affiliates. This move has allowed the  
2 Company to realize lower administrative fees and the benefits of being part of  
3 a much larger group. Medical coverage for all hourly employees is currently  
4 with a fully insured POS. Management and retired employees are covered  
5 under the self-insured plan administered by United Healthcare.

6 Q. How else has the Company been aggressive in controlling healthcare costs?

7 A. The Company has made several modifications to its health care benefits to  
8 control the growth of costs. For example, administrators have been changed,  
9 deductibles and co-insurance amounts and employee contributions have been  
10 increased. Funding has been changed to self-insurance, where and when  
11 appropriate.

12 Q. Have all of these changes been effective in the control of costs?

13 A. Yes. The Company has focused its management on the problem of spiraling  
14 health insurance costs. The Company has made several difficult business  
15 decisions and introduced innovative plan design features, which have resulted  
16 in lower health care cost increases. With co-insurance payments for example,  
17 the cost borne by employees is moving towards 20% of the premiums paid for  
18 both union and management active employees. The move towards higher  
19 employee contributions has helped to keep the overall level of cost increases  
20 experienced by the Company in line with medical trend rates

21 Q. How were your projections of health and life insurance costs derived?

22 A. In order to project health insurance costs, I first separated the actual benefit  
23 costs for the 12 months ended June 30, 2006 into three groups. The first group

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1 included all of the Company's Health Care Plans, Prescription Drug Programs  
2 and Dental Plans. The second group was made up of Vision Care costs. The  
3 third group contained life insurance and disability plans. For the benefit costs  
4 I escalated the actual charges using an overall factor of 8.0%, which was the  
5 average level of cost increases the Company experienced over the last three  
6 years .

7 Q. Certain of the medical costs described above also relate to retirees, such as  
8 health and life insurance, prescription drug costs, and Medicare Part B  
9 payments. Are these costs also included on Exhibit E-5, Schedule 6, page 2?

10 A. Exhibit E-5, Schedule 4, page 2, contains the pay-as-you-go cost for retiree  
11 claim payments made by the Company, net of reimbursements from the VEBA  
12 Benefit Trusts. Exhibit E-5, Schedule 6, excludes all of these payments.

13 Q. Please explain how reimbursements from employees and retirees are reflected  
14 in Exhibit E-5, Schedule 4.

15 A. Exhibit E-5, Schedule 4, includes adjustments to reduce the total medical costs  
16 for reimbursements by employees, retirees and surviving spouses. The  
17 Company makes several life and health insurance programs available to  
18 employees and retirees, their dependents, and spouses of deceased employees  
19 and retirees, in which the individual makes payment of the insurance premium.  
20 Spouses of some deceased employees and all retirees are offered optional  
21 continuation of benefits, for which they are billed a premium. Also included in  
22 this category are contributions made by employees and retirees for health  
23 coverage. For both hourly and management employees, the contribution

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1 amount is based upon the coverage elected (i.e., employee only, employee plus  
2 one dependent, employee plus two or more dependents) and the provisions of  
3 the Company's current Bargaining Unit Contract. For retirees, the amount is  
4 "frozen" at the rate they were paying at the time of their retirement.

5 Contributions stop at age 65. At that point Medicare would become the  
6 retiree's primary medical coverage.

7 Q. When did the Company introduce employee contributions?

8 A. For hourly employees, contributions were introduced in 1991 as a result of the  
9 1988 contract negotiations with Local Union 503 of the International  
10 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. For management employees, contributions  
11 were introduced in 1995.

12 Q. How were contributions, reimbursements and amounts to be capitalized  
13 projected?

14 A. The actual contributions, reimbursements and amounts capitalized were  
15 projected using the same three year average escalation factor of 8.0% that was  
16 used to project the benefit costs .

17 Q. Please describe the other components shown on Exhibit E-5, Schedule 4, page  
18 2.

19 A. The next line entitled Other Employee Benefit Costs consists of other benefit  
20 costs such as employee training, safety shoes and personnel administration.  
21 The calendar year 2007 level was based on the twelve months ended June 30,  
22 2006 escalated using the general inflation factor. Property insurance expense  
23 represents O&R's share of policies that are administered by Con Edison.

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1 General Liability Insurance includes the cost of self-insured claims up to  
2 \$500,000 per instance, excess liability premiums (for claims over \$500,000),  
3 Directors and Officers ("D&O") insurance and a few small miscellaneous  
4 policies.

5 Q. What is the basis for the normalizing adjustment to the twelve months ended  
6 June 30, 2006 level of general liability insurance?

7 A. A normalizing adjustment was made to increase the twelve months ended June  
8 30, 2006 level of general liability insurance costs by \$1,279,000 in order to  
9 reflect a three-year average of claims paid by the Company. The twelve  
10 months ended June 30, 2006 level of expense was then escalated at an annual  
11 general inflation rate of 2.4 percent in order to calculate the calendar year 2007  
12 level of expense.

13 Q. Doesn't General Liability Insurance expense include amounts reserved in order  
14 to provide for outstanding claims? If so how is the reserve for claims  
15 determined?

16 A. Yes, the Company's Risk Management and Legal Departments review all  
17 outstanding claims annually. A reserve is then provided for each claim up to  
18 the Company's self-insurance cap of \$500,000. Amounts to be paid over this  
19 amount are covered by an excess general liability insurance policy. As claims  
20 are settled or new reserves establish, there may be significant fluctuation in the  
21 annual level of expenses. This is why it is necessary to normalize the overall  
22 level to reflect the average cost over time.

23 Q. How was workers' compensation costs projected?

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1 A. The twelve months ended June 30, 2006 level of expense was escalated using  
2 an inflation rate of 8.0 percent in order to calculate the calendar year 2007  
3 level of expense.

4 Regulatory Costs and Amortizations

5 Q. What costs are included in Exhibit E-5, Schedule 5, Page 2?

6 A. The Regulatory Costs and Amortizations schedule includes the allowance for  
7 R&D and the System Benefits Charge ("SBC"). In addition, this schedule  
8 includes the amortization of deferred stray voltage expense and storm reserve  
9 charges, as well as credits for 1<sup>st</sup> installed transformers, oil supplier refunds  
10 and DSM overrecoveries.

11 Q. Please address the R&D component.

12 A. In accordance with previous NYPSC decisions and its 1978 Technical Release,  
13 the Company reconciles actual R&D recoveries and expenditures. Electric  
14 R&D costs reflect primarily the Company's share of R&D costs included in  
15 the NYPSC annual assessment and the electric portion of the R&D costs  
16 charged to Orange and Rockland as a shared service. At December 31, 2006,  
17 Orange and Rockland had an undercollected balance of \$2.9 million. I propose  
18 to amortize this undercollected balance over the three-year period ending  
19 December 31, 2009. This cost would be recovered through the surcharge  
20 mechanism that I discuss below. In addition, Orange and Rockland's electric  
21 rates must provide an adequate level of revenue for projected twelve months  
22 ending December 31, 2007 R&D expenditures of \$991,000. The total R&D  
23 allowance I am sponsoring is \$1,941,000.

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1 Q. Please address the SBC component.

2 A. SBC costs are currently recovered through a separate surcharge in rates. The  
3 costs shown on this schedule match the revenue recoveries forecast by the  
4 Company on Exhibit E-4, Schedule 3.

5 Q. Please address the category of expense labeled stray voltage.

6 A. The Commission required Orange and Rockland to perform stray voltage  
7 testing pursuant to the Orders it issued on February 11, 2004 and July 21, 2005  
8 in Case 04-M-0159. During the period from June 2005 through October 2006,  
9 the Company incurred and deferred approximately \$2.5 million of stray  
10 voltage expenditures. The Company is proposing that one means of recovering  
11 these deferred costs would be through the proposed surcharge mechanism that I  
12 discuss below. Since the expiration of O&R's electric rate plan (i.e.,  
13 November 1, 2006) the Company has been charging all stray voltage program  
14 costs to expense. For calendar year 2007, this cost is estimated to be \$1.7  
15 million. The estimate of \$1.7 million was derived by taking the historical  
16 spending of \$2.5 million dividing this amount by eighteen months (i.e., June  
17 2005 – October 2006) to arrive at an average monthly expenditure of  
18 \$141,600. This amount was then annualized ( $\$141,600 \times 12$ ) to arrive at the  
19 2007 estimate of \$1.7 million.

20 Q. Please continue with the storm reserve cost component.

21 A. The storm reserve has been depleted over the last three years and currently has  
22 a debit balance of \$1,743,000. Deferrals for the storm reserve will be  
23 increasing and will need to be addressed in the next base rate case. As a

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1 placeholder, I applied available credits as of December 31, 2006 to fund the  
2 reserve in much the same manner as it was allowed to in Case 03-E-0797.

3 This adjustment has no impact on O&R projected 2007 earnings because it was  
4 offset by applying available credits.

5 Q. Please address the credit for 1<sup>st</sup> installed transformers.

6 A. Orange and Rockland's Property Accounting Department noted an error in  
7 2006 with the level of costs capitalized for 1<sup>st</sup> installed transformers. Over the  
8 last several years the Company was not capitalizing all installation costs for all  
9 new transformers. As a result, in December 2006, the Company recorded an  
10 entry of \$1.7 million to capitalize the proper amount and deferred the credit for  
11 the benefit of customers. Information that the Company provided to Staff in  
12 Case 03-E-0797 included the Company's projection of 1<sup>st</sup> installed transformer  
13 costs that were expensed at that time rather than capitalized. It is therefore  
14 appropriate to refund this amount back to customers, net of depreciation of the  
15 capitalized amounts. This credit was included as part of the calculation of the  
16 surcharge shown on Exhibit E-4, Schedule 4.

17 Q. Please address the credit for oil supplier refunds.

18 A. Over the last several years, the Company has received two refunds from  
19 lawsuits undertaken by the Company and other utilities against suppliers that  
20 provided the Company with oil that was used as a boiler fuel at the Company's  
21 generating stations prior to divestiture. The portion of those refunds applicable  
22 to New York customers (i.e., 70%) was included as part of the calculation of  
23 the surcharge shown on Exhibit E-4, Schedule 4.

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1 Q. Please continue with the last component regarding demand side management  
2 ("DSM").

3 A. The Company has a number of DSM programs that were funded by customers  
4 over a number of years. At this point spending on those programs is minimal  
5 and the Company has an over recovered balance of \$923,000. O&R is  
6 proposing to include this credit as part of the calculation of the surcharge  
7 shown on Exhibit E-4, Schedule 4.

8 **Pension and OPEB Costs**

9 Q. Please describe the accounting procedures followed by the Company to record  
10 pension costs.

11 A. The Company's pension expense has been calculated in accordance with the  
12 provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 87 ("SFAS No.  
13 87") and the Commission's Statement of Policy and Order Concerning the  
14 Accounting and Ratemaking Treatment for Pensions and Postretirement  
15 Benefits Other Than Pensions (Case 91-M-0890), issued and effective  
16 September 7, 1993, ("Pension and OPEB Order"). In accordance with the  
17 Commission's Accounting Order dated September 22, 1987 the Company  
18 defers any difference, including the income tax effect, between the allowance  
19 provided in current rates for pension costs and the corresponding book expense  
20 recorded under the provisions of SFAS No. 87. Assumptions used to calculate  
21 the Company's SFAS No. 87 expenses are listed and described in the  
22 workpapers that are being submitted in support of this Exhibit. Using these  
23 assumptions, it was projected that at the beginning of the calendar year 2007,

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1 the deferred balance would be approximately \$12.4 million, representing an  
2 under recovery of the Company's SFAS No. 87 pension expense. It is  
3 proposed that this deferred balance be amortized over a 36-month period.  
4 Supporting workpapers submitted with the Company's filing show the  
5 Company's current rate base deduction and the components of the average  
6 monthly balance of deferred pension costs for the twelve months ended  
7 December 31, 2007.

8 Q. How is the Company accounting for the difference between the rate base  
9 deductions included in rates and the actual current balance?

10 A. The Pension and OPEB Order (pp. 19-20) and the Rate Order require the  
11 Company to accrue carrying charges on the pension recoveries not deposited  
12 into an external fund, in excess of the Company's imputed rate base deduction.  
13 In Case 03-E-0797, the imputed rate base deduction was \$6.3 million.

14 Q. Are there other costs included in pension expense?

15 A. Yes, the Company has a partial 401(K) Matching Plan, whereby the Company  
16 matches half of employee contributions into their 401(K) Plans up to a  
17 maximum of 6% (equivalent to 3% of employee contributions). The cost for  
18 the 401(K) Plan was calculated by taking the actual expense incurred during  
19 the twelve months ended June 30, 2006 and escalating the cost using the  
20 payroll escalation factor provided to me by Company witness Kosior.

21 Q. Please describe the accounting procedures followed by the Company to record  
22 OPEB costs.

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1 A. Since the adoption of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 106  
2 ("SFAS No 106") on January 1, 1992, the Company has calculated its OPEB  
3 obligation in accordance with the provisions of this Statement and in  
4 conformity with the Commission's Pension and OPEB Order. Prior to that  
5 time the Company used the "Pay-As-You-Go" method for both financial and  
6 ratemaking purposes. The Commission's decisions in Cases 93-M-0849  
7 allowed the Company to start recovering current and previously deferred  
8 OPEB costs beginning on May 1, 1996. Assumptions used to calculate the  
9 Company's SFAS No. 106 expense are listed and described in workpapers that  
10 are being submitted in support of this Exhibit. Using these assumptions, at the  
11 beginning of calendar year 2007, the projected deferred balance will be  
12 approximately \$25 million. The deferred balance has two components; the  
13 first is the unamortized transitional obligation of \$11 million, which is being  
14 amortized through December 31, 2012. The second component is the  
15 underrecovery of current costs amounting to \$14 million, which I am  
16 proposing to amortize over 36 months through the surcharge. Consistent with  
17 the Pension and OPEB Order, interest is only calculated when OPEB  
18 recoveries exceed funding. Since the Company has been able to fully utilize  
19 rate recoveries in a tax effective manner to fund its OPEB Obligation, no  
20 interest has been accrued.

21 Q. Please describe the Medicare Part D Deferral.

22 A. Medicare legislation was enacted in 2004 that grants Medicare recipients a  
23 partial reimbursement of prescription drug costs starting in 2006. The

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1 projected reimbursement applicable to Company employees and retirees was  
2 factored into the estimated OPEB costs calculated by the Company's actuaries.  
3 One additional benefit not reflected in their calculations relates to the point  
4 that the Medicare reimbursements will not be subject to federal or state income  
5 taxes. As a result the Company has estimated and deferred this tax benefit for  
6 customers. The ongoing benefit has been reflected as an adjustment to the  
7 Company's ongoing state and Federal income taxes on Exhibits E-4, Schedules  
8 8 and 9.

9 Q. What steps has the Company taken to control OPEB Costs?

10 A. Since the adoption of SFAS No. 106 in January 1992, the Company has  
11 reduced its net periodic costs by (i) the use of "Caps" or limits on the level of  
12 benefits to be paid, (ii) the requirement of contributions from retirees to offset  
13 a portion of the costs, (iii) the use of mail order drug plans, and (iv) the move  
14 to premium based insured plans and HMOs.

15 **Uncollectible Accounts**

16 Q. Please address Exhibit E-5, Schedule 7.

17 A. Exhibit E-5, Schedule 7, presents the projected uncollectible accounts expense.  
18 These projections are based on the ratio of bad debt customer account write-  
19 offs, net of collections, to sales to customers for the three-year period ended  
20 December 31, 2006. For each one hundred dollars of revenue billed to  
21 customers, \$0.48 was written off as uncollectible. This ratio was then applied  
22 to projected revenues from sales to customers during calendar year 2007. The  
23 adjustment to the Test Year level of uncollectible accounts expense is required

1 to adjust the book expense amount, which is determined using the reserve  
2 method of accounting, to the average level of customer account write-offs  
3 incurred during the last three year period.

4 **Environmental Costs**

5 Q. Please describe Orange and Rockland's former MGP sites.

6 A. Orange and Rockland and its predecessor companies manufactured coal gas  
7 and water gas for local use prior to the introduction of natural gas in the  
8 1940's. The Company has identified the seven sites ("MGP Sites") at which it  
9 or its predecessors operated MGP facilities. Pursuant to two Consent Orders  
10 that O&R entered into with the New York State Department of Conservation  
11 ("NYSDEC"), O&R has been actively investigating these seven MGP sites. In  
12 addition, since the execution of these Consent Orders, O&R has identified and  
13 investigated another site, McVeigh Road, that contains MGP residues. O&R  
14 also has completed remediation at one of its seven MGP sites (i.e., Haverstraw,  
15 93 B Maple Avenue) and has initiated remediation at another (i.e., Nyack).

16 Q. What costs has Orange and Rockland incurred to date associated with the  
17 MGP Sites?

18 A. Orange and Rockland has incurred costs net of insurance recoveries, of  
19 approximately \$17 million through December 31, 2006. These costs reflect  
20 the work performed at the sites as outlined above. The electric portion of these  
21 costs is 70.75% using the allocation procedures adopted in O&R's last rate  
22 case.

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1 Q. Has the Company estimated the total cost that it will incur to remediate these  
2 MGP Sites?

3 A. Based on remediation cost estimates developed in April 2004, and after  
4 deducting all insurance recoveries, Orange and Rockland has established an  
5 estimated total liability of \$63.5 million to address all of the MGP Sites. The  
6 Company estimates that of this amount, it will incur approximately \$25 million  
7 through December 31, 2009 on remediation efforts. The Electric Department's  
8 share of these costs would be approximately \$18 million, excluding carrying  
9 charges.

10 Q. Are there any other potential environmental costs that Orange and Rockland  
11 may incur?

12 A. Yes. Orange and Rockland's West Nyack Operating Center remains listed on  
13 the New York State Inactive Hazardous Site Registry. The remediation of  
14 impacted soils at the facility was completed in 1999. Quarterly groundwater  
15 monitoring was conducted for a period of two years as directed by the  
16 NYSDEC. This monitoring has been resumed at the West Nyack facility in  
17 response to a request from the NYSDEC. In addition, O&R has conducted an  
18 additional subsurface investigation at NYSDEC's request to determine the  
19 source of chlorinated solvents in the groundwater at the site. O&R submitted a  
20 report to NYSDEC in July 2005 and NYSDEC has requested additional  
21 investigation. Quarterly groundwater monitoring will also continue.

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GENERAL INFLATION FACTOR

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1 Q. Please address the general inflation factors used by Orange and Rockland as  
2 shown on Exhibit E-10.

3 A. General inflation factors as forecast in the Blue Chip Economic Indicators  
4 were utilized to escalate various elements of the cost of service as addressed  
5 throughout my testimony and the testimony of other witnesses. Based on this  
6 publication dated October 31, 2006, the projected inflation rate for the twelve  
7 months ended June 30, 2006 to the twelve months ending December 31, 2007,  
8 is 1.057, or 5.7%.

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**FUND REQUIREMENTS AND SOURCES**

11 Q. Please describe Exhibit E-4, Schedule 11.

12 A. Exhibit E-4, Schedule 11, presents a statement of sources and application of  
13 funds for the twelve months ending December 31, 2007 for Orange and  
14 Rockland's Electric Operations. Sources of Funds are broken down into  
15 Internal and External Sources. Internal Sources include the change in retained  
16 earnings during the twelve months ending December 31, 2007, depreciation,  
17 amortizations, and deferred taxes. External Sources include long-term and  
18 short-term debt, and common stock equity. The primary use of funds is for  
19 construction and the retirement of short-term debt.

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**THREE-YEAR EARNINGS FORECAST**

22 Q. Have you developed a three-year earnings projection?

23 A. Yes.

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1 Q. What is the purpose of this forecast?

2 A. To show that the Company's earnings are forecasted to continue to decline  
3 from the levels achieved under the expired rate plan.

4 Q. Please explain how this three-year forecast was developed.

5 A. Assuming that current rates are unchanged over the next three years, I  
6 projected operating results for calendar years 2008 and 2009 using calendar  
7 year 2007 as the base from which projections were developed.

8 Q. What does the Company's forecast for 2008 and 2009 show?

9 A. Exhibit E-7, Summary shows that absent rate relief, the Company would earn  
10 10.37% on equity in calendar year 2008 and 9.09% on equity in calendar year  
11 2009.

12 Q. Please explain how each element of revenue, expense and rate base, as shown  
13 on Exhibit E-7, Schedule 2, was projected for 2008 and 2009

14 A. In developing the Company's projections for 2008 and 2009, the Company  
15 utilized a number of supporting schedules, which are included as Schedules 3  
16 through 11 to Exhibit E-7. I will discuss below the source or calculation  
17 supporting each such Schedule.

18 **Sales and Delivery Revenues Exhibit E-7, Schedule 3**

19 The forecast of base sales and delivery revenues for 2008 and 2009 were  
20 developed by Company witness Lenz. The forecast of MSC and ECA  
21 revenues was developed by the Company's Forecast Department. These  
22 revenues are matched with the purchased power expenses shown on this  
23 Exhibit.

1 **Other Operating Revenues Exhibit E-7, Schedule 4**

2 The calendar year level of Miscellaneous Other Operating Revenues were  
3 escalated using the GDP deflator of 2.3% for 2008 and 2.2% for 2009.

4 **Other O&M Expenses Exhibit E-7, Schedule 5**

5 O&M expense were separated into three categories; payroll expenses, expense  
6 subject to inflation, and costs not subject to inflation. For payroll expenses, I  
7 escalated this cost by factors provided by Mr. Kosior of 3.61% for 2008 and  
8 3.09% for 2009. O&M expenses subject to inflation were escalated using  
9 2.3% for 2008 and 2.2% for 2009. Pensions and OPEB cost projections were  
10 based on forecast data provided by the Company's actuaries and shown on  
11 page 2 of this Schedule.

12 **Depreciation Expense Calculation Exhibit E-7, Schedule 6**

13 Depreciation was projected by applying the Company's approved depreciation  
14 rates against its forecast plant balances.

15 **Taxes Other Exhibit E-7, Schedule 7**

16 It was assumed that the property tax rate would not change over the next  
17 several years. The projection of this expense for 2008 and 2009 reflects the  
18 impact of additional plant. Revenues Taxes were calculated by applying the  
19 effective tax rates to the forecast revenues. Payroll taxes were escalated using  
20 the payroll factors provided by Mr. Kosior.

21 **Income Taxes Exhibit E-7, Schedules 8 & 9**

22 Q. Please describe how the calculation of SIT and FIT expenses were performed  
23 for electric operations.

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1 A. Starting with operating income before SIT for the 2008 and I computed the  
2 amount of SIT payable using the statutory rate of 7.5% applicable to such  
3 taxable income. The items detailed as normalizing and rate case adjustments  
4 are more fully described on Schedule 8 of this exhibit.

5 Q. Please explain Schedule 9.

6 A. Schedule 9 details the FIT computation. Starting with operating income before  
7 FIT for the 2008 and 2009, I deducted the amount of SIT previously  
8 determined on Schedule 8 to arrive at book operating income before FIT. I  
9 then show the various required tax adjustments to book operating income to  
10 determine taxable income and computed the amount of FIT payable using the  
11 statutory rate of 35% applicable to such taxable income. From this payable  
12 amount I then reflected certain items as adjustments to taxable income as well  
13 as amortizations for items forecast to be normalized in calendar years 2008 and  
14 2009 to arrive at FIT expense. The items detailed as normalizing and rate case  
15 adjustments are more fully described in Schedule 9 of this exhibit.

16 **Rate Base Exhibit E-7, Schedule 10**

17 The average electric rate base for calendar year 2008 and calendar year 2009  
18 was increased to reflect the Company's construction budget net of accrued  
19 depreciation, changes in working capital requirements, regulatory deferrals  
20 and deferred taxes. Increased depreciation expense associated with the  
21 projected plant additions was also reflected.

22 Q. Do you have any other comments regarding the projected earnings for calendar  
23 year 2008 and calendar year 2009?

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1 A. Yes. The projected earnings for calendar year 2008 and calendar year 2009  
2 are based on projections of inflation, property taxes, and construction  
3 expenditures developed using the best information available to the Company at  
4 the time of this filing. As noted above, that information can change with the  
5 passage of time. It is possible that inflation will begin to accelerate causing the  
6 Company's operating expenses to increase at a rate greater than that assumed  
7 in developing the projected revenue requirements. Also, operating  
8 requirements can change causing the need for temporary or permanent changes  
9 in resources, including the Company's construction budget.

10 **Interest Synchronization Exhibit E-7, Schedule 11**

11 Q. Please explain Schedule 11.

12 A. Schedule 11 shows the calculation of the interest deduction included in  
13 Schedules 8 and 9. The majority of long term debt has been issued by Orange  
14 and Rockland for itself and its subsidiary utility affiliates, RECO and Pike.  
15 This adjustment is necessary in order to allocate the proper level of interest  
16 expense to each jurisdiction.

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18 **PROPOSAL TO RECOVER TRUED UP O&M AND DEFERRALS**

19 Q. Is O&R currently operating under an electric rate plan?

20 A. No, O&R's electric rate plan expired October 31, 2006.

21 Q. Did the expired rate plan contain any provisions to recover deferred expenses?

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1 A. Yes, the expired rate plan allowed the Company to apply the customer's share  
2 of earnings above predefined thresholds to reduce deferred pension and OPEB  
3 balances.

4 Q. Was the level of pension and OPEB expense included in the delivery rates  
5 established by the expired rate plan adequate to recover the annual expense  
6 projected at the time of that agreement?

7 A. No.

8 Q. The expired electric rate plan reflected the Joint Proposal that was adopted by  
9 the Commission in its Order Adopting the Terms of a Joint Proposal and  
10 Clarifying a Provision, issued by the Commission on October 23, 2003 in Case  
11 No. 03-E-0797 ("Rate Order"). This rate plan covered a forty-month period  
12 from July 1, 2003 to October 31, 2006 and provided for no change in base  
13 rates during this period other than to transfer the collection of the New York  
14 State Corporate Business Tax from a separate surcharge to base rates. The rate  
15 plan required O&R to write down deferred pension and OPEB costs during the  
16 term of the plan by \$11 million. When was the last time that the Commission  
17 granted O&R an electric base rate increase?

18 A. O&R has not had an electric base rate increase since 1994. In fact, O&R's  
19 electric rates have been reduced five times since 1995. Overall, O&R's base  
20 electric rates are \$29 million or 16% lower today than they were in 1995.  
21 When recognizing the impact of inflation, base rates are actually more than  
22 20% lower today than they were twelve years ago.

23 Q. Is Orange and Rockland seeking a base rate revenue increase in this filing?

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1 A. No.

2 Q. Is the Company seeking any other change in its rate structure?

3 A. No. The Company has developed, for the Commission's consideration, a  
4 surcharge mechanism as a means to eliminate any increase in deferred  
5 balances. The surcharge mechanism ("Surcharge") would recover "trued-up"  
6 O&M expenses (i.e., pension, OPEB, R&D and environmental remediation  
7 costs) as well as the net outstanding deferred balance as of December 31, 2006.

8 Q. Is this responsive to the directive that the Company take outstanding deferrals  
9 other than pension/OPEBs (i.e., environmental remediation costs and R&D  
10 costs) into account "to the extent possible, in developing its proposals for a  
11 reduction in electric rates?"

12 A. As indicated in the Company's Petition for Rehearing and Clarification, the  
13 Company does not understand how this could be accomplished. However, as  
14 discussed by Company witness Rasmussen, the Company shares the  
15 Commission's concerns regarding the increasing amounts of deferred costs. A  
16 surcharge that would begin to recover these costs on a current basis would help  
17 the Commission avoid having to address a large outstanding deferred balance,  
18 the next time the Company's seeks an increase in base rates.

19 Q. Does this conclude your direct testimony?

20 A. Yes, it does.

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**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
DIRECT TESTIMONY OF  
KENNETH A. KOSIOR**

1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. Kenneth A. Kosior, One Blue Hill Plaza, Pearl River, New York 10965.

3 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

4 A. I am employed by Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("Orange and  
5 Rockland", "O&R", or the "Company") where I hold the position of Director  
6 – Financial Services.

7 Q. Please briefly outline your educational and business experience.

8 A. I graduated from Pace University in 1976 with a Bachelor of Business  
9 Administration degree, having majored in Accounting. In June 1980, I  
10 received a Masters of Business Administration degree from Fairleigh  
11 Dickinson University, having majored in Accounting and Finance. After  
12 graduation from Pace, I was employed by Homa Company as a staff  
13 accountant. I joined Orange and Rockland in July 1979 as an Associate  
14 Accountant advancing to Supervisor-Payroll, Supervisor & Manager-  
15 General Accounting where I had the responsibility of administering and  
16 supervising all employee related payroll records and subsequently the  
17 books and records of Orange and Rockland and its subsidiaries. In June  
18 1989, I was promoted to Manager-Budgets and was responsible for the  
19 development and management of the operating and capital budgets. My  
20 additional duties included forecasting and analyzing the corporate financial  
21 statements. I was named Strategic Analysis Principal in October 1994  
22 and became responsible for developing, analyzing and evaluating

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1 corporate direction and business opportunities. In June 1995, I was  
2 promoted to Director of Accounting, where I was responsible for the  
3 accounting functions of Orange and Rockland and its subsidiaries,  
4 including the consolidated financial statements. In July 1999, as a result  
5 of the merger involving Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.  
6 ("Con Edison") and Orange and Rockland, I was appointed Director-  
7 Financial Planning and Administration, now called Financial Services,  
8 responsible for providing the coordination for administration, financial,  
9 budget and regulatory activities between Con Edison and Orange and  
10 Rockland. I have been a member of various accounting and finance  
11 committees of the Edison Electric Institute and Pennsylvania Electric  
12 Association. In addition, I am a past Chairperson of the New Jersey  
13 Utilities Association Accounting and Finance Committee.

14 Q. Have you previously testified before the New York Public Service  
15 Commission ("Commission")?

16 A. Yes. I testified in Case 95-E-0491, Case 99-G-1695, Case 02-G-1553,  
17 and Case 05-G-1494 before the Commission.

18 **Summary of Testimony**

19 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?

20 A. I will testify regarding Direct Labor, the Company's Cost Allocation  
21 Procedures, Shared Services, Regulatory Commission Expenses, Other  
22 O&M Costs, and Common Plant. I support Exhibit E-5, Schedule 2, Direct  
23 Labor Expense; Exhibit E-5, Schedule 3, Shared Services; Exhibit E-5,  
24 Schedule 10, Regulatory Commission Expense; and Exhibit E-5, Schedule

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1 11, Other O&M Costs. I also support the common general plant  
2 construction expenditures set forth in Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1, Page 2 of 2.

3 Q. Are you familiar with the books and records of Company?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. Are the accounts of the Company kept in accordance with the Uniform  
6 System of Accounts prescribed by the Commission?

7 A. Yes.

8 **Electric Direct Labor Expense**

9 Q. Please describe Exhibit E-5, Schedule 2.

10 A. Exhibit E-5, Schedule 2, Electric Operating Expenses – Direct Labor, is a  
11 two-page exhibit that identifies the historic O&R consolidated labor costs  
12 for the 12 months ended June 30, 2006 (“Test Year”) and calculates the  
13 projected labor costs for the 12 months ending December 31, 2007. Page  
14 1 of the Exhibit identifies the amount of total labor charged to the O&R  
15 Electric Department (as derived on Page 2) as to each account guideline  
16 classification (e.g., electric transmission expense, electric distribution  
17 expense). Page 2 of the Exhibit identifies labor costs according to  
18 employee classification, that is, weekly paid employees and monthly paid  
19 employees and further identifies the same consolidated labor costs by  
20 functional cost distribution (e.g., electric expense, gas expense,  
21 construction).

22 Q. Please describe how you projected electric direct labor expense for the 12  
23 months ending December 31, 2007, as shown on Exhibit E-5, Schedule 2,  
24 Page 1 of 2?

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1 A. I began by detailing the historic labor costs for the Test Year according to  
2 the classifications specified above. I then calculated any applicable  
3 adjustments to Test Year data in order to derive total labor costs for the 12  
4 months ending December 31, 2007. The adjustments to the Test Year  
5 labor costs include the following: (a) normalizing adjustments applicable  
6 to the Test Year; (b) the cost of program changes; and (c) labor escalation  
7 costs applicable to the Test Year labor costs, including escalation of any  
8 normalizing adjustments and program changes, in order to escalate the  
9 costs through the end of the 12 months ending December 31, 2007. The  
10 result is the expected total consolidated labor costs for the 12 months  
11 ending December 31, 2007.

12 Q. Please describe the normalizing adjustments to the Test Year labor  
13 expense in your calculations?

14 A. As noted above, the Test Year reflected on Exhibit E-5, Schedule 2, page  
15 1 of 2, is the 12 months ended June 30, 2006. The normalizing  
16 adjustments applicable to both the weekly paid employees and the  
17 monthly paid employees reflect the effect of updating the actual historic  
18 labor data through December 31, 2006, the latest actual labor data  
19 available.

20 Q. What type of costs are included under the heading Program Changes on  
21 Exhibit E-5, Schedule 2.

22 A. Program Changes include the annualized cost of an additional 10.5 full  
23 time equivalent weekly paid, third class linemen positions. The increase  
24 reflects the change in the actual employee level for electric operations as

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1 of December 31, 2006 compared to the average employee level for the 12  
2 months ended June 30, 2006. The increase was the result of the  
3 Company's overhead line school training program that was completed in  
4 September 2006. There are no additional monthly paid employees  
5 included in this filing.

6 Q. Please describe the labor escalation factors used in your calculations.

7 A. The labor escalation for weekly employees, including escalation applicable  
8 to normalizing adjustments and program changes, was calculated through  
9 the end of the calendar year 2007 by applying the following wage increase  
10 percentages: 3.25% effective June 1, 2006 and 3.25% effective June 1,  
11 2007. These rates are the actual wage increases pursuant to the  
12 negotiated bargaining unit labor agreement with the Local 503 of the  
13 International Brotherhood of Electric Workers, which represents the O&R  
14 bargaining unit employees. This five-year agreement became effective on  
15 June 1, 2004 and expires on June 1, 2009.

16 The labor escalation for the monthly paid employees, including escalation  
17 applicable to normalizing adjustments and program changes, was  
18 calculated through the end of the calendar year 2007 by applying an  
19 annual wage increase of 3.25% effective on April 1, 2006 and 3.25%  
20 effective on April 1, 2007 as these wage increases take effect on April 1 of  
21 each calendar year based on the annual compensation policy for  
22 management employees. The wage increase rates for monthly paid  
23 employees were based on an assessment of general future economic  
24 conditions, as well as historic increases.

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Cost Allocation Procedures

- Q. Please describe the cost allocation procedures currently utilized by Orange and Rockland to assign costs to each segment of its utility operations and to the Company's non-regulated subsidiaries.
- A. Orange and Rockland and its utility subsidiaries Pike County Light & Power Company ("Pike"), which provides service in Pennsylvania, and Rockland Electric Company ("Rockland Electric"), which provides service in New Jersey, operate as one integrated organization. It is the Company's policy to charge costs for labor, material and services directly to the responsible jurisdiction (i.e., Orange and Rockland, Pike, or Rockland Electric) to the extent practical, through the use of time sheet reporting and company specific account numbers. In those instances where work performed is for the common benefit of two or more jurisdictions, then costs would be allocated through the use of common expense clearing accounts. Different studies are used to develop the bases for allocating costs ranging from building service and data processing costs to payroll for administrative areas such as Legal or Accounting.
- Q. Does the Company use different procedures to allocate costs between its utility subsidiaries and its New York electric and gas operations?
- A. Yes, historically cost allocations among Orange and Rockland, Rockland Electric, and Pike for electric and gas operation and maintenance costs, customer expenses, administrative and general expenses and carrying

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1 costs on the Company's net utility plant investment have been allocated  
2 pursuant to existing contractual agreements. In New York, the  
3 Commission has jurisdiction over the methodology followed by the  
4 Company to allocate common costs related to New York electric and gas  
5 operations. Over time, procedures were developed to allocate costs  
6 based on a formula that factors in utility plant investment, operation and  
7 maintenance expenses, and payroll expenses.

8 Q. Did the Company follow the existing procedures to allocate common costs  
9 in this proceeding?

10 A. Yes. The Company used the allocation percentages for common electric  
11 and gas costs for New York operations as approved by the Commission in  
12 Case 99-G-1695.

13 **Shared Services**

14 Q. Please explain the Shared Services cost element shown on Exhibit E-5,  
15 Schedule 3.

16 A. The shared services cost element reflects the allocation of costs from Con  
17 Edison and Consolidated Edison, Inc. ("CEI") for administrative and  
18 general services provided to Orange and Rockland, such as accounting,  
19 treasury, and tax services. These costs are detailed into labor, fringe  
20 benefits and other cost components.

21 Q. What is the basis for the billing of shared services to O&R?

22 A. O&R is billed a share of the total costs of operating the various  
23 departments that provide services to the Company. In addition, the  
24 Company is billed for 100% of other services provided solely on its behalf

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1 by Con Edison. These charges are then allocated to electric operations  
2 by use of the common expense allocations.

3 Q. How did you determine the shared service expense of \$9,214,000 for the  
4 12 months ending December 31, 2007?

5 A. I started with the actual shared services expense of \$8,836,000 for the  
6 Test Year. Using information provided to me by Company witness Kane, I  
7 then escalated the labor component of the shared service billing by  
8 4.79%, calculated fringes at 86% of the labor escalation amount, and  
9 escalated the other components of the billing by the general inflation factor  
10 of 3.52% to arrive at the expense of \$9,214,000 for calendar year 2007.

11 **Regulatory Commission Expenses**

12 Q. Please explain the regulatory commission expense cost element on  
13 Exhibit E-5, Schedule 10.

14 A. This cost element includes the assessments of the NYPSC and the New  
15 York State Office of Real Property. In establishing the projection for  
16 calendar year 2007, I escalated the Test Year amounts using the general  
17 inflation factor of 3.52%.

18 **Other O&M Expenses**

19 Q. Which costs were included in Other O&M Expenses?

20 A. Exhibit E-5, Schedule 11, includes the following cost elements:

- 21 • Advertising;
- 22 • Information Technology Solutions;
- 23 • Legal & Other Professional Services;
- 24 • Rents;

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- 1 • Materials and Supplies;
- 2 • Corporate Fiscal Expenses; and
- 3 • Other Expense.

4 All costs, except legal and other professional services, are based on the  
5 actual expenditures for the Test Year, which were first normalized and  
6 then escalated by the appropriate inflation factor of 3.52% as provided to  
7 me by Mr. Kane. Legal and other professional services costs are based  
8 on the three-year historical average and then escalated by the same  
9 inflation factor of 3.52%.

10 **Common Utility Plant**

11 Q. Mr. Kosior, please describe Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1.

12 A. Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1, is a two page schedule that presents, on Page 1,  
13 the Company's forecasted electric distribution plant additions for the  
14 twelve-month periods ending December 31, 2007, and, on Page 2,  
15 presents the Company's forecasted common plant additions for the same  
16 period. In his testimony, Mr. Regan supports the forecasted electric  
17 construction additions. I support the common general plant construction  
18 expenditures.

19 Q. Please describe the common general plant additions.

20 A. The forecasted cost of common general plant additions is included on  
21 Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1, Page 2 at 100%. The common general plant  
22 additions for calendar year 2007 include blanket expenditures of \$9.0  
23 million. This category includes capital expenditures for the Company's  
24 vehicle purchase program of \$4.1 million and \$4.7 million for information

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1 technology and telecommunication equipment and infrastructure  
2 improvements. The general plant additions also include the replacement  
3 of one of the two back-up generators at the Spring Valley Operations  
4 Center ("SVOC"). The SVOC is a comprehensive facility that houses the  
5 energy control center ("ECC"), distribution control center ("DCC"),  
6 customer call center and payment processing. One generator is 625 kVa  
7 while the other is 187 kVa. Neither generator by itself can assume the  
8 entire load of the complex. The initial enhancement would be to upgrade  
9 the smaller generator.

10 Q. How will you derive the portion of these expenditures that will be allocated  
11 to electric plant?

12 A. As discussed above, in its Order in Case 99-G-1695, the Commission  
13 approved a four part formula for allocating common general plant to  
14 electric and gas utility operations. The Company used this Commission-  
15 approved methodology to allocate common general plant to electric  
16 operations.

17 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

18 A. Yes, it does.

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1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. My name is Margaret M. Lenz. My business address is 4  
3 Irving Place, New York, New York 10003.

4 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

5 A. I am employed by Consolidated Edison Company of New  
6 York, Inc. ("Con Edison") as Department Manager,  
7 Revenue and Volume Forecasting, in Corporate  
8 Accounting.

9 Q. Please describe your educational background.

10 A. I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics  
11 from St. Lawrence University in 1981. I also received  
12 an MBA degree in Finance in 1995 from Adelphi  
13 University.

14 Q. Please describe your work experience.

15 A. I joined Con Edison in 1981 as part of its Management  
16 Intern Program. I have held various positions of  
17 increasing responsibility in Con Edison's Planning  
18 organization, Corporate Accounting, Energy Services and  
19 Rate Engineering. Since December 2002, I have been  
20 assigned to the Corporate Accounting Department and I  
21 currently hold the position of Department Manager of  
22 Revenue and Volume Forecasting.

23 Q. Please generally describe your current  
24 responsibilities.

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- 1 A. My responsibilities include the preparation of  
2 electric, gas and steam sales forecasts, as well as  
3 transmission and distribution ("T&D") revenue  
4 forecasts.
- 5 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?
- 6 A. My testimony presents the forecast of Orange and  
7 Rockland Utilities, Inc.'s ("O&R" or the "Company")  
8 electric system sendout, sales volumes and revenues for  
9 the period July 1, 2006 through December 31, 2009.
- 10 Q. What are the actual and normalized total sales volumes  
11 for the 12 months ended December 2006?
- 12 A. The actual total sales volume for the 12 months ended  
13 December 2006 was 4,006,555 MWHs. The 2006 total  
14 normalized sales volume is 4,021,012 MWHs.
- 15 Q. Please summarize, in aggregate form, your sales volume  
16 forecasts for calendar years 2007, 2008, and 2009.
- 17 A. The 2007 total sales volume forecast is 4,101,254 MWHs,  
18 an increase of 80,242 MWHs over 2006, reflecting 2.0%  
19 growth over 2006. The 2008 total sales volume forecast  
20 is 4,167,861 MWHs, an increase of 66,607 MWHs over the  
21 2007 forecast, reflecting 1.6% growth over 2007. The  
22 2009 total sales volume forecast is 4,227,237 MWHs, an  
23 increase of 59,376 MWHs over the 2008 forecast,  
24 reflecting 1.4% growth over 2008.

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1 SENDOUT AND SALES VOLUMES

2 Q. What forecasting methodologies did you use to project  
3 the Company's electric sendout and sales volumes?

4 A. The sendout and billed sales volume forecasts are based  
5 on various econometric and time series models. Models  
6 for forecasting billed volumes for major  
7 classifications are done on a quarterly basis with  
8 historic data from the first quarter 1990 through the  
9 second quarter 2006. These major classifications are  
10 residential, secondary including small primary (SC 2P),  
11 primary excluding small primary (SC 2P), Lighting and  
12 other public authority. These major classifications  
13 are comprised of various O&R service classes.

14 Q. Please explain the independent variables included in  
15 these models.

16 A. Heating and cooling degree days and billing days are  
17 included in the models to account for delivery volume  
18 variations due to differences in weather conditions and  
19 billing days. Also included are key economic  
20 variables.

21 Q. What key economic variables are used as input to these  
22 sales volume models?

23 A. The key input economic variables in the models include:  
24 -private non-manufacturing employment;

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1            -real electric price; and

2            -the number of customers in each major class.

3            Some of the models have all of these variables while  
4            others only have a one or two of these variables. For  
5            example, the residential model includes all these  
6            variables while the lighting model only includes the  
7            number of billing days and number of customers.

8    Q.      Please explain how the forecast of private non-  
9            manufacturing employment was developed.

10   A.      The private non-manufacturing employment forecast is  
11            prepared by the economic consulting firm, Economy.com.  
12            The Economy.com forecast is developed for New York  
13            State as a whole as well as for individual regions in  
14            the State. The Company uses the forecast for Orange  
15            and Pike Counties ("Newburgh" forecast from  
16            Economy.com) as well as the forecast for Rockland  
17            County ("Rockland" forecast from Economy.com). The  
18            "Newburgh" forecast is the forecast most applicable to  
19            Orange County. The forecasts show that private non-  
20            manufacturing employment is projected to increase by  
21            2.1% in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of 2006, 1.8% in 2007, 1.5% in  
22            2008, and 1.9% in 2009.

23   Q.      What assumption do the models use for the real price  
24            variable for forecasting purposes?

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1 A. For forecasting purposes, we assumed that the real  
2 electric price remains at the same level as for the 12  
3 months ended June 2006 level.

4 Q. Please explain the development of the number of  
5 customers for the various major service  
6 classifications.

7 A. The forecasts of the number of customers for secondary  
8 and lighting are based upon the annual average growth  
9 rate over the last three historical 12 month periods,  
10 these being the 12 months ended June 2004, June 2005,  
11 and June 2006. The forecasts for the number of  
12 residential and primary customers are based on recent  
13 trends in their historical growth rates. The actual  
14 annual average growth rates for residential customers  
15 for the 12 months ended June 2004, June 2005, and June  
16 2006 are 0.98%, 0.89%, and 0.90%, respectively. The  
17 annual average growth rates for residential customers  
18 for the six months ended June 2004, June 2005, and June  
19 2006 are 0.97%, 0.97%, and 0.82%, respectively. The  
20 number of residential customers is projected to grow on  
21 average by 0.81% in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of 2006, and 0.85% per  
22 year for 2007 through 2009. While the primary number  
23 of customers increased an average of 1.2% in 2005, or  
24 an average of five new customers during the year, the

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1 first six months of 2006 remained basically unchanged  
2 from the prior year, and in fact, the number actually  
3 decreased when comparing the 12 months ended June 2006  
4 to the 12 months ended June 2005 (i.e., -.06%). I  
5 assumed the average number of primary customers for  
6 2006 to be the same as the level in 2005. Thereafter,  
7 I assumed two new primary customers a year.

8 Q. Are the foregoing projections of employment, real  
9 electric price and numbers of customers used as inputs  
10 in the forecasting models to generate the Orange and  
11 Rockland sales volume forecasts?

12 A. Yes.

13 Q. Are there any adjustments to the volume forecasts  
14 generated by these models?

15 A. Yes. The primary volume forecast generated from the  
16 model assumes that one of our largest primary customers  
17 ("Large Primary Customer") will continue to take all  
18 its energy requirements from Orange and Rockland.  
19 However, beginning in February 2006, the Large Primary  
20 Customer only takes supplemental power from Orange and  
21 Rockland under Service Classification ("SC") 25.  
22 Therefore, the Large Primary Customer's full load was  
23 subtracted from the model forecast and the Large  
24 Primary Customer's requirements under SC 25 were

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1 estimated separately on the basis of its recent  
2 supplemental requirements.

3 Q. Since the actual data used to develop the model  
4 extended to June 2006, was not part of this reduced  
5 load already included in your forecast?

6 A. No. In developing the model for primary sales  
7 forecasting, the historic data included sales to the  
8 above-referenced primary customer at full requirements.  
9 The Large Primary Customer went to on-site generation  
10 in February 2006, resulting in an inconsistency in the  
11 historic data. Therefore, the modeling data from  
12 February through June 2006 was adjusted to the level as  
13 if the Large Primary Customer was still taking all its  
14 requirements from the Company.

15 Q. How were the quarterly volume forecasts disaggregated  
16 into monthly sales volumes?

17 A. Quarterly sales volumes were divided into monthly sales  
18 volumes by reflecting the patterns of weather-  
19 normalized historical monthly sales volumes. Monthly  
20 sales volumes also were adjusted for the appropriate  
21 billing-days.

22 Q. How were major class monthly sales volumes  
23 disaggregated into service class volumes?

24 A. The major class monthly volumes were allocated to

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1 service class volumes based on the historical service  
2 class sales volumes.

3 Q. How do you account for unbilled sales in calculating  
4 the total sales volumes for Orange and Rockland?

5 A. The total sales volumes are derived by estimating the  
6 unbilled sales volumes and adding those volumes to the  
7 billed volume forecast.

8 Q. Please explain unbilled sales volumes.

9 A. Billed sales volumes are recorded on a billing cycle  
10 basis, which does not represent the calendar month.  
11 The unbilled sales volumes translate the billed sales  
12 volumes from a billing cycle basis to sales on a  
13 calendar month basis.

14 Q. How are the unbilled sales estimated?

15 A. The unbilled sales volumes are estimated by subtracting  
16 the monthly billed volume forecast from the monthly  
17 sendout forecast less line losses and Company use.

18 Q. How is the sendout forecast developed?

19 A. An econometric model is used to forecast the sendout on  
20 a quarterly basis. As noted above, the actual sendout  
21 for February 2006 through June 2006 was adjusted to  
22 reflect the Large Primary Customer at full  
23 requirements.

24 Q. What variables are used in the sendout model?

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1 A. The sendout reflects historical sendout levels and  
2 weather patterns. The key economic variables are real  
3 electric price, private non-manufacturing employment  
4 and the total number of customers.

5 Q. How were the quarterly sendout forecasts disaggregated  
6 into monthly sendouts?

7 A. Quarterly sendout volumes were divided into monthly  
8 sendout volumes by reflecting the patterns of weather-  
9 normalized historical monthly sendout volumes.

10 REVENUE FORECAST

11 Q. Please explain the method of estimating Orange and  
12 Rockland's T&D revenues for the forecast periods.

13 A. The T&D revenues from the forecasted billed sales  
14 volumes to Orange and Rockland's customers were  
15 estimated by month and by service classification. For  
16 the energy only classes (i.e., SC 1, 19, 4, 16), a  
17 pricing equation is developed by correlating historical  
18 average billed T&D revenue to historical billed volumes  
19 and summer/winter rate differentials, if applicable,  
20 for the period January 2004 through December 2004. For  
21 the commercial and industrial classes (secondary and  
22 primary service classes), where energy and demand  
23 charges apply, a demand pricing equation is also  
24 developed by correlating historical billed average T&D

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1 revenue to summer/winter rate differentials for the  
2 period January 2004 through December 2004. The T&D  
3 energy revenue for commercial and industrial classes is  
4 based upon pricing equations similar to those developed  
5 above for the energy only classes with the inclusion of  
6 MWs as an independent variable, if applicable. The T&D  
7 revenue for other public authorities, which in this  
8 forecast represents one customer, i.e., West Point, was  
9 priced at their current contract rate through June  
10 2007. From July 2007 forward, they are priced under  
11 the SC 9 general tariff because they requested and are  
12 eligible for such a rate. Lighting under SC 5 was  
13 priced at the tariff rate, and the Large Primary  
14 Customer was priced at the SC 25 tariff rate. For the  
15 unbilled sales volumes, the T&D revenue was derived by  
16 applying the resulting forecasted average T&D rate for  
17 each month and for each service class to the unbilled  
18 volumes for that month and service class.

19 Q. Please explain the projection of billable demand for  
20 Orange and Rockand's commercial and industrial  
21 customers.

22 A. Billable demand is the ratio of the forecasts for  
23 billed energy volumes and the average hours use. Hours  
24 use is simply the ratio between billed sales volumes

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- 1 and billable demand.
- 2 Q. How are the average hours use forecasted?
- 3 A. An analysis of the relationship between historical  
4 billed sales volumes and billable demand is used to  
5 project the average hours use.
- 6 Q. Your revenue forecast also includes Market Supply  
7 Charge ("MSC"), Energy Cost Adjustment ("ECA") and  
8 Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill Revenues. Please explain  
9 how these components are forecast.
- 10 A. The MSC and ECA revenues are supplied to us by the  
11 Financial Forecasting Section of Corporate Accounting,  
12 and the Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill Revenues are  
13 supplied by the Regulatory Filings Section of Corporate  
14 Accounting.
- 15 Q. I show you a five-page document with page one entitled  
16 "ELECTRIC SENDOUT, SALES VOLUMES, AND REVENUES FROM  
17 SALES VOLUMES - FORECASTED 6 MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31,  
18 2006 and FORECASTED YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007,  
19 DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND DECEMBER 31, 2009" and pages two  
20 through five entitled "ELECTRIC SALES VOLUMES AND  
21 REVENUES FROM SALES VOLUMES BY SERVICE CLASSIFICATION"  
22 and ask if it was prepared under your supervision and  
23 direction?
- 24 A. Yes, it was.

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1 MARK FOR IDENTIFICATION EXHIBIT\_\_\_(E-3)

2 Q. Please describe what is shown on the first page of this  
3 Exhibit?

4 A. This exhibit shows the forecast of the Company's  
5 electric system sendout, sales volumes and revenues  
6 from sales volumes for the six months ending December  
7 2006 as well as the years ending 2007, 2008, and 2009.  
8 Line 1 shows the estimated sendout. Lines 2 through 4  
9 show the estimated electric sales volumes, and lines 6  
10 through 12 show estimated revenues for each of the  
11 periods.

12 Q. Please describe pages two through five of this Exhibit.

13 A. These pages of the Exhibit set forth in greater detail,  
14 by service classification, the data that were shown in  
15 summary form on page one of Exhibit\_\_\_(E-3). Page two  
16 of this Exhibit shows electric sales volumes and  
17 revenues by service classification for the six months  
18 ending December 2006. Kilowatt hour sales volumes are  
19 shown in Column 1, the annual sum of the monthly  
20 billable demand is shown in column 2, T&D revenues at  
21 the currently effective rates in Column 3, MSC and ECA  
22 revenues in Columns 4 and 5, System Benefit Charge  
23 revenues in Column 6, revenue taxes in Column 7, and  
24 total revenues in Column 8. Pages three through five

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- 1 are identical in format to page two; page three covers  
2 the forecast for calendar year 2007, page four covers  
3 the forecast for calendar year 2008, and page five  
4 covers the forecast for calendar year 2009.
- 5 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?
- 6 A. Yes, it does.

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JOHN PERKINS -

1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. My name is John Perkins and my business address is 4  
3 Irving Place, New York, NY 10003.

4 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

5 A. I am Director, Corporate Finance for Consolidated  
6 Edison Company of New York, Inc. ("Con Edison"). I am  
7 also Treasurer of Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
8 ("Orange & Rockland").

9 Q. Briefly describe your educational background.

10 A. I graduated from MIT in 1972 and received B.S. degrees  
11 in Economics and Civil Engineering. I received M.A.  
12 and M.Phil. degrees in Economics from Yale University  
13 in 1974 and 1975, respectively. I took several  
14 additional graduate courses in Finance from New York  
15 University.

16 Q. Please summarize your professional background.

17 A. I joined Con Edison in 1982. My previous positions  
18 have been as Director, Financial Administration,  
19 Director, Corporate Planning, Director, Financial  
20 Services, and Manager, Financial Services. Prior to  
21 joining Con Edison, I was employed by Chase

JOHN PERKINS -

1 Econometrics/Interactive Data from 1980-1982 and by  
2 the Graduate School of Business of Columbia University  
3 (1976-1979), where I taught courses in economics and  
4 transportation.

5 Q. Please describe your current responsibilities.

6 A. My responsibilities include preparing the cash  
7 forecast and planning and executing financing for  
8 Consolidated Edison, Inc. ("CEI"), and its  
9 subsidiaries, including Orange & Rockland. In  
10 addition, I manage the relationships with credit  
11 rating agencies and undertake various financial  
12 analyses.

13 Q. Have you previously sponsored testimony before  
14 regulatory bodies?

15 A. Yes. I have sponsored testimony on capitalization and  
16 cost of capital for Orange & Rockland in Case 05-G-  
17 1494, in the matter of the securitization of certain  
18 deferred balances and testimony on capital structure  
19 and rates of return for Rockland Electric Company  
20 ("RECO") (a subsidiary of Orange & Rockland) before the  
21 New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, and have

1 sponsored testimony on rates of return and capital  
2 structure for Pike County Light & Power Company  
3 ("Pike") (a subsidiary of Orange & Rockland) before the  
4 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

5 I have also sponsored testimony concerning the impact  
6 of rate recovery on ratings and thus on costs in the  
7 latest Con Edison steam and gas cases.

8 Q. Please summarize your testimony.

9 A. My testimony discusses the historic and projected  
10 capital structure of Orange & Rockland and the cost of  
11 capital, the current credit ratings of Orange &  
12 Rockland, the methodology used by the rating agencies  
13 to determine these ratings, the comments that have  
14 been made as to the strength of key financial ratios  
15 of Orange & Rockland, and the potential impact of  
16 reduced ratings.

17 CAPITALIZATION AND COST OF CAPITAL

18 Q. What capital structure should be used in this  
19 proceeding?

20 A. I recommend the use of the consolidated capitalization  
21 of Orange & Rockland in this proceeding.

1 Q. Please describe the consolidated capitalization.

2 A. Consolidated capitalization refers to the consolidated  
3 capital structure of Orange & Rockland and its wholly-  
4 owned utility subsidiaries, RECO and Pike. The  
5 consolidated capital structure is presented on Exhibit  
6 E-8 and consists of the following Schedules:

7 1. Schedule 1 - Forecasted Consolidated Capitalization  
8 and Cost Rates

9 2. Schedule 2 - Long Term Debt - Actual June 30, 2006  
10 Balances

11 3. Schedule 3 - Long-Term Debt - Average 2007 Balances

12 Q. Please describe any projected changes in long-term  
13 debt and how such changes have been incorporated into  
14 your forecasted data at December 31, 2007.

15 A. The forecasted balance of long-term debt at December  
16 31, 2007 includes the actual issuance by Orange &  
17 Rockland of the Series A 2006 debentures, \$75 million,  
18 5.45%, due October 1, 2016, and the contemplated  
19 issuance, of Series A 2007 debentures, \$60 million,  
20 6.49%, due September 1, 2017. The last issue is  
21 included in the Amount Outstanding with a balance of

1       \$17.5 million, representing the average amount  
2       outstanding for the 13 months ending December 31,  
3       2007. In addition, the currently outstanding RECO  
4       First Mortgage Bonds, Series J, \$20 million, 7.125%,  
5       will mature on February 1, 2007. Since this debt is  
6       due within one year, and since the Company has no  
7       plans to refinance the debt, it has been eliminated  
8       from the long-term debt balances at June 30, 2006 and  
9       December 31, 2007. The only other projected change in  
10      the long-term debt balance between the historic data  
11      date and the end of the test period is the result of  
12      the periodic amortization of the balance of the  
13      Unamortized Debt Discount.

14 Q.   Please describe how you developed the cost of long-  
15      term debt, and explain the change in the cost of long-  
16      term debt between the actual historic data and the  
17      projected cost at December 31, 2007.

18 A.   Exhibit E-8, Schedules 2 and 3, present the detailed  
19      calculation of the cost of the long-term debt at June  
20      30, 2006 and December 31, 2007, respectively. The  
21      schedules detail each issue of long-term debt

1 outstanding and calculate an effective annual cost for  
2 each issue, taking into consideration the original net  
3 proceeds to the Company and annual interest costs.

4 The sum of the effective annual cost for all issues is  
5 divided by the gross amount of debt outstanding to  
6 derive the weighted average cost of long-term debt.

7 The change in the weighted average cost of long-term  
8 debt is the result of the actual and contemplated  
9 issuances of debentures during September 2006 and  
10 September 2007, as described above.

11 Q. Please describe the method used to project the equity  
12 balance through December 31, 2007.

13 A. The average consolidated equity of Orange & Rockland  
14 and its utility subsidiaries at December 31, 2007,  
15 excluding all non-utility subsidiaries and Other  
16 Comprehensive Income was projected from December 31,  
17 2006 using the following steps:

18 1. It was assumed that CEI (Orange and Rockland's  
19 parent) would make an equity investment of \$40  
20 million in June 2007;

- 1           2. The forecast earnings for 2007 were added to the  
2           December Equity balance; and  
3           3. Quarterly dividends of \$7.770 million were  
4           subtracted from the balance.

5 Q.   What capital structure results from the calculations  
6       that you described?

7 A.   Exhibit E-8, Schedule 1, shows the forecasted capital  
8       structure at December 31, 2007 of 49.805% long-term  
9       debt, 1.683% of customer deposits, and 48.512% common  
10      stock equity

11 Q.   Mr. Perkins, using your forecasted capital structure  
12      and cost of long-term debt and the cost of equity, what  
13      overall rate of return results?

14 A.   The overall rate of return is 8.83% as shown on Exhibit  
15      E-8, Schedule 1.

16       CREDIT RATINGS

17 Q.   What are the current ratings on Orange & Rockland  
18      debt?

19 A.   The long-term debt ratings are A2, A, and A+ by  
20      Moody's, Standard and Poor's ("S&P"), and Fitch,  
21      respectively. The Outlook is Negative for S&P and

1 Stable for Moody's and Fitch. The short-term debt is  
2 rated P-1, A-2, and F1, respectively.

3 Q. Please describe the credit ratings process as seen  
4 from your perspective.

5 A. Credit ratings reflect a credit rating agency's  
6 independent judgment of the credit-worthiness of a  
7 company based on the business and financial risks of  
8 that entity.

9 I will describe my understanding of the specific  
10 process undertaken by S&P. Of the agencies, they have  
11 documented their analytical methods in the greatest  
12 detail, and we have had extensive discussions with  
13 that agency about specific aspects of their process.  
14 It is my understanding that the process employed by  
15 other credit agencies is generally similar in nature.

16 Q. Please continue.

17 A. S&P looks at several qualitative factors that they  
18 reflect in their determination of a utility's business  
19 risk. These include regulation, markets, operations,  
20 competitiveness, and management. The relative  
21 importance of each category depends on the nature of

1 the utility's business as stated recently by S&P in  
2 Standard & Poors' New Business Profile Scores Assigned  
3 for U.S. Utility and Power Companies; Financial  
4 Guidelines Revised (page 6):

5 The emphasis placed on each category may be  
6 influenced by the dominant strategy of the  
7 company or other factors. For example, for a  
8 regulated transmission and distribution company,  
9 regulation may account for 30% to 40% of the  
10 business profile score because regulation can be  
11 the single-most important credit driver for this  
12 type of company. Conversely, competition, which  
13 may not exist for a transmission and distribution  
14 company, would provide a much lower proportion  
15 (e.g., 5% to 15%) of the business profile score.  
16

17 The final result of this qualitative business risk  
18 analysis is a business profile score, ranging from 1  
19 to 10, with 1 indicating the least risky profile and  
20 10 the most.

21 Q. What is Orange & Rockland's business profile score?

22 A. Its score currently is 2.

23 Q. Do the other rating agencies look at business risk as  
24 well?

25 A. Yes, though they do not quantify that risk in the same  
26 manner as S&P does. For example, Moody's looks at  
27 several dimensions of risk, including the degree of

1 government support, the percentage of non-regulated  
2 business, and the nature of regulation. In "Rating  
3 Methodology: Global Regulated Electric Utilities"

4 (March 2005, page 4) Moody's states:

5 The second step in the methodology is to assess  
6 the credit support that is gained from operating  
7 within a particular regulatory framework. Moody's  
8 considers each regulatory system and assesses  
9 whether there is a high or low expectation of  
10 predictability in the system and whether operators  
11 can reasonably expect to recover their costs and  
12 investments through regulator-approved revenue  
13 increases.

14  
15 And on the same page they state:

16  
17 We also classify entities into the following four  
18 categories based on a comparative assessment of  
19 the predictability and stability of regulated  
20 cashflows for a company operating under a  
21 particular regulatory framework...

22  
23 Q. In your opinion, what impact would you expect the  
24 imposition of temporary rates to have on the rating  
25 agencies view of the business position of Orange and  
26 Rockland?

27

28 A. I would expect that the agencies would view it as a  
29 negative, as it would be a departure from the way the

1 utility has been regulated in the past, and it would  
2 increase uncertainty of cash flows.

3 Q. Has Moody's addressed rate agreements in their  
4 published reports?

5 A. Yes. In their "Rating Action: Moody's Places Orange &  
6 Rockland Utilities And Rockland Electric (Both A1)  
7 Under Review For Possible Downgrade; Affirms  
8 Consolidated Edison And CECONY (May 1, 2006, page 1)

9 The rating action also reflects concerns about the  
10 terms of the company's electric and gas rate  
11 structure after the current rate plan terminates  
12 on October 31 of this year.  
13

14 And again on page 1:

15

16 While the companies' relationships with the  
17 relevant regulators: FERC, the New York Public  
18 Utility Commission, the New Jersey Board of Public  
19 Utilities and the Pennsylvania Public Utility  
20 Commission have been generally constructive, the  
21 future results of both companies will be dependent  
22 on the final terms of the next rate plan  
23  
24

25 Q. What quantitative financial measures do the agencies  
26 use to determine their credit ratings?

27 A. S&P uses a variety of financial indicators. They have  
28 indicated that the most important ones are those

1 related to cash flow coverage of interest and debt,  
2 and the ratio of total debt to total capital. The  
3 specific ratios that are considered by S&P are:

- 4 1. Funds from Operations/Average Total Debt
- 5 2. Funds from Operations Interest Coverage
- 6 3. Total Debt/Total Capital

7 Of these, the first two are considered to be more  
8 significant.

9 Q. Does Moody's use similar ratios?

10 Yes. They use six core ratios:

- 11 1. (Funds from Operations-Dividends)/Debt
- 12 2. Funds from Operations/Debt
- 13 3. FFO/Interest
- 14 4. Debt/Asset Value
- 15 5. EBITDA Margin
- 16 6. (Funds from Operations-Dividends)/Capital  
17 Expenditure

18 They have indicated that the first four ratios are the  
19 primary ratios, and the second two are the secondary  
20 ratios.

21 Q. How do the business risk positions affect the

1 quantitative measures used by the rating agencies?

2 A. The higher the business risk the more rigorous the  
3 target level for a given rating. For example, S&P  
4 would look for higher Funds from Operations Interest  
5 Coverage ratios for companies that have a "2" business  
6 profile than for companies with a "1" profile.  
7 Regulation, as an important component of the  
8 qualitative analysis that leads to a business risk  
9 profile, is thus a key determinant of the level of  
10 financial ratio targets that are used in determining a  
11 company's debt rating.

12 Q. What does Moody's say currently about the strength of  
13 Orange & Rockland's credit ratios?

14 A. In "Rating Action: Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc."  
15 (September 5, 2006 at page 1) Moody's says:

16 The downgrades of O&R and RECO reflect financial  
17 performance that is weaker than average for the  
18 rating category. In comparison to other regulated  
19 electric utilities with similar risk profiles,  
20 actual 2005 financial performance, and projected  
21 financial metrics for 2006 to 2008, are more  
22 consistent with the lower rating. O&R's interest  
23 coverage and total debt coverage from cash flow  
24 were 3.9x and 14% respectively in calendar 2005.  
25 RECO's cash flow to interest was 3.8x and cash  
26 flow to debt was 16.5% in calendar year 2005. The  
27 ratings also consider the potential for lower

1 operating resilience given the relatively small  
2 scale of the companies' stand-alone operations and  
3 revenue generating capacity.

4  
5 Q. What does S&P say currently about the strength of CEI's  
6 credit ratios?

7 A. S&P, as opposed to Moody's, treats ratios on a  
8 consolidated basis. S&P has stated that the near-term  
9 ratios are weak for the ratings that are currently on  
10 the debt securities. For example, in "Summary: Orange  
11 and Rockland Utilities Inc." (December 5, 2006, at p.

12 2) S&P says:

13 As of Sept. 30, 2006, Con Edison's total debt,  
14 including capitalized operating leases,  
15 purchased-power agreements, and tax-effected  
16 pension and postretirement obligations, was about  
17 \$10.5 billion, with adjusted debt to capital of  
18 62%. Adjusted funds from operations (FFO)  
19 interest coverage was 2.7x and adjusted FFO to  
20 average total debt was 11%. Consolidated credit  
21 ratios are weak for the current rating, and  
22 Standard & Poor's Ratings Services expects them  
23 to remain weak, given the increased O&M costs  
24 associated with the service disruptions in the  
25 summer of 2006 and recent debt issues. We assume  
26 credit measures will not deteriorate further and  
27 will benefit from equity issuances and  
28 realization of additional rate increases,  
29 specifically for CECONY when its current plan  
30 expires in March 2008. O&R's cash flow measures  
31 are somewhat stronger than the consolidated  
32 entity with FFO interest coverage of 2.8x, FFO to

1 debt of 14%, although adjusted debt to capital is  
2 materially higher at 77%.

3 I would note that ratios are not directly comparable  
4 between Moody's and S&P, as they calculate the ratios  
5 differently and include different adjustments from  
6 accounting numbers.

7 Q. Has S&P made any recent changes to their methodology?

8

9

10 A. Yes. They have made two. First, they explicitly  
11 included pensions as an element of several of their  
12 calculations, increasing debt, and increasing cash  
13 flows.

14 In addition, the calculation of Funds from Operations  
15 to Total Debt now uses year-end debt levels, as  
16 opposed to an average of debt outstanding at the  
17 beginning and end of each year.

18 Q. What is the impact of the pension-related change?

19

20 A. The most important impact has been on the total  
21 debt/total capital ratio. The change makes it more  
22 difficult to reach the target debt/total capital  
23 ratio.

24 Q. Has Moody's made adjustments for pensions as well?

1 A. Yes, they have. They have also increased debt levels  
2 for their analysis.

3 Q. What is the impact of S&P's use of year-end debt vs.  
4 average debt?

5 A. The use of year-end debt, particularly for a utility  
6 such as CECONY or Orange & Rockland with a large need  
7 to issue additional debt to support capitalization,  
8 lowers our Funds from Operations/Debt ratio, our  
9 weakest indicator.

10 Q. What is the impact of the regulatory process on the  
11 credit ratios you detailed above?

12 A. Net income is a key component in determining the  
13 strength of the credit ratios. Revenues increase the  
14 funds from operations by increasing net income. This  
15 effect will increase the Funds from Operations to  
16 Total Debt and the Funds from Operations coverage  
17 ratios directly by increasing the numerators. Because  
18 the increased net income also reduces the need for  
19 financing (and the associated interest), there will be  
20 a second positive impact on all three ratios.

21 Q. Are there particular reasons for the importance of net

1 income (and thus revenue) in the case of Orange &  
2 Rockland?

3 A. Yes. Relative to many other utilities, Orange &  
4 Rockland's capital additions for the foreseeable  
5 future significantly exceed its current depreciation.  
6 In addition, the levels of deferred tax that  
7 contribute to cash flow are expected to remain low due  
8 to the end of accelerated methods of tax depreciation.  
9 Thus, cash flow for Orange & Rockland will rely to a  
10 greater extent on earnings than would be the case for  
11 other utilities. To the extent earnings are reduced  
12 through direct reduction of revenues cash flow will be  
13 affected immediately, as will several key credit  
14 ratios. If revenues are collected with the threat of  
15 eventual refund I would expect the rating agencies to  
16 reduce their estimates of future cash flows and thus  
17 their expectations of improvements in our credit  
18 ratios.

19 Q. How do credit ratings affect customers?

20 A. Credit ratings impact both the cost and availability  
21 of long and short term financing. The exact level of

1 the impact will vary with the amount of financing  
2 needed and the financial climate. In times of crises  
3 (whether related to a company, industry, or the  
4 market), the costs will be significantly higher for  
5 lower-rated companies.

6 A second effect, which is particularly important in  
7 these times of high fuel and purchased power costs, is  
8 the need to post additional collateral for energy  
9 transactions if credit ratings fall. This collateral,  
10 in turn, would have to be financed at higher interest  
11 rates for lower-rated companies.

12 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

13 A. Yes, it does.

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1 Q. Please state your name and business address.

2 A. Angelo M. Regan, 390 West Route 59, Spring Valley, New York 10977.

3 Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?

4 A. I am employed by Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("Orange and Rockland,"  
5 "O&R," "the Company") as Director of Electrical Engineering.

6 Q. Please briefly describe your educational and business experience.

7 A. I received a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering in 1985, and a  
8 Masters of Science degree in Industrial Engineering Management Science in  
9 1987, both from Fairleigh Dickinson University, in Teaneck, New Jersey. I am a  
10 registered professional engineer in the State of New York. I was employed by  
11 Central Hudson Gas and Electric Corporation as an overhead distribution systems  
12 engineer from 1985 to 1987. Since then, I have worked for Orange and Rockland  
13 as an overhead and underground Systems Engineer, as Manager of the  
14 Distribution Engineering Department, and then as Chief Distribution Engineer,  
15 prior to assuming my present position as Director of Electrical Engineering.

16 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?

17 A. The purpose of my testimony is to present and support O&R's capital budget and  
18 major plant additions.

19 Plant Additions and Capital Budget

20 Q. Are you familiar with planned plant additions and the construction budget  
21 for O&R?

22 A. Yes.

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1 Q. Was Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1, page 1, prepared by you or under your  
2 direction?

3 A. Yes. Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1, page 1, shows the Company's major capital  
4 electric plant additions for the period 2006 to 2009, along with their in-service  
5 dates and the quantified expenditures for each project. It must be noted that  
6 Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1, is a plant additions schedule that represents the timing of  
7 when these plant assets will be booked to plant in service. This Schedule is not  
8 indicative of actual project spending on a year-to-year basis, which will be  
9 occurring much more uniformly. It also should be noted that the 2006 column  
10 only shows costs booked for the second half of 2006. The total costs booked for  
11 2006 were \$52.007 million, which compares favorably to the range of forecasted  
12 expenditures for the period 2007 - 2009. For purposes of this proceeding, the  
13 major capital plant additions that I will be discussing will be in excess of \$1  
14 million, and fall into the following categories: (1) those projects that have been  
15 completed and added to plant in-service during the July 1, 2006 to December 31,  
16 2006 time frame, (2) those projects that will be completed and added to plant in-  
17 service during the January 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007 time frame, and (3)  
18 those projects that will be completed and added to plant in-service during the  
19 2008 - 2009 time frame.

20 Q. Please describe the major electric capital projects that have been completed  
21 during the July 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006 time frame.

22 A. There is one major project that was completed during this time frame. The  
23 Company completed an upgrade of the Silver Lake Substation. This substation

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1 borders the City of Middletown and the Town of Wallkill. A second 69-13.2kV  
2 distribution transformer was added to the substation to improve the reliability for  
3 a bank contingency. Three additional distribution circuit exits were added along  
4 with new metal-enclosed switchgear that replaces an older design that consisted  
5 of an exposed outdoor take-off structure. The replacement of the older exposed  
6 outdoor take-off structure with the new metal-enclosed switchgear will provide  
7 reliability improvements for the distribution system, by minimizing the exposure  
8 to bird and animal contacts, and the resulting service interruptions that are  
9 inherent with this older design. These improvements were necessary to meet the  
10 Company's distribution planning criteria, and to address load growth that had  
11 already materialized on the Company's local electric delivery system in this area.  
12 The cost added to plant in-service for this project, during the July to December  
13 2006 time frame, was \$3.791 million.

14 **Q. Please describe the major electric capital projects that are forecasted to be**  
15 **completed and added to plant in-service during the January 1, 2007 to**  
16 **December 31, 2007 time frame.**

17 **A.** A description of these projects follows. The in-service dates are based on existing  
18 construction and installation schedules. The forecasted costs have been  
19 quantified through an analysis of current spending and anticipated costs to  
20 completion.  
21

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1        **Transmission Line 60 Upgrade**

2        Line 60 is a 138kV transmission line that extends from the Ramapo Substation on  
3        the west side of Rockland County to the Burns Substation in the center of  
4        Rockland County. This line is in the process of being upgraded to meet the  
5        Company's transmission planning and reliability criteria, and satisfy load growth.  
6        It is the first project, in a series of identified projects, which will be necessary to  
7        address the system delivery needs as a result of Mirant's anticipated retirement of  
8        the Lovett Generating Station ("Lovett"). Specifically, Line 60 is being upgraded  
9        with higher capacity conductor that will have new normal and long-term  
10       emergency ratings of 425 MW and 450 MW, respectively. As part of this project,  
11       Line 59, which operated at 69kV, has been retired. This upgrade will address the  
12       near-term impacts of the Lovett retirement, and will provide O&R the necessary  
13       time and flexibility to adjust any required future investments based on the  
14       disposition of the Lovett site in the future. The first portion of the project, which  
15       is the upgrading of Line 60 between the Ramapo and Tallman Substations, has  
16       been completed and energized in January 2007. The remaining portions of the  
17       project, from the Tallman to Monsey Substation and the Monsey to Burns  
18       Substation, are on schedule to be completed and placed into service by the end of  
19       May 2007. The overall estimated cost of the entire Transmission Line 60  
20       Upgrade project is \$9.023 million.

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1 Tallman Substation Upgrade and UG Exits

2 The Tallman Substation had been served from Line 59 for many years. The  
3 retirement of Line 59 as part of the Line 60 Upgrade project, and with Line 60  
4 being the only remaining line in the Ramapo to Burns west to east corridor,  
5 necessitated the rebuild and upgrade of the Tallman substation from 69kV to  
6 138kV operation. The existing Tallman Substation consisted of two 25 MVA  
7 transformer banks that, with recent load growth, were deficient in meeting the  
8 Company's planning criteria. In order to satisfy O&R's planning criteria, and to  
9 address additional load growth on the Company's local electric delivery system in  
10 this area, the Company is upgrading the capacity of both transformers from 25  
11 MVA to 50 MVA, thereby doubling the capacity of the Tallman Substation. The  
12 redesign also will improve the reliability of the distribution system, by removing  
13 older exposed outdoor take-off structures and replacing them with new metal-  
14 enclosed switchgear, thereby minimizing the present exposure to bird and animal  
15 contacts that typically can disrupt service on these older types of structures. Two  
16 circuits also will be added to improve local area reliability. With respect to the  
17 actual substation site work, the Tallman Substation is presently half completed  
18 and in-service in January 2007 at its new 138kV operating voltage. The  
19 remaining half is under re-construction for 138kV operation and is on schedule to  
20 be completed and placed into service by the end of May 2007, at an overall  
21 estimated cost of \$6.061 million.

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1 Q. Please describe the major electric capital projects that are forecasted to be  
2 completed and added to plant in-service during the 2008 - 2009 time frame.

3 A. A description of these projects follows. The in-service dates are based on  
4 projected construction and installation schedules. The forecasted costs have been  
5 quantified through an analysis of spending and recent material, equipment and  
6 labor costs that have been experienced on similar transmission and substation  
7 projects that are in progress or have recently been completed by the Company.

8 **Transmission Line 11 Upgrade – Parts 1 and 2**

9 The Company is upgrading Line 11 from 34.5kV to 69kV operation, and adding a  
10 second 69kV line along its present route. This project is required to meet the  
11 Company's reliability planning criteria, and satisfy load growth. Line 11 was a  
12 34.5kV sub-transmission feeder that extended approximately 21 miles from the  
13 Company's Shoemaker Substation to the Port Jervis Substation, feeding the  
14 outskirts of O&R's Western Division, as well as some distribution taps along its  
15 lengthy route. Due to significant load growth in this area, the existing facilities,  
16 from both a capacity transfer and load serving perspective, had approached their  
17 limits and failed to meet the Company's planning criteria. The Company also  
18 identified two major distribution source upgrades that were required for this area:  
19 (1) a new substation in the Westtown area (the Westtown Substation was  
20 constructed and placed into service in early 2006), and (2) a complete rebuild of  
21 the existing Port Jervis Substation (planned for completion in 2008).

22 Transmission support for these major new substation projects necessitated the  
23 rebuild of Line 11 to a higher capacity feeder operating at 69kV, along with the

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1 construction of a second 69kV circuit along its path for redundancy and  
2 reliability. The first portion of this line upgrade project (Transmission Line 11  
3 Upgrade – Part 1), from the Shoemaker Substation to the new Westtown  
4 Substation, was completed and energized in 2006. The costs booked during the  
5 July to December 2006 time frame for Part 1 of this project were \$4.922 million.  
6 The present schedule provides for the second portion of this line upgrade project  
7 (Transmission Line 11 Upgrade – Part 2), from the Westtown Substation to the  
8 Port Jervis Substation, to be completed by the summer of 2008 at an estimated  
9 cost of \$15.364 million. This project, along with the upgrade of Line 18 to  
10 operate at 69kV, which will be done in conjunction with the Port Jervis  
11 Substation upgrade project, will allow the Company to tie these upgraded  
12 facilities into its existing 69kV transmission system at the Rio Substation. This  
13 will provide significantly improved transmission system reliability for O&R's  
14 Western Division customers. All of the project upgrades mentioned above will  
15 allow the Company to satisfy its transmission and distribution planning and  
16 reliability criteria for this area.

17 **New Little Tor Road Substation and UG Exits**

18 The Company will be constructing a new substation in the northern New City  
19 area, in the Town of Clarkstown, New York. In May 2006, the Company  
20 purchased land in the Little Tor Road/South Mountain Road area of New City for  
21 the construction of this substation. This new substation, to be named the Little  
22 Tor Road Substation, is situated at the circuit extremities of the service areas of  
23 three existing substations (i.e., New Hempstead, West Haverstraw, and Congers)

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1 and existing 138 KV transmission crosses the site. Due to load growth on the  
2 local electric delivery system in this area, the Company determined that a new  
3 substation in this area was required. This new substation will be a 138 – 13.2kV  
4 station, consisting of two 50 MVA transformer banks and eight new distribution  
5 circuits. The new circuits will exit underground from metal-enclosed switchgear  
6 in the station. A third bank, (25MVA 13.2-34.5kV) also will be installed to serve  
7 a large customer, NY Trap Rock, which is presently fed from the more distant  
8 West Haverstraw Substation through the Little Tor site. This will free up capacity  
9 at the West Haverstraw Substation and provide improved reliability to NY Trap  
10 Rock. O&R will commence construction of the Little Tor Road Substation in  
11 2007, and the proposed schedule will place this station in service by June 2008, at  
12 an estimated cost of \$7.63 million.

13 **New Snake Hill Road Substation and UG Exits**

14 The Company will be constructing a new substation in the West Nyack area, in  
15 the Town of Clarkstown, New York. This new substation, to be named the Snake  
16 Hill Road Substation, will be situated among three existing substations (i.e.,  
17 Nanuet, West Nyack and Congers) and in close proximity to the Palisades Mall.  
18 Due to load growth on the local electric delivery system in this area, the Company  
19 determined that a new substation in this area is required. This new substation will  
20 be a 138 – 13.2kV station, consisting of three 35 MVA transformer banks and  
21 eight new distribution circuits. The new circuits will exit underground from  
22 metal-enclosed switchgear. One of the new 35 MVA banks will be installed to  
23 serve two large customers in close proximity to the station, Tilcon and United

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1 Water Company, which are presently the only remaining customers fed from 4kV  
2 facilities at the West Nyack Substation. Reliability will be improved to these two  
3 large customers, and the bank capacity will be available to provide reliable  
4 backup to the other two 35 MVA station banks that will be feeding the local area  
5 distribution load. Removing the 4kV facilities at the West Nyack Substation will  
6 also allow the Company to redesign the West Nyack Substation as part of a future  
7 project to provide improved local area transmission and distribution system  
8 reliability benefits. O&R will commence construction of the Snake Hill Road  
9 Substation and underground distribution exits in 2007, and the proposed schedule  
10 will place this station in service by December 2008, at an estimated cost of \$8.919  
11 million.

12 **Monroe Substation Upgrade and UG Exits**

13 The Company will be upgrading the existing Monroe Substation, located in Town  
14 of Monroe, New York. The Monroe Substation consists of a single 69-13.2kV, 25  
15 MVA transformer bank. Due to this recent load growth in this area, and the fact  
16 that this station has a limited number of distribution circuit ties with other  
17 stations, which also lack the available capacity required for redundant backup of  
18 Monroe in accordance with the Company's reliability criteria, the Company has  
19 determined that the Monroe Substation must be upgraded. These upgrades will  
20 include increasing the capacity of the existing bank from 25 MVA to 50 MVA,  
21 and the addition of a second 50 MVA bank. The redesign also will improve the  
22 reliability of the distribution system, by removing older exposed outdoor take-off  
23 structures and replacing them with new metal-enclosed switchgear, thereby

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1 removing the present exposure to bird and animal contacts that typically can  
2 disrupt service on these types of structures. The new switchgear will be able to  
3 serve eight distribution circuits, and four new distribution circuits will be added to  
4 the existing four to improve distribution circuit reliability and available tie  
5 capacity for all of the circuits in the area. All of the distribution circuits fed from  
6 the new metal-enclosed switchgear will exit underground from the station. O&R  
7 will commence construction of the Monroe Substation upgrade and underground  
8 distribution exits in 2007, and the proposed schedule will place this station in  
9 service by June 2008, at an estimated cost of \$6.419 million.

10 **New Transmission Line 77A from Ramapo to Sugarloaf**

11 The Company will be constructing a new transmission line from the Ramapo  
12 Substation to the Sugarloaf Substation. This project is required to improve the  
13 transmission source capacity and reliability to the Company's Central and  
14 Western Operating Divisions, which encompass approximately 110,000  
15 customers. Construction of this new transmission line will eliminate the  
16 deficiencies of the Central Hudson Gas and Electric's 115kV S/L Transmission  
17 Line that presently ties Sugarloaf into Central Hudson's Rock Tavern Substation.  
18 The Company will construct a new transmission line within its service territory,  
19 on the open side of the southern tier towers that presently hold existing Line 77  
20 from the Ramapo Substation to the Sugarloaf Substation. This new line, initially  
21 referred to as Line 77A, will be constructed to 345kV specifications and operated  
22 at 138kV until such time that this line may be needed for additional capacity on  
23 the bulk power system. It will be connected into a new 138kV ring bus to be

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1 constructed in a new 138kV Sugarloaf Substation in 2008. The proposed  
2 scheduled will place this transmission line in service by the end of 2008, at an  
3 estimated cost of \$10.367 million.

4 **New Sugarloaf 138kV Substation Yard**

5 The Company will be constructing a new 138kV expansion at the existing  
6 Sugarloaf Substation. The Sugarloaf Substation is essentially a gateway between  
7 the Company's Eastern Division and its Central and Western Divisions. The  
8 138kV sources that feed into and out of this station are presently tied through a  
9 large pole top switching device. With the addition of the new 138kV  
10 transmission line 77A from Ramapo to Sugarloaf, a new 138 kV ring bus scheme  
11 will be required to accommodate the new line connection into Sugarloaf. This  
12 arrangement also will provide substantially improved source reliability to  
13 maintain continuity of service to the Company's Central and Western Divisions in  
14 the event of source contingencies. The proposed scheduled will place this 138kV  
15 transmission yard in service by the end of 2008, at an estimated cost of \$4.082  
16 million.

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1       **New Shoemaker 138-69kV Bank 811**

2       The Company will be installing a second 138-69kV transmission transformer  
3       bank in the Shoemaker Substation. The new Bank 811 will be installed in parallel  
4       with Bank 711, which is an existing single 138-69kV transformer feeding the  
5       69kV bus in Shoemaker at this time. The installation of a parallel bank will allow  
6       for the contingency loss of either 138-69kV bank while keeping the 138kV  
7       sources available to serve the Shoemaker Substation 69kV load. The proposed  
8       schedule will place Bank 811 in service by the summer of 2008, at an estimated  
9       cost of \$2.783 million.

10       **Port Jervis Substation Upgrade and UG Exits**

11       The Company will be upgrading the existing Port Jervis Substation, located in the  
12       City of Port Jervis, New York. The Port Jervis Substation consists of a single  
13       34.5-13.2kV 20 MVA transformer bank. The transmission sources feeding this  
14       substation are in the process of being upgraded to 69kV operation (Line 11 Part 2  
15       and Line 18 Upgrade). As such, this substation must be reconstructed to operate  
16       at 69kV. In addition, this is a single bank substation with a limited number of  
17       distribution circuit ties to other sources that had failed the Company's distribution  
18       planning criteria for many years. Recent substation additions in the area at  
19       Matamoras (Pennsylvania) and Westtown have provided contingency support for  
20       Port Jervis. Due to load growth on the local electric delivery system in this area,  
21       and the fact that this station still has a limited number of distribution circuit ties  
22       with other stations, the Port Jervis Substation must be upgraded to operate at its  
23       new source voltage of 69kV. These upgrades will include increasing the capacity

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1 of the existing bank from 25 MVA to 35 MVA, and the addition of a second 35  
2 MVA bank. The redesign also will improve the reliability of the distribution  
3 system, by removing older exposed outdoor take-off structures and replacing  
4 them with new metal-enclosed switchgear, thereby removing the present exposure  
5 to bird and animal contacts that typically can disrupt service on these types of  
6 structures. The new switchgear will be able to serve six distribution circuits, and  
7 three new distribution circuits will be added to the existing three to improve  
8 distribution circuit reliability and available tie capacity for all of the circuits in the  
9 area. All of the distribution circuits will exit underground. Some preliminary site  
10 work, equipment and materials were purchased and booked in the July to  
11 December 2006 time frame, at a cost of \$758,000. The proposed schedule will  
12 place this station in service by end of 2008, at an additional estimated cost of  
13 \$7.569 million.

14 **Transmission Line 18 Upgrade and Terminals**

15 The Company will be upgrading Line 18 from 34.5kV to 69kV operation. The  
16 upgrade of Line 18 will be done in conjunction with the Port Jervis Substation  
17 upgrade project. The upgrade of Line 18 will allow O&R to tie the new Port  
18 Jervis 69kV sources that are being constructed, from the Shoemaker Substation to  
19 the Port Jervis Substation (Lines 11 and 14), into its existing 69kV transmission  
20 system at the Rio Substation. This will create a strong 69kV transmission loop in  
21 the southern Western Division area, providing significantly improved  
22 transmission system reliability for the Western Division customers, and will allow  
23 the Company to satisfy its transmission planning criteria for this area. The

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1 proposed scheduled will place this transmission line in service by end of 2008, at  
2 an estimated cost of \$1.338 million.

3 **New Hempstead Underground Exits Replacement**

4 The Company will be replacing the underground circuit exits at the New  
5 Hempstead Substation. The New Hempstead Substation presently serves eight  
6 distribution circuits, which all exit the substation underground in manhole and  
7 duct systems, from two 35 MVA transformer banks. The existing cables for all of  
8 the underground exits have been in service for over 30 years, and the cables are  
9 approaching the end of their useful life. The improvements will include the  
10 replacement of the cable and the re-configuration of the underground circuit exits  
11 that will enable each distribution bank to feed circuits in a more geographically  
12 diverse manner and improve contingency capabilities; the existing configuration  
13 of the exits do not allow for this. The benefits include significant life extension  
14 for these circuit exits, the improved ability for one bank to serve load and have  
15 ties in all directions should a contingency occur on the other bank, and improved  
16 service reliability throughout the area. The proposed scheduled will place these  
17 upgraded facilities in service by the summer of 2009, at an estimated cost of  
18 \$1.058 million.

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1       **Hunt Substation Upgrade and UG Exits**

2       The Company will be making upgrades to the Hunt Substation, in Greenwood  
3       Lake, New York. This is a single 69-13.2 kV, 25 MVA bank substation, serving  
4       two distribution circuits from an outdoor takeoff structure. The Company has  
5       identified the need to add an additional circuit by 2009, as this substation. The  
6       redesign will improve the reliability of the distribution system, by removing the  
7       older exposed outdoor take-off structure, and replacing it with new metal-  
8       enclosed switchgear, thereby removing the present exposure to bird and animal  
9       contacts that typically can disrupt service on these types of structures. The new  
10       switchgear will be able to serve four distribution circuits, and as discussed above,  
11       one new distribution circuit will be added to the existing two to improve  
12       distribution circuit reliability and available tie capacity for all of the circuits in the  
13       area. All of the distribution circuits fed from the new metal-enclosed switchgear  
14       will exit underground. O&R will commence the Hunt Substation upgrade and  
15       underground distribution exits in late 2008, and the proposed scheduled will place  
16       these upgraded facilities in service by the summer of 2009, at an estimated cost of  
17       \$2.055 million.

18       **Sterling Forest L26 Transmission Tap**

19       The Company will be installing a 138-69kV transmission transformer bank in the  
20       Sterling Forest Substation, in Sterling Forest, New York. The Sterling Forest  
21       69kV loop starts in the Eastern Division at the Hillburn Substation 69kV Bus and  
22       ends at the Sugarloaf 69kV bus; a distance of over 20 miles. Along the way, it  
23       serves seven substations that had a combined 2006 peak load of 115 MVA, and a

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1 projected 2007 weather normalized load of 118 MVA. Most of the substations  
2 along this loop continue to experience significant load growth. The new  
3 transformer bank in the Sterling Forest Substation will tap into existing 138kV  
4 Line 26, which currently passes through the Sterling Forest Substation site. The  
5 installation of this new 138-69kV source will tie into the middle of the existing  
6 Sugarloaf to Hillburn 69kV loop, and provide an additional 69 kV source in the  
7 middle. This will effectively split the loop in half, and provide substantially  
8 improved source capacity and reliability to these 69kV facilities and the seven  
9 substations that are served by them. The proposed schedule will place new  
10 Sterling Forest 138-69kV transformer bank in service by the end of 2009, at an  
11 estimated cost of \$2.682 million.

12 Transmission Line 31 Upgrade

13 The Company will be upgrading the capacity of Line 31. Line 31 extends from  
14 the Hillburn Substation to the Sloatsburg Substation in the Company's Eastern  
15 Division, and is part of a larger 69 kV transmission loop that ends at the Sugarloaf  
16 Substation in the Company's Central Division. This overall 69kV loop feeds eight  
17 distribution substations along its path. The Company will selectively upgrade the  
18 capacity of Line 31 to match the ratings of the other portions of this 69kV loop to  
19 significantly improve the capacity and reliability of this loop. The proposed  
20 schedule will place the Line 31 upgrade in service by the end of 2009, at an  
21 estimated cost of \$1.564 million.

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1 New Pocatello Substation, UG Exits and Transmission Interconnection

2 The Company will be constructing a new substation in the northwest outskirts of  
3 the Middletown area, in Mount Hope, New York. This new Pocatello Substation,  
4 will be situated at the extremities of circuits from three existing substations (i.e.,  
5 Shoemaker, Otisville and Westtown). There has been substantial load growth that  
6 has already materialized on the local electric delivery system in this area, and  
7 forecasts for continued growth. Additionally, there are minimal distribution ties  
8 that exist in this area from circuits that are lengthy as well. The Company has  
9 determined that a new substation in this area is required. This new substation will  
10 be a 69 – 13.2kV station, consisting of two 50 MVA transformer banks and the  
11 capability for eight new distribution circuits. Initially, four new circuits will be  
12 installed, will be fed from metal-enclosed switchgear, and will exit underground.  
13 An underground transmission line will likely be required to interconnect the new  
14 Pocatello Substation with existing transmission sources in the area, at an  
15 estimated cost of \$1.468 million. The proposed schedule will place this new  
16 substation and associated facilities in service by December 2009, at an estimated  
17 cost of \$6.02 million.

18 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

19 A. Yes, it does.

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1 Q. Please state your name, address and current position.

2 A. My name is Carl H. Seligson. My address is 40 East 94<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY  
3 10128. I am an independent, self-employed consultant specializing in financial  
4 matters related to the utility industry.

5 Q. Please summarize your professional experience.

6 A. I began my financial career in 1961 and served two firms as a utility equity (stock)  
7 analyst until 1971 when I joined Merrill Lynch as a senior utility investment banker.  
8 In 1987 I joined Kidder Peabody in a similar capacity. In 1990 I became Senior  
9 Consultant - Regulated Industries for Deloitte & Touche and in 1992 I returned to  
10 investment banking as Managing Director and Manager of the Public Utility  
11 Financing Group of Prudential Securities. In 1996 I joined Andersen Consulting (now  
12 Accenture) as a Senior Advisor. Since retiring from Andersen Consulting in 2000,  
13 after reaching age 65, I spent about nine months as a Senior Vice President of a start-  
14 up internet based business, energyLeader.com, which attempted to become a  
15 purchasing agent for utilities. Since 2001, I have been a self-employed consultant  
16 and spent time at Prospect Street Ventures attempting to raise funds for a Venture  
17 Capital effort directed to investing in electro-technologies and then at K Road  
18 Ventures and K Road Power examining investment opportunities in non-regulated  
19 generation of electricity. For the last four years I have been on retainer to the Edison  
20 Electric Institute developing and implementing an action plan to assure confidence in  
21 the electric power industry and providing advice for member companies on issues of

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1 concern to the financial community. This assignment has included supervising and  
2 participating in Regulatory Dialogues between the Financial Community and State  
3 Regulatory Commissioners and Staff.

4 Q. Have you ever appeared as an expert financial witness before regulatory agencies?

5 A. Yes. I prepared testimony on rate of return before the Federal Power Commission on  
6 behalf of Florida Power Corporation, Jersey Central Power & Light, Metropolitan  
7 Edison Company, Panhandle Eastern Pipeline and Pennsylvania Electric Company  
8 and before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission on behalf of Florida Power  
9 Corporation and Duke Power Company (rebuttal). I have also presented such  
10 testimony before the following Commissions: Arkansas Public Service Commission  
11 on behalf of Arkansas Power & Light Company; District of Columbia Public Service  
12 Commission on behalf of Potomac Electric Power Company; Florida Public Service  
13 Commission on behalf of Florida Power Corporation, Florida Telephone Company,  
14 Gulf Power Company, Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company and Winter  
15 Park Telephone Company; Georgia Public Service Commission on behalf of Georgia  
16 Power Company; Illinois Commerce Commission on behalf of Peoples' Gas, Light &  
17 Coke Company; Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission on behalf of Northern  
18 Indiana Public Service Company; Kentucky Public Service Commission on behalf of  
19 Kentucky Power Company; Maryland Public Service Commission on behalf of  
20 Potomac Edison Company; Department of Public Utilities of Massachusetts on behalf  
21 of Boston Edison Company; the Board of Regulatory Commissioners of the State of

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1 New Jersey on behalf of Jersey Central Power & Light Company, New Jersey Power  
2 & Light Company and South Jersey Gas Company; New York Public Service  
3 Commission on behalf of Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Long Island  
4 Lighting Company, National Fuel Gas Distribution Company, Niagara Mohawk  
5 Power Corporation, Orange and Rockland Utilities and Pennsylvania Electric  
6 Company; North Carolina Utilities Commission on behalf of Virginia Electric &  
7 Power Company; Public Utilities Commission of Ohio on behalf of Cleveland  
8 Electric Illuminating, Columbus & Southern Ohio Electric and Toledo Edison  
9 Company; Corporation Commission of the State of Oklahoma on behalf of Public  
10 Service Company of Oklahoma; Pennsylvania Public Utilities Commission on behalf  
11 of Metropolitan Edison Company, Pennsylvania Electric Company and West Penn  
12 Power Company; Virginia State Corporation Commission on behalf of Virginia  
13 Electric & Power and Public Service Commission of West Virginia on behalf of  
14 West Virginia Water Company and Huntington Water Company.  
15 I also testified before the Federal Power Commission in its Phase II electric utility  
16 hearings; before the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Atomic Safety and Licensing  
17 Board on behalf of Alabama Power Company and Carolina Power & Light Company;  
18 before the Federal Power Commission on Construction Work in Progress; before the  
19 National Association of Regulatory Commissioners ad hoc Committees on Utility  
20 Diversification and on the financial health of Electric Utilities; before the House of  
21 Representatives' Committee on Ways and Means on deferred taxes, and the sub-

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1 committee on Energy and Environment of the Committee on Interior and Insular  
2 Affairs on nuclear licensing reform; before the Department of Energy at its National  
3 Energy Strategy hearings; and before State Legislative Committees in Arizona,  
4 Connecticut, Michigan and New Jersey.

5 Q. Have you ever made any presentations on financial matters to regulatory audiences?

6 A. Yes. I have made presentations to many such audiences, beginning with presentations  
7 on rate of return to the Annual Convention of the National Association of Regulatory  
8 Commissioners (NARUC) in October, 1969. I also addressed this convention in 1976,  
9 1982, 1987, 1991 and in 2004 on financing future generation. Similarly I have  
10 addressed various regional conferences of utility commissioners on ten separate  
11 occasions and I presented a Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Advocacy  
12 Lecture in 1978. I also appeared at the invitation of the Secretary of Energy at the  
13 Department of Energy's National Energy Policy Plan Public Meeting in September,  
14 1994.

15 As mentioned earlier, I have participated in about eight Regulatory Dialogues with  
16 the Financial Community organized by Gee Strategies Group, LLC, each of which  
17 has a number of State Commissioners and Staff in attendance. I also participated in a  
18 similar program presented under the auspices of the NARUC Education Foundation,  
19 on whose Advisory Board I sit.

20 Q. Are you involved with any other professional organizations?

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1 A. Yes. I am a member of the Wall Street Utility Group and the New York Society of  
2 Security Analysts, where I served as program chairman of the utilities section. I am  
3 also a member of the Association for Investment Management & Research and the  
4 Financial Analysts Federation. I also served as a member of the Board of Directors of  
5 the Nuclear Energy Institute and of the National Society of Rate of Return Analysts  
6 and as Chairman of the Regulated Industries Committee of the Securities Industry  
7 Association. In August 2006 I completed two terms (eight years) as a member of the  
8 Advisory Council of the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI) where I also served  
9 on their Strategic Issues Committee. The Advisory Council has ten members  
10 appointed by NARUC in addition to numerous other interested parties.

11 Q. What is the purpose of your testimony in this proceeding?

12 A. The purpose of my testimony is to discuss the regulatory approach to determining and  
13 administering allowed returns on common equity capital. By "administering" I mean  
14 determining when regulators should intervene in utility operating results in the  
15 absence of a rate proposal filed by the utility. I will also discuss the financial  
16 community's perception of a utility like Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc. ("Orange  
17 and Rockland," "O&R," or the "Company") and what the financial community would  
18 perceive as a reasonable earnings range for such a utility. I will explain why O&R's  
19 projected earnings do not provide a basis for establishing temporary rates and how the  
20 investment community and rating agencies would likely view temporary rate action

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1 by the NYPSC. Finally, I will explain the potential negative financial impacts on  
2 O&R of temporary rate action.

3 Q. Please provide an overview of your testimony.

4 A. I understand that the regulatory proceeding we are currently involved with stems from  
5 concerns regarding the company's earnings levels during the period following a rate  
6 plan that expired at the end of October 2006, approximately three months ago.

7 While I understand the possibility of regulatory concern about a given level of  
8 earnings of a utility, I believe that regulatory intervention in the form of a temporary  
9 rate order would be highly inappropriate.

10 One of the long-standing hallmarks of utility regulation is that utilities ought to be  
11 permitted the opportunity to earn returns comparable to similar enterprises, and later I  
12 will discuss this earnings level as it relates to Orange & Rockland. There is certainly  
13 no indication that regulatory intervention of the nature contemplated by this expedited  
14 proceeding is justified or warranted. If the projected future earnings levels were  
15 determined to be outside a determined range of reasonableness, one could believe that  
16 there might be a basis for considering new, permanent, rates for O&R, but I do not  
17 believe such projections would provide any basis for establishing temporary rates.

18 Temporary rate action would certainly send a negative signal to the investment  
19 community, including debt and equity analysts and rating agencies, that New York  
20 regulation is uncertain, unpredictable and, to be frank, unstable.

21 Q. Why is the cost of common equity important?

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1 A. The cost of common equity is the heart of most utility rate cases since it is the  
2 earnings on the common stock that not only provide for a return to the owners of the  
3 business for their investment but also provides for dearly needed coverage of debt  
4 interest. In other words, a regulatory body allows rates to provide for interest on debt  
5 and the remaining earnings (the return on common equity) provide all of the interest  
6 coverage above one times. For obvious reasons, the return that is actually earned, or  
7 which can be earned, is far more important to all investors than a return that is  
8 nominally allowed which cannot be realized. If an investor-owned utility is unable to  
9 recover the costs of its invested capital, it will not be able to continue to survive  
10 indefinitely, and its customers will ultimately have to absorb the costs and  
11 consequences.

12 Q. What is your approach to determining the cost of common equity?

13 A. My approach is based on two widely accepted methodologies - comparable earnings  
14 and risk premium.

15 There is no question that risk, both business and financial, is an important determinant  
16 of the cost of equity capital. There is a very close relationship between the cost of  
17 capital and the risk associated with investment, since investors understandably require  
18 a greater return as risk and uncertainty increase. Risk is generally perceived by  
19 investors to consist of two integrated elements - the business risk and the financial  
20 risk. Business risk involves not only variability of revenue but also variability of  
21 return on investment, which is influenced in large part by the ability (or inability) of

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1 the enterprise to adjust prices, or to exercise control over costs, or both. Financial risk  
2 is directly related to the nature of the capital employed in financing the business. The  
3 existence of senior capital, i.e., debt, increases the risk associated with the ownership  
4 of common stock. Inasmuch as senior securities have a prior claim to the earnings and  
5 assets of the business, the common stockholder benefits from a leveraged capital  
6 structure only when the return on the equity exceeds the cost rate of the senior capital  
7 employed in the business. In a highly leveraged capital structure, the possibility of  
8 adversity affecting the equity return is greatly enhanced due to the greater fixed costs  
9 associated with a higher level of senior capital. The essence of the risk premium  
10 theory holds that the common stockholder is entitled to a premium in return for the  
11 assumption of this risk. In making a determination of a fair return on common equity,  
12 the premium is added to the cost of relatively "risk free" investments, such as U.S.  
13 Treasury securities.

14 For comparable earnings I believe it is fair and reasonable to look at a broad range of  
15 regulated utilities as to return levels earned.

16 Further, I strongly believe that determining a fair rate of return is not a wholly  
17 mechanical approach. While statistical, financial and mathematical models are  
18 appropriate, professional judgment is also an essential ingredient in a final  
19 determination.

20 Q. How do you determine the cost of common equity by use of the comparable earnings  
21 method?

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1 A. I have looked at the earnings levels reported by the highly reputable firm Regulatory  
2 Research Associates, which tracks closely the regulatory actions and results of  
3 Utilities in the United States. In their *Utility Focus* report *Electric Utility Monthly-*  
4 *January 2007* they present a table of 39 companies whose return on equity averaged  
5 12.5%. (See my Exhibit CHS-1, page 1) Some 17 of these companies had returns  
6 above the 12.5% level, averaging 15.9%, while the remaining 21 companies  
7 (after eliminating Con Edison) had returns averaging 9.7%. (see my Exhibit CHS-1,  
8 pages 2 & 3) The median return for the two groups was 12.8%.

9 I might also note at this point that three of the 39 companies in this report have  
10 significant operations in New York State (Con Edison, Energy East & KeySpan)  
11 and all three have returns on equity of less than 10%.

12 Q. How do you determine the cost of common equity by use of the risk premium  
13 method?

14 A. The risk premium method is based on the premise that investors are averse to risk and  
15 require a higher return to be compensated for assuming additional risk. Among long-  
16 term investments, United States government bonds are the least risky and, therefore,  
17 their return can be used as the basis for calculating risk premiums attributable to  
18 alternative investments. Numerous studies have compared the returns realized over  
19 various time frames by investments in government bonds with investments in a cross-  
20 section of common stocks.

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1 A landmark in such studies is the work originally done by Roger G. Ibbotson and Rex  
2 A. Siquefield entitled Stocks, Bonds and Inflation: The Past and the Future and  
3 which is continued under the auspices of Morningstar, Inc. the current owner of  
4 Ibbotson Associates. The most recent such study concluded that from the beginning  
5 of 1926 to the end of 2005, common stock investors have historically realized a  
6 premium of 7.1% over the return available on risk-free alternative investments.

7 Q. What time period do you use in this proceeding for determining the appropriate base  
8 risk-free rate to which an appropriate risk premium should be added?

9 A. I believe that the appropriate period to use for the Treasury Bond yield in a risk  
10 premium determination of the cost of common equity in this proceeding is the  
11 estimated yield for 2007. I believe that it is perfectly fair and appropriate to use such  
12 a future period seeing as prior periods are history and any new rates will apply in  
13 2007 and beyond. Moody's Economy, a division of Moody's Investors Service,  
14 projects such a yield to be 5.4%. (See my Exhibit CHS-1, page 4) The resultant  
15 Return on Common Equity then is the sum of the 7.1% premium and the 5.4% risk  
16 free (Treasury Bond) yield, or 12.5%.

17 Q. Is your recommendation then that the consideration of temporary rates in this  
18 proceeding be based upon a return of 12.8% (comparable earnings) or 12.5% (risk  
19 premium) on common equity, or at a mid point of the two?

20 A. In spite of the fact that the methods that I employ produce such results, the fact must  
21 be remembered that we arrive at this point for a so-called average company.

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1 Q. Do you consider O&R to be an average company meriting an average return?

2 A. No, I do not. I should at this time point out a number of significant areas where  
3 Orange and Rockland is not average in terms of risk and therefore requires a higher  
4 return allowance than an average company.

5 O&R's parent, Con Edison, has a payout ratio of nearly 80% of its earnings. (See  
6 my Exhibit CHS-1, page 1), and the relatively high yield of 4.78% is fourth highest of  
7 the 39 companies covered, suggesting little room for growth and increased risk  
8 in the face of capital expenditures requiring the sale of debt at potentially higher  
9 interest rates. Both Standard and Poor's Corporation and Moody's Investors Service  
10 have commented on the relatively weak financial profile of Con Edison, and in fact  
11 Moody's has lowered the debt rating of O&R. O&R's capital expenditure plan,  
12 combined with its need to maintain an appropriate debt/equity ratio will require a  
13 significant infusion of common equity in 2007 and beyond. The weakened financial  
14 position of both companies will certainly have an effect on the cost of debt to be sold  
15 as well as on the opportunities for shareholders.

16 Nationally, there has been a significant increase in political activity surrounding  
17 requests for increased electric utility rates and in New York electric utilities continue  
18 to face the risk of a changing regulatory environment. Electric utilities compete with  
19 other entities for capital and the new Governor here has indicated he is considering  
20 new energy policy initiatives. For example, as indicated in his recent State of the  
21 State message, the Governor is considering having utility companies take on new

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1 risks of mandatory power contracts, which would increase the cost of utility capital  
2 and, all else being equal, place New York utilities at a further competitive  
3 disadvantage in respects to the national financial marketplace.

4 Q. Please discuss what you consider to be a reasonable return on common equity for  
5 O&R.

6 A. As indicated above, in my opinion, based on the risk premium analysis that I have  
7 consistently used in over 35 years of studying utilities and regulation, current return  
8 on equity requirements for an "average" company are a minimum of 12.5%. Based  
9 on comparable earnings achieved by other utilities, a current return level of 12.8%  
10 would be appropriate. As a result of both the mathematical calculations presented and  
11 the factors just cited that make Orange and Rockland subject to increased risk vis-à-  
12 vis the average company, I believe that conditions prevailing at O&R would suggest  
13 an ROE above the average of the two methodologies of 12.65% - on the order of a  
14 .35% premium or 13.00%.

15 Q. Is the Company projecting earnings in this range?

16 A. No. As set forth in the testimony of Company witness Kane, O&R projects that its  
17 prospective earnings will be below these levels and these levels can certainly be  
18 justified by the capital spending and financing requirements of the company going  
19 forward. It is my understanding that O&R is projected to spend in the area of \$125  
20 million in calendar 2007 on capital projects and will require outside financing -  
21 probably a debt sale after an equity infusion from its parent.

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1 Q. Do the Company's past or projected earnings warrant the Commission's establishing  
2 temporary rates?

3 A. They do not. As for O&R's past earnings, I believe that the most significant  
4 regulatory development in recent years nation-wide has been a "forward look"  
5 replacing an historical view, as more and more regulatory bodies recognize that since  
6 rates are set for the future they must consider reasonable projections of future  
7 conditions when deciding on rate levels. What good is a rate level based on the past  
8 if conditions are known to be changing for the period ahead? Accordingly, earnings  
9 by O&R during the now expired rate plan are completely irrelevant. I understand that  
10 during the rate plan O&R shared earnings above the 12.75% level, but that plan and  
11 the required sharing expired at the end of last October with no renewal or extension  
12 suggested.

13 As for O&R's forecasted earnings, it is my understanding that the Company is  
14 forecasting a return for calendar year 2007 of approximately 11.6% with projected  
15 earnings for future years at still lower levels. These projected earnings levels are  
16 below the level in the expired rate plan at which there was to be sharing of earnings  
17 (i.e., 12.75%), and also below the current level of earnings for electric utilities  
18 generally.

19 Accordingly, when one looks at a reasonable methodology for establishing a return  
20 on equity, be it what other utilities are earning, or what is suggested by a risk  
21 premium or comparable earnings analysis, or the recently expired PSC-approved rate

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1 plan, O&R's forecasted earnings fall at or below a reasonable level. Therefore, I can  
2 see no possible basis for temporary rate action.

3 Q. Why do you believe that temporary rate action of any kind is unwarranted?

4 A. In general, nation-wide, I believe that "temporary rates" have only been used to  
5 increase rates due to emergency conditions facing a company which indicate the need  
6 for relief prior to consideration of a full blown rate proceeding.

7 To my knowledge, there has been no temporary rate reduction action initiated in any  
8 other jurisdiction based on utility's current or forecasted earnings level. It is not an  
9 accepted regulatory procedural step - rather if a commission believes that a company  
10 is "over-earning," it starts a proceeding to set new permanent rates for the future.

11 Should the Commission take this most unusual step and institute temporary rates, I  
12 believe that O&R will either have to defer its access to capital markets when such  
13 rates are in effect or be prepared to pay a premium of a higher interest rate reflecting  
14 the financial community's assessment of the temporary rate action.

15 Q. What is your understanding as to the use by the New York Public Service

16 Commission of deferred accounting for certain expenses?

17 A. Deferred accounting for costs like pensions/OPEBs and environmental remediation,  
18 was established to protect both customers and ratepayers from volatile costs outside  
19 the utility's control. When costs increase above projected levels and are therefore  
20 deferred for future recovery from customers, I believe it is necessary for the  
21 Commission's actions to demonstrate that the regulatory compact is in force and that

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1 such deferred expenses will be recoverable at a future point in time, so as to offer  
2 assurance to the financial community that there is no "gimmickry" being applied to  
3 keep rates at an artificially low level. That is, if the Commission adopts a rate plan  
4 that provides for earnings sharing to end, but for certain deferred accounting to  
5 continue, when the rate plan expires neither actual nor projected earnings and  
6 deferrals immediately following the expiration of that plan should provide a basis for  
7 a temporary rate decrease. The only appropriate action would be to consider new  
8 permanent rates on a prospective basis.

9 Q. You refer to the financial community. How do you believe this community would  
10 view any temporary rate action taken as a result of this proceeding?

11 A. First, I believe the concept of temporary rates is a misnomer. For example, absent the  
12 Company preparing and submitting a rate filing, a process which entails more than a  
13 year until a decision is rendered and new permanent rates are made effective, it is my  
14 understanding that there is no legal requirement for the Commission to establish  
15 permanent rates after temporary rates are imposed. As a result, it becomes relatively  
16 difficult, if not impossible, to predict cash flows with any degree of certainty and such  
17 lack of predictability would directly affect a company's ability to finance required  
18 capital expenditures. And that same uncertainty would exist even if O&R's rates  
19 were not reduced by some portion of existing rates but are made temporary, that is,  
20 subject to refund.

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1 A company that is required to operate under temporary rates is therefore, by  
2 definition, transformed into a company with significant financial uncertainty - a  
3 condition to be avoided if at all possible. A company operating under temporary rates  
4 will by necessity need to change its focus and become preoccupied with establishing  
5 its financial position to assuage the financial community. Said financial community  
6 consists of fixed income and equity analysts and rating agencies which have a direct  
7 influence on the availability and cost of capital needed by the company.

8 It should be pointed out that while many companies faced with significant financial  
9 uncertainty can, and do, resolve the challenges, there is no specificity as to the time  
10 required for such resolution, and in fact there is no assurance that the challenge will  
11 be resolved. As a result, in working to resolve the situation important programs and  
12 priorities can be significantly postponed or even lost and the company's culture  
13 severely damaged.

14 What I am saying is that the establishment of temporary rates would be considered a  
15 legal exercise to achieve a preconceived rate of return desired by a regulator. The  
16 establishment of temporary rates will provide a substantial change in the core mission  
17 of the utility and can almost assuredly be expected to have profound impacts  
18 throughout the company's operations. Since temporary rates are not based on  
19 consideration of all factors, as would be the case in a full-blown proceeding, in  
20 producing a rate reduction they would appear to the financial community as a  
21 politically inspired move - which would be extremely detrimental to a utility's

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1 financial standing in the eyes of the financial community. Financial markets do not  
2 accept the concept of rates that are subject to refund as being a stable source of  
3 income and are particularly leery of politically inspired rate making. So-called  
4 temporary rates that call for a reduction in earnings levels are a bad signal to the  
5 investment community, especially if applied to a company that has been earning  
6 within a zone of reasonableness and which will require new financing in the  
7 immediate future, and especially if the company has a good record of operations,  
8 appropriate customer service, capital spending in line with forecasts, etc.

9 Q. You express concern over the financial community's reaction to the imposition of  
10 temporary rates. Can you be more specific?

11 A. Yes. During 2006, I attended and participated in five regional dialogues between  
12 members of the financial community and state regulators and staff. These dialogues  
13 clearly enabled the financial community (including debt rating agencies, fixed income  
14 and equity analysts and investment bankers) to enunciate their desire for regulatory  
15 certainty and predictability. A summary of credit rating agency positions expresses  
16 that regulators' actions are assessed in terms of how they affect a company's  
17 creditworthiness. These agencies seek certainty, predictability, and stability.  
18 Anything that jeopardizes a utility's ability to recover its costs in a timely fashion  
19 causes uncertainty. So, the focus is on consistency and predictability of decisions,  
20 timeliness of decisions, use of forward-looking measures, the lack of prudence  
21 disallowances, and supportive actions during stressful circumstances. Commission

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1 composition (including staff) is evaluated. In summary, financial community  
2 representatives said they look at the quality of regulation: consistency, transparency,  
3 predictability, stability; the use of incentives; fuel clauses; investment pre-approval;  
4 tracking mechanisms for renewable energy, energy efficiency, and DSM investments;  
5 timely recovery of investments; forward-looking test years.

6 Q. Please continue.

7 A. Various industry analysts have recently expressed concern as to the ROE levels  
8 recently afforded by the New York Commission as well as uncertainty in light of  
9 forthcoming changes to the composition of the Commission and its Staff by the  
10 State's new governor, as well as the pursuit of new policy objectives, such as utilities  
11 entering long term energy commitments. Standard and Poor's imputes additional  
12 debt in the capital structure for such contracts. The debt, and associated interest,  
13 weakens the financial ratios used to determine S&P's bond ratings. Commission  
14 action on temporary electric rates for O&R would, in my view, exacerbate these  
15 concerns.

16 Q. Are you aware of the positions taken by Staff and CPB regarding the level of  
17 temporary rates that the Commission should consider?

18 A. Yes. I have reviewed certain pleadings they filed in which they reference the statute  
19 allowing temporary rates set at a level of 5% return on capital.

20 Q. What are your thoughts as to those references?

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1 A. I am not an attorney, but the notion is clearly unreasonable and in my view beyond  
2 rational debate and would have a severe adverse effect on the financial community's  
3 views of New York State regulatory policies.

4 Q. Given your analysis and the reactions you attribute to the financial community, what  
5 is your conclusion?

6 A. I conclude that there is no basis in fact for any type of temporary rate action. In my  
7 opinion the establishment of temporary rates for a heretofore successful company like  
8 Orange & Rockland, with solid operations and a record of constructive cooperation  
9 with the Commission (e.g., the prior rate order) would not be seen as in keeping with  
10 the Commission's prior record. The Commission could, on its own motion, proceed  
11 with a review of the Company's financial situation but should not impose temporary  
12 rates.

13 Q. Does this conclude your testimony?

14 A. Yes it does.

MONTHLY MARKET DATA - RRA Utility Index

Company	Dec 29	Percent		Earnings Per Share				Price/Earnings			Market/Book	ROE	Dividend *			Bk Val	Moody's/S&P Ratings	Tkr. Sym.
	2006 Price	Change	Month	YTD	2005	Curr. (Mo)	2006E	2007E	2006E	2007E			Curr.	Rate	Yield			
	\$	%	%	\$	\$	\$	\$	X	X	X	%	\$	%	%	\$			
ALLEG ENERGY	45.91	3	45	0.95	1.47 (9)	1.75	2.15	26.2	21.4	31.2	378	13.1	0	n.a.	12.13	B1 / BB-	AYE	
ALLIANT ENERGY	37.77	-3	35	2.07	2.19 (9)	2.35	2.45	16.1	15.4	17.2	177	10.1	1.27	3.36	58	Baa1 / BBB+	LNT	
AMEREN CORP	53.73	-2	5	3.13	2.58 (9)	2.85	3.70	18.9	14.5	20.8	169	8.1	2.54	4.73	98	A3 / A-	AEE	
AMER EL PWR	42.58	3	15	2.73	2.69 (9)	2.60	2.70	16.4	15.8	15.8	176	11.5	1.56	3.66	58	Baa3 / BBB	AEP	
CENTERPOINT	16.58	1	29	0.68	1.02 (9)	0.95	1.00	17.5	16.6	16.3	330	22.8	0.60	3.62	59	Ba2 / BBB	CNP	
CMS ENERGY	16.70	3	15	0.96	1.05 (9)	1.00	1.10	16.7	15.2	15.9	163	10.1	0	0	10.24	B1 / BB	CMS	
CON EDISON	48.07	-0	4	3.00	2.92 (9)	2.85	3.10	16.9	15.5	16.5	156	9.6	2.30	4.78	79	A2 / A	ED	
CONSTELLATION	68.87	0	20	3.62	3.99 (9)	3.75	4.60	18.4	15.0	17.3	286	14.4	1.51	2.19	38	Baa1 / BBB+	CEG	
DOMIN RESOU	83.84	4	9	4.53	5.37 (9)	5.10	5.45	16.4	15.4	15.6	219	15.4	2.76	3.29	51	Baa1 / BBB+	D	
DPL INC	27.78	-1	7	1.27	1.64 (9)	1.40	1.60	19.8	17.4	16.9	443	21.9	1.00	3.60	61	Ba2 / BB	DPL	
DTE ENERGY	48.41	3	12	3.25	4.52 (9)	3.20	3.50	15.1	13.8	10.7	147	14.2	2.12	4.38	47	Baa2 / BBB	DTE	
DUKE ENERGY	33.21	5	21	1.73	1.84 (9)	1.85	2.00	18.0	16.6	18.0	157	9.6	1.28	3.85	70	Baa1 / BBB	DUK	
DUQUESNE LT	19.85	-2	22	1.11	1.02 (9)	1.05	1.45	18.9	13.7	19.5	226	11.6	1.00	5.04	98	Baa2 / BBB	DQE	
EDISON INTL	45.48	-1	4	3.13	3.14 (9)	2.95	3.30	15.4	13.8	14.5	197	14.7	1.16	2.55	37	Ba2 / BBB	EIX	
ENERGY EAST	24.80	2	9	1.78	1.70 (6)	1.80	1.60	13.8	15.5	14.6	132	8.7	1.20	4.84	71	Baa2 / BBB+	EAS	
ENTERGY	92.32	1	34	4.36	4.51 (9)	4.65	5.50	19.9	16.8	20.5	225	11.4	2.16	2.34	48	Baa3 / BBB	ETR	
EXELON	61.89	2	16	3.20	3.14 (9)	3.25	4.55	19.0	13.6	19.7	428	21.2	1.76	2.84	56	Baa2 / A-	EXC	
FIRSTENERGY	60.30	1	23	2.99	3.60 (9)	3.80	4.10	15.9	14.7	16.8	209	12.9	2.00	3.32	56	Baa3 / BBB-	FE	
FPL GROUP	54.42	2	31	2.58	2.86 (9)	2.90	3.40	18.8	16.0	19.0	230	12.6	1.50	2.76	52	A2 / A	FPL	
KEYSPAN	41.18	0	15	2.37	2.42 (9)	2.30	2.45	17.9	16.8	17.0	158	9.4	1.90	4.61	79	A3 / A	KSE	
NISOURCE	24.10	-2	16	1.50	1.40 (9)	1.35	1.45	17.9	16.6	17.2	137	7.9	0.92	3.82	66	Baa3 / BBB	NI	
NO'EAST UT	28.16	0	43	1.18	1.12 (9)	1.15	1.35	24.5	20.9	25.1	175	7.1	0.75	2.66	67	Baa2 / BBB	NU	
NSTAR	34.36	-2	20	1.83	1.92 (9)	1.95	2.10	17.6	16.4	17.9	232	13.3	1.30	3.78	68	A2 / A	NST	
OGE ENERGY	40.00	2	49	1.86	2.42 (9)	2.20	2.35	18.2	17.0	16.5	236	15.1	1.36	3.40	56	Baa1 / BBB+	OGE	
PEPCO HOLDINGS	26.01	1	16	1.52	1.30 (9)	1.60	1.75	16.3	14.9	20.0	138	6.9	1.04	4.00	80	Baa2 / BBB+	POM	
PG&E CORP	47.33	3	28	2.34	2.58 (9)	2.45	2.70	19.3	17.5	18.3	228	12.1	1.32	2.79	51	Baa1 / BBB	PCG	
PINNACLE WST	50.69	3	23	3.37	3.22 (9)	3.15	3.30	16.1	15.4	15.7	149	9.6	2.10	4.14	65	Baa2 / BBB	PNW	
PPL CORP	35.84	-1	22	2.08	2.29 (9)	2.25	2.35	15.9	15.3	15.7	269	18.6	1.10	3.07	48	Baa3 / BBB	PPL	
PROG ENERGY	49.08	3	12	3.33	2.47 (9)	2.55	2.75	19.2	17.8	19.9	155	7.8	2.44	4.97	99	Baa2 / BBB	PGN	
PS ENT GROUP	66.38	-1	2	3.21	3.86 (9)	3.60	4.80	18.4	13.8	17.2	240	15.2	2.28	3.43	59	Ba1 / BBB	PEG	
PUGENT ENERGY	25.36	2	24	1.46	1.46 (9)	1.50	1.60	16.9	15.9	17.4	141	8.4	1.00	3.94	68	Ba1 / BBB-	PSD	
SCANA CORP	40.62	-2	3	2.78	2.67 (9)	2.90	3.00	14.0	13.5	15.2	168	11.3	1.68	4.14	63	A3 / A-	SCG	
SEMPRA ENERGY	56.04	3	25	3.96	4.34 (9)	3.60	3.70	15.6	15.1	12.9	196	16.9	1.20	2.14	28	Baa1 / BBB+	SRE	
SOUTHERN CO	36.86	2	7	2.13	2.09 (9)	2.10	2.20	17.6	16.8	17.6	243	14.0	1.55	4.21	74	A2 / A	SO	
TECO ENERGY	17.23	1	0	1.23	1.13 (9)	1.05	1.15	16.4	15.0	15.2	213	14.4	0.76	4.41	67	Ba2 / BB	TE	
TXU	54.21	-6	8	3.33	5.61 (9)	5.55	5.50	9.8	9.9	9.7	n.m.	n.m.	1.73	3.19	31	Ba1 / BBB	TXU	
WESTAR ENERGY	25.96	-2	21	1.59	1.77 (9)	1.65	1.70	15.7	15.3	14.7	151	10.4	1.00	3.85	56	Ba1 / BB+	WR	
WISC ENERGY	47.46	1	22	2.43	2.74 (9)	2.55	2.65	18.6	17.9	17.3	196	11.8	0.92	1.94	34	A3 / BBB+	WEC	
XCEL ENERGY	23.06	0	25	1.20	1.37 (9)	1.30	1.40	17.7	16.5	16.8	165	10.0	0.89	3.86	65	Baa1 / BBB	XEL	
39-Co. Avg.	42.370	1	18			2.48	2.76	17.5	15.8	17.3	207	12.5		3.61	61			

Utility Focus, Electric Utility Monthly, Regulatory Research Associates (January 2007)

Companies With ROEs Above 12.5%\*

Company	ROE (Avg.) %
ALLEG ENERGY	13.1
CENTERPOINT	22.8
CONSTELLATION	14.4
DOMIN RESOU	15.4
DPL INC	21.9
DTE ENERGY	14.2
EDISON INTL	14.7
EXELON	21.2
FIRST ENERGY	12.9
FPL GROUP	12.6
NSTAR	13.3
OGE ENERGY	15.1
PPL CORP	18.6
PS ENT GROUP	15.2
SEMPRA ENERGY	16.9
SOUTHERN CO	14.0
TECO ENERGY	14.4
17 COMPANY AVERAGE	15.9%

\*Utility Focus, Electric Utility Monthly, Regulatory Research Associates (January 2007)

Companies With ROEs Below 12.5%

Company	ROE (Avg.) %
ALLIANT ENERGY	10.1
AMEREN CORP	8.1
AMER EL PWR	11.5
CMS ENERGY	10.1
DUKE ENERGY	9.6
DUQUESNE LT	11.6
ENERGY EAST	8.7
ENTERGY	11.4
KEYSPAN	9.4
NISOURCE	7.9
NO'EAST UT	7.1
PEPCO HOLDINGS	6.9
PG&E CORP	12.1
PINNACLE WEST	9.6
PROG ENERGY	7.8
PUGET ENERGY	8.4
SCANA CORP	11.3
TXU	n.m.
WESTAR ENERGY	10.4
WISC ENERGY	11.8
XCEL ENERGY	10.0
21 COMPANY AVERAGE**	9.7%

\*Utility Focus, Electric Utility Monthly, Regulatory Research Associates (January 2007)

\*\*Remaining RRA Companies excluding CON EDISON.

**MOODY'S ECONOMY FORECAST (January 2007)**  
**INTEREST RATES FOR 30 YEAR TREASURY BONDS**

2007	Q1	5.26%
	Q2	5.40
	Q3	5.49
	Q4	<u>5.54</u>
	Avg.	5.42%

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1 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND YOUR BUSINESS ADDRESS.

2 A. Charles A. Zielinski. My business address is 1615 L Street, N.W., Suite 1200,  
3 Washington, DC 20036.

4 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND AND  
5 EXPERIENCE.

6 A. From 1970 to early 1973, I was a trial attorney and appellate litigation attorney at  
7 the Federal Communications Commission in Washington, D.C. From early 1973  
8 through the middle of 1974, I was legal assistant to then Chairman of the New  
9 York Public Service Commission ("Commission"), Joseph Swidler. From the  
10 middle of 1974 through late 1976, I was executive assistant to the succeeding  
11 Chairman, Alfred Kahn. From late 1976 to late 1977, I was a member of the  
12 Commission. From late 1977 to early 1981, I was Chairman of the Commission.  
13 Since then I have been a partner in three law firms and based in Washington, D.C.  
14 From early 1981 to 1985, I was a partner in the law firm of Wald, Harkrader &  
15 Ross. From 1985 to 1995, I was a partner in the law firm of Rogers and Wells.  
16 From 1995 to the present, I have been a partner in the law firm of Bell, Boyd &  
17 Lloyd. At each of these firms, I have provided counsel to clients on matters of  
18 law and government policy affecting the provision of telecommunications and  
19 energy services. I have also represented clients before federal and state regulatory  
20 agencies, and in federal courts, as to such matters. On occasion, although not  
21 recently, I have presented testimony on government policy issues on behalf of

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1 clients before regulatory agencies, as well as by invitation before committees of  
2 the United States Congress, and committees of state legislatures.

3 Q. WHAT ISSUES DO YOU ADDRESS?

4 A. In its *Order Instituting Proceeding to Show Cause* (issued December 15, 2006)  
5 (“*Order to Show Cause*”), the Commission directed Orange and Rockland  
6 Utilities, Inc. (“O&R” or the “Company”) to show cause “why the Commission  
7 should not direct the Company to immediately file tariff revisions to reduce its  
8 rates.” (*Id.* at 5). As noted in Judge Liebschutz’s *Ruling Granting Extension of*  
9 *Time* (issued January 9, 2007), the Consumer Protection Board (“CPB”)  
10 advocates that the Commission “either direct O&R to immediately reduce its  
11 rates, or, in the alternative to make existing rates temporary . . . .” (*Id.* at 3).  
12 Department of Public Service Staff (“Staff”) submits that “[t]he Commission  
13 should consider . . . establishing the company’s existing rates as temporary rates  
14 subject to refund . . . .” *Department of Public Service Staff Response to Petition*  
15 *for Rehearing and Clarification and Interlocutory Appeal of Procedural Rulings*,  
16 filed January 25, 2007, (“*Staff Response*”). The primary issues that I have been  
17 asked to address are whether, as a matter of sound regulatory policy, and pending  
18 a final order on permanent rate changes, if any, based on a fully litigated  
19 proceeding or on a Commission-approved settlement, the Commission should:  
20 (a) immediately reduce O&R’s rates in a specified amount, subject to reparations  
21 to or recoupment by the Company; or (b) make O&R’s existing filed rates

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1 temporary in a specified amount, and subject to refund to customers. In its  
2 *Petition for Rehearing and Clarification*, filed January 4, 2007, O&R contends  
3 that a temporary rate Order in this case would violate the Company's right to  
4 equal protection of law under the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States  
5 Constitution. I do not address that independent legal argument, or any other legal  
6 argument. My analysis is confined to the regulatory policy issues raised by the  
7 temporary rate measures that CPB advocates and that Staff contends the  
8 Commission should consider.

9 Q. WHAT ASSUMPTIONS HAVE YOU MADE?

10 A. I assume the Commission continues to regard temporary rates as an exception to  
11 the norm of permanent rates. While the Commission *may* order a temporary  
12 electric rate decrease under Section 72 of the Public Service Law, and *may* make  
13 electric rates temporary under Section 114 of that statute, the Commission, for  
14 good reason, is not compelled to do so. Permanent rates send price signals to  
15 consumers on which they rely to make decisions about consuming or conserving  
16 electricity. Utility investors and managers also rely on permanent rates to make  
17 investment and operational decisions. In contrast, temporary rates send a  
18 distorted signal on which neither consumers, investors nor utility managers can  
19 rely. Such rates are unreliable, almost by definition, because they are temporary.  
20 In addition to the foregoing, I assume that the basic goals of a sound temporary  
21 rate regulatory policy continue to be equity and efficiency.

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1 Q. WHAT STANDARD HAS THE COMMISSION USED TO DECIDE  
2 REQUESTS FOR TEMPORARY RATE INCREASES?

3 A. In 1996, the Commission observed that “[t]he prevailing approach for considering  
4 temporary rates emerged in the mid-1970s.” *Niagara Mohawk Power*  
5 *Corporation*, 1996 N.Y. PUC LEXIS 267, Opinion No. 96-14 at 28 (issued  
6 May 31, 1996). In that 1996 case, the Commission reiterated the standard stated  
7 in *Long Island Lighting Company*, 16 NYPSC 189, Opinion 76-5 (issued  
8 March 16, 1976): “temporary rate relief should be limited to cases of financial  
9 emergency, where denial would place the utility in jeopardy of not being able to  
10 fulfill its statutory obligation to provide adequate service to its customers.”  
11 Opinion 96-14 at 29. I am not aware of any case since 1996 in which the  
12 Commission has changed this standard. The Commission did not discuss equity  
13 or efficiency goals of temporary rate policy in the 1996 or the 1976 decisions.  
14 However, those goals were alluded to in the earlier case of *Rochester G&E Corp.*,  
15 14 NYPSC 1064 (1974).

16 Q. HOW WERE THOSE GOALS EXPLAINED?

17 A. Equity and efficiency objectives of temporary rate policy were succinctly  
18 explained in the separate concurring opinions filed by Commissioner Roth and  
19 Chairman Kahn in *Rochester G&E Corp.* That case involved a request for a  
20 temporary increase in rates, subject to refund, pending a decision on the utility’s  
21 request for a permanent increase in rates. The company argued, in part, that a  
22 temporary rate increase in the amount advocated by Staff after hearings was

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1 warranted, because that was the lowest permanent rate increase the Commission  
2 would ultimately allow. Although both Commissioner Roth and Chairman Kahn  
3 voted for a temporary rate increase on other grounds, each recognized that  
4 permitting a temporary rate increase would eliminate part of the "lag" between the  
5 company's request to increase rates and implementation of a permanent rate  
6 increase. Commissioner Roth observed that "the lag in granting rate relief  
7 amounts to an equitable offset to those periods when the utility earns high  
8 returns." 14 NYPSC at 1070. It follows of course from that proposition that if  
9 the utility's rates are promptly reduced when the utility reports a return that is  
10 "high," there is no "equitable offset" in the temporary rate policy.  
11 Chairman Kahn's concurring opinion explains one of the efficiency goals of  
12 temporary rate policy. "Regulatory lag, it is widely recognized, serves the  
13 important function of encouraging regulated companies to improve efficiency. . . .  
14 Temporary rate increases ought, therefore, in my judgment to be confined to  
15 emergencies of a kind that cannot have been provided for in permanent  
16 rates . . . ." 14 NYPSC at 1068. As Chairman Kahn pointed out elsewhere, the  
17 efficiency incentive produced by regulatory lag applies whether the regulated  
18 company is earning more as well as less than a previously determined rate of  
19 return. "Of course, if the regulatory lag is on balance helpful, attempts to make  
20 regulation 'more efficient' in limiting the rate of return to the prescribed levels  
21 not just from one major rate case to another but year to year are likely to be on

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1 balance harmful.” A.E. Kahn, *The Economics of Regulation*, Vol. II at 60 (MIT  
2 Press 1988). The point is that the utility has an incentive to improve efficiency to  
3 minimize the loss during a period when its rates produce revenues less than its  
4 current costs, and to maximize the gain during periods when its rates may be able  
5 to produce revenues in excess of its current costs.

6 When the regulatory process works with such lags, it mimics to some extent what  
7 goes on in effectively competitive markets. In the latter markets, each firm has a  
8 continuing incentive to improve efficiency. When one firm achieves an efficiency  
9 improvement, it temporarily reaps the benefit of that improvement and its less  
10 efficient rivals temporarily absorb the loss. When the rivals are able to achieve  
11 comparable efficiency, the competitive market returns to equilibrium and the  
12 aggregate efficiency gain flows to buyers. This is of course a continuous process  
13 in dynamic competitive markets. Similarly, regulatory lag may allow temporary  
14 gains or losses to more or less efficient utilities until permanent rate adjustments  
15 are made. Thus, confining temporary rate increases or decreases to extraordinary  
16 situations goes hand-in-hand with the Commission’s long-standing efforts both to  
17 replace economic regulation with effective competition wherever possible, and  
18 otherwise to mimic competition through “performance-based” regulation.

19 One form of “performance-based” regulation is the long-term rate plan, during  
20 which prices are not adjusted simply because a utility reports more or less than a  
21 benchmark return on equity. The Commission adopted such a rate plan for O&R

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1 for the 40-month period ending October 31, 2006. (*Order Adopting The Terms of*  
2 *a Joint Proposal*, Case 03-E-0797, issued and effective October 23, 2003). CPB  
3 supported the rate plan “in its entirety . . . because it would freeze base electric  
4 rates through October 2006 and strengthen service quality and reliability.”  
5 (*Id.* at 6). Staff also subscribed to the plan, which provided that any O&R  
6 earnings in excess of a 12.75% return on equity would be shared between the  
7 Company’s investors and customers on a 50/50 basis during the period of the  
8 plan. (*Id.* at 4). In approving the plan, the Commission did not prescribe the  
9 12.75% return on equity, or state that it represented O&R’s cost of equity capital.  
10 It is my understanding that the 12.75% return on equity simply represented a  
11 benchmark for sharing agreed upon by the parties and approved by the  
12 Commission, along with all of the other terms and conditions of the plan.

13 Q. IS THERE AN EQUITABLE EQUIVALENT TO THE “FINANCIAL  
14 EMERGENCY” TEST FOR TEMPORARY RATE INCREASES THAT  
15 SHOULD BE APPLIED TO TEMPORARY RATE DECREASES?

16 A. As a general rule, the Commission in the past granted temporary rate increases  
17 only on the basis of evidence examined at hearings demonstrating the utility’s  
18 exceedingly poor current and projected financial condition, a recommended  
19 decision from the Administrative Law Judge presiding over the hearings, and  
20 briefs from the parties. The equitable equivalent general rule for a temporary rate  
21 decrease requires evidence examined at hearings demonstrating a utility’s  
22 exceedingly robust current and projected financial condition, a recommended

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1 decision from the Administrative Law Judge presiding over the hearings, and  
2 briefs from the parties. As a general guideline for efficiency, there should also be  
3 a high probability that a permanent increase in rates will be at least as great as any  
4 temporary increase in rates, and that a permanent decrease in rates will be at least  
5 as great as any temporary decrease in rates.

6 Q. HOW ARE THOSE GUIDELINES RELEVANT TO EFFICIENCY?

7 A. In the case of a temporary rate increase, rates are immediately increased to  
8 produce a specified increase in revenue pending determination of permanent rates.  
9 If the permanent rates are designed to produce revenues less than those which the  
10 temporary rates have produced, rate levels are permanently reduced and the utility  
11 may be required to refund the excess revenues it collected under temporary rates.  
12 To make such refunds, the permanent rates must be further reduced, below the  
13 level found reasonable and efficient by the Commission, until the refund has been  
14 accomplished, and then increased to the permanent rate level. To minimize the  
15 potential for such inefficient "roller coaster" rates, there ought to be a very high  
16 probability that there will be a permanent rate increase that is at least as great as  
17 any temporary rate increase. That guideline is implicit in past Commission  
18 decisions in which it has granted temporary rate increases. For example, in the  
19 *Rochester G&E Corp.* case, to which I have previously alluded, the Commission  
20 permitted temporary rates to increase electric service revenues by \$9.5 million  
21 annually (14 NYPSC 1064) and later determined that rates should be permanently

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1 increased to produce annual electric revenues of \$17.992 million  
2 (14 NYPSC 1416).

3 In the case of a temporary rate decrease, rates are immediately decreased to  
4 produce a specified decrease in revenue pending determination of permanent  
5 rates. If the permanent rates are designed to produce more revenues than those  
6 which the temporary rates have produced, rate levels are permanently increased  
7 from the temporary level, and the utility may be entitled to recoup the amount of  
8 revenues it was not permitted to collect because rates were temporarily reduced  
9 below the level of permanent rates. To make reparations, permanent rate levels  
10 may have to be further increased, above the level found reasonable and efficient  
11 by the Commission, until the reparations have been collected, and then decreased  
12 to the permanent rate level. To minimize the potential for such inefficient "roller  
13 coaster" rates, there ought to be a very high probability that there will be a  
14 permanent rate decrease that is at least as great as any temporary rate decrease.

15 Q. UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES IN RECENT YEARS HAS THE  
16 COMMISSION REQUIRED A TEMPORARY RATE DECREASE?

17 A. About five years ago, the Commission ordered a temporary rate decrease in *New*  
18 *York State Electric & Gas Corporation*, 2002 N.Y. PUC LEXIS 8, 214 P.U.R.  
19 4th 514 (slip op. issued January 10, 2002) ("*NYSEG*"). The Commission made  
20 this determination only after evidentiary hearings had been conducted and the  
21 utility had "been afforded four rounds of briefs on temporary rate issues."

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1 Slip. Op. at 12. The Commission also made its determination based on its own  
2 finding that the utility was currently “earning 35% on equity, an amount ‘well in  
3 excess of returns authorized for electric, gas or telephone corporations’” (*Id.* at 1),  
4 and a Staff analysis in the record indicating that the utility’s current rates would  
5 produce a return on equity of 23.6% in 2002 and 40.5% in 2003. (*Id.* at 20). The  
6 Commission also specifically found, on the basis of record evidence, that  
7 “NYSEG’s rates now generate \$300 million/year in excess of costs, including a  
8 fair return on equity,” and that “NYSEG’s rates are 23% more than those for the  
9 next closest state utility . . . .” (*Id.*).

10 Moreover, issues concerning the utility’s permanent and temporary rates had been  
11 fully litigated when the Commission acted. As the Commission noted:

12 Briefs on NYSEG’s proposed PPP which could lead to the establishment  
13 of permanent rates had been scheduled for filing in November 2001. Prior  
14 to the deadline Staff wrote to the Administrative Law Judges requesting  
15 that the briefing schedule be suspended to allow the parties to reduce to  
16 writing a joint proposal based on an agreement in principle allegedly  
17 reached on November 19, 2001. NYSEG did not oppose Staff’s motion,  
18 which was granted in a Procedural Ruling issued November 21, 2001.  
19 While, given the passage of time, we would normally be inclined to  
20 reinstate a briefing schedule on the issue of permanent rates for NYSEG in  
21 a letter to Chairman Helmer dated December 18, 2001, NYSEG alleged  
22 that a settlement is within reach. On the same day, Staff wrote to  
23 Secretary Deixler stating that negotiations should continue. Because this  
24 matter has not yet been resolved, as well as for the reasons discussed  
25 below, temporary rates have become necessary. (*Id.* at 15, fn.13).

26 The *NYSEG* decision is an example of consistent application of temporary rate  
27 policy. The Commission had before it record evidence of the utility’s

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1           exceedingly robust financial condition on a current and projected basis.  
2           Moreover, four rounds of briefs on temporary rates had been filed. In that case,  
3           the Commission also mirrored its approach to temporary rate increases when it  
4           followed “a conservative approach” in “determining the level at which temporary  
5           rates should be set.” (*Id.* at 14). Although Staff advocated a \$300 million  
6           permanent rate reduction, the Commission ordered a \$205 million temporary rate  
7           reduction, “[t]he smallest temporary rate reduction advocated by the parties”  
8           supporting a temporary rate reduction. (*Id.*). The Commission subsequently  
9           approved a permanent rate reduction in that amount. *Order Adopting Provisions*  
10          *of Joint Proposal With Modifications*, 2002 N.Y. PUC LEXIS 77 (slip op. issued  
11          February 27, 2002). Thus, the Commission ordered a temporary rate decrease  
12          under standards and guidelines similar to those which it has used to grant  
13          temporary rate increases.

14       Q.    ARE THE POSTURE AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THIS CASE  
15            COMPARABLE TO THOSE IN THE *NYSEG* CASE?

16       A.    Not at this point. There is no record and there have been no evidentiary hearings  
17            to adduce all facts relevant and material to O&R’s financial condition on a current  
18            and projected basis. No briefs based on record evidence have been submitted.  
19            Whereas in *NYSEG*, Staff presented evidence that the utility’s existing rates  
20            would produce returns on equity of 23.6% and 40.5% in the next two years, and  
21            of over 40% in the succeeding three years (*Id.* at 2, fn.3), there is at this point no

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1 evidence that has been examined in hearings as to what return on equity O&R  
2 would earn under its current rates in the next two or five years. CPB cites only  
3 past returns on equity from three prior years, which are far lower than the returns  
4 on equity projected by Staff in *NYSEG*. There is no record evidence on the  
5 amount by which O&R's rates could be temporarily reduced under a  
6 "conservative approach" or any other approach. In short, there are no  
7 circumstances at this point in this case that are even roughly equivalent to the  
8 "financial emergency" required for a temporary rate increase.

9 Q. UNDER WHAT CONDITIONS WOULD IT BE REASONABLE FOR THE  
10 COMMISSION TO MAKE ALL OR A PORTION OF A UTILITY'S  
11 CURRENT RATES TEMPORARY AND SUBJECT TO REFUND?

12 A. As I have already pointed out, temporary rates send distorted signals to  
13 consumers, investors and utility managers. They should therefore be employed  
14 only under exceptional circumstances. As I have already shown, there is no  
15 justification for a temporary rate reduction in this proceeding at this time. Making  
16 rates temporary and subject to refund sends a more distorted signal than a justified  
17 temporary rate decrease, which is based on a high probability that a permanent  
18 rate decrease will be at least as great. In the latter case, consumers, investors and  
19 utility managers know there is a high likelihood that the temporary rate decrease  
20 will become permanent. When existing rates are made temporary and subject to  
21 refund, consumers, investors and utility managers do not know what to expect.  
22 On the one hand, the Commission may decline to reduce rates. On the other hand,

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1 the Commission may decide to order a permanent rate reduction. In that case,  
2 permanently reduced rates would have to be decreased below the levels found  
3 efficient and reasonable by the Commission to make the refunds and then  
4 increased back to the permanent levels, producing the inefficient "roller coaster"  
5 rates to which I have previously alluded.

6 For these reasons, the Commission should use this regulatory tool, as a general  
7 rule, only on those rare occasions when it is unable to determine permanent rate  
8 levels within a reasonable period of time. Utility tariff filings to increase rates  
9 permanently are subject to thirty days' notice and up to ten months of suspension  
10 under the Public Service Law. In the past, the Commission has established  
11 schedules in response to such filings necessary to decide permanent rates within  
12 the prescribed time period. The Commission has rarely not decided permanent  
13 rates in such cases within the prescribed time period. If it cannot do so, however,  
14 the Commission can reasonably allow the rates proposed by the utility to take  
15 effect at the end of the suspension period, subject to refund upon later  
16 determination of reasonable permanent rates. In cases initiated by the  
17 Commission to determine whether a utility's rate levels should be permanently  
18 reduced, making part of a utility's rates temporary and subject to refund may be  
19 reasonable under comparable conditions. Although there is no statutory time  
20 period for deciding such cases, it is possible for the Commission to establish  
21 schedules for such cases in which they would be decided within the same period

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1 of time contemplated for utility initiated rate increases. If that schedule cannot be  
2 met due to bad faith, recalcitrance or lack of cooperation by the utility, making  
3 part of the utility's rates temporary and subject to refund until permanent rates are  
4 determined may be warranted. The latter conditions are not present in this case;  
5 nor could they be at this point.

6 Q. UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES HAS THE COMMISSION MADE A  
7 PORTION OF THE REVENUES PRODUCED BY A UTILITY'S EXISTING  
8 RATES TEMPORARY?

9 A. In its letter of January 11, 2007 to Judge Liebschutz, CPB noted that the  
10 Commission conducted and relied on truncated proceedings to make a portion of  
11 the revenues produced by existing rates temporary in *Jamaica Water Supply*, Case  
12 92-W-0583, 1992 N.Y. PUC LEXIS 32, Opinion No. 92-23 (issued August 6,  
13 1992). However, that decision by the Commission stemmed from prior  
14 proceedings concerning that utility's rates, practices, and service. The  
15 Commission's quick imposition of the extraordinary remedy of making a portion  
16 of the revenues produced by existing rates temporary, and subject only to refund,  
17 was based on extensive evidence of the utility's exceedingly poor performance.  
18 While the utility consistently reported returns on equity higher than those on  
19 which its permanent rates had been determined over a six-year period, the utility  
20 also consistently increased its rates based on projected increases in its costs of  
21 operation, and provided poor service over that same period. Municipal

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1 government even threatened to condemn the utility's waterworks and assume their  
2 operation.

3 In *Jamaica Water Supply*, Case 92-W-0295, 1991 N.Y. PUC LEXIS 172, Opinion  
4 No. 91-5 (issued March 8, 1991), the Commission considered the recommended  
5 decision of the presiding Administrative Law Judge in favor of a permanent rate  
6 increase for the utility and ruled on exceptions to that decision. The Commission  
7 observed that "there appears to be a pattern of over-earnings over the past several  
8 years, yet the company continues to file annual requests for increased rates."  
9 Opinion 91-5 at 28. The Commission further found "sufficient indication . . . of  
10 possible problems with projections employed in *Jamaica* rate cases" and was,  
11 "accordingly, unwilling to approve a permanent rate increase based upon the  
12 validity of similar projections." (*Id.*) The Commission allowed the utility "to  
13 place into effect rates designed to produce the revenue requirement suggested by  
14 case projections" – about \$4 million – but made "a portion of the increase  
15 (\$2 million) temporary and subject to refund, pending further examination of the  
16 validity of the forecasts used in this case." (*Id.* at 29). The Commission noted  
17 that \$2 million "equates approximately to the level of excessive earnings in  
18 1990." (*Id.* at fn.8). The Commission then ordered the company "to show cause  
19 why it should be allowed on a permanent basis the full increase suggested by the  
20 projections introduced in this case in light of the doubt cast on the validity of

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1 those estimates by the company's actual experience with similar projections in  
2 recent rate cases." (*Id.* at 29).

3 An Administrative Law Judge presided over the subsequent show cause hearings.  
4 At a public statement session held as part of those hearings, "approximately 400  
5 customers appeared and numerous speakers complained about such matters as  
6 Jamaica's high prices, its rate structure, meter inaccuracies, poor water quality,  
7 and the unresponsiveness of Jamaica's customer service personnel."

8 Opinion No. 92-18 at 4 (issued July 10, 1992), 1992 N.Y. PUC LEXIS 35. The  
9 Commission also received "approximately 1000 letters . . . complaining only  
10 indirectly about alleged company overearnings, but specifically addressing the  
11 rate and service problems." (*Id.*) On January 8, 1992, in response to these  
12 concerns, the Commission directed its Staff to audit the company's operations.  
13 Staff subsequently completed its audit and issued a report with findings of  
14 inefficiencies and recommendations for improvements in the utility's operations.  
15 In response, the Commission instituted *Jamaica Water Supply*, Case 92-W-0583,  
16 on June 26, 1992 to investigate the costs and benefits of Staff's recommendations  
17 and ordered the utility to show cause why further temporary rate measures should  
18 not be adopted in light of Staff's report.

19 After completion of the show cause hearings in Case 92-W-0295, the Commission  
20 considered the recommended decision of the Administrative Law Judge and  
21 exceptions thereto. The Judge determined that there had been flaws in the

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1 utility's forecasting methodologies, and recommended that \$1.4 million of the  
2 \$2 million in rates made temporary should be refunded to customers. The  
3 Commission determined that the entire \$2 million should be refunded to  
4 customers and that the utility's rates should be reduced prospectively by  
5 \$2 million. Opinion 92-18 at 17. In support of its action, the Commission cited  
6 cases in which it had not been able to decide permanent rate levels within the ten-  
7 month period allowed by the Public Service Law for suspension of a utility's  
8 filing of tariffs with increased rates. The Commission observed that it had  
9 authority to make the rates filed by a utility temporary and subject to refund after  
10 they have become effective at the end of the suspension period. The Commission  
11 noted that it had taken such action in its Opinion 91-5. (*Id.* at 25-26). Barely a  
12 month later, the Commission released Opinion No. 92-23 in *Jamaica Water*  
13 *Supply*, Case 92-W-0583, on which CPB relies. That case, as I have already  
14 noted, was commenced on June 26, 1992 as an outgrowth of the show cause  
15 proceedings that led to the Commission's Opinion No. 92-18 in Case 90-W-0295.  
16 Opinion No. 92-23 was premised on Opinion 92-18, and on the results of the Staff  
17 audit of the utility's operations, which the Commission had previously ordered  
18 and to which I have already alluded. "The staff auditors concluded that the  
19 company is plagued by major problems and inefficiencies that could have resulted  
20 in Jamaica's customers paying as much as \$10.6 million in excess costs. The  
21 audit made 190 specific recommendations for changes and improvements in the

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1        company's operation." Opinion 92-23 at 6. The Commission expected that the  
2        investigation into inefficiencies in the utility's operations and the costs of  
3        implementing Staff's recommendations would "take some time to complete" and  
4        proposed "[i]n the meantime . . . making rates temporary so that refunds may be  
5        directed if warranted." (*Id.*) Comments were filed by interested parties. An  
6        Administrative Law Judge presided over one day of hearings on July 20, 1992,  
7        after which the company and interested parties were permitted to state their  
8        positions. (*Id.* at 3). Seventeen days later, the Commission issued its opinion  
9        deciding issues and directing that rates in the amount of the \$10.6 million in  
10        excess revenues alleged by the Staff's audit be made temporary until "the  
11        conclusion of this proceeding, at which time permanent rates for Jamaica will be  
12        set." (*Id.* at 29). Thus, the Commission continued its examination of the proper  
13        level of permanent rates for the utility, which began in Case 92-W-0295 with the  
14        utility's request for a permanent increase in its rates after several previous  
15        permanent rate increases. Rates in the amount of \$10.6 million remained  
16        temporary until a settlement was approved by the Commission almost two years  
17        later. *Opinion and Order Approving Settlement Agreement*, 1994 N.Y. PUC  
18        LEXIS 9, 34 NY PSC 477 (Opinion 94-6, issued March 2, 1994).

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1 Q. ARE THE POSTURE AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF THIS CASE  
2 COMPARABLE TO THOSE IN THE *JAMAICA* CASES?

3 A. Not in any relevant or material sense. In the *Jamaica Water Supply* ("*Jamaica*")  
4 cases, the utility continually sought rate increases, while earning more than the  
5 return on equity on which its rates had been based, over a six-year period. From  
6 this pattern the Commission inferred "possible problems with the projections  
7 employed in Jamaica rate cases" and for this reason made a portion of the revenue  
8 increase it permitted temporary, and subject to refund, pending investigation of  
9 the utility's projection methodology. Opinion No. 91-5 at 28-29. The  
10 Commission later made another portion of the utility's revenues temporary based  
11 on a Staff audit showing the incurrence of significant unnecessary costs due to  
12 inefficient management practices.

13 In contrast, it is my understanding O&R has not increased its electric rates for  
14 more than a decade, has permanently lowered its rates during that period, and is  
15 not seeking to increase its rates now. O&R has reported returns on equity within  
16 a range allowed by its approved rate plan. There is no pattern of cases in which  
17 O&R has proposed to increase its rates from which "possible problems with the  
18 projections employed" can be inferred. There is no Staff audit of O&R showing  
19 the incurrence of significant unnecessary costs due to inefficient management  
20 practices. As I have previously pointed out, O&R had an incentive under its rate  
21 plan to improve efficiency so that it could earn more than the benchmark return

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1 on equity without increasing its rates, and O&R still has an incentive to improve  
2 efficiency so that it can maximize earnings without increasing rates. If O&R were  
3 able to do so until permanent rates are established, it would not, contrary to  
4 Staff's characterization, constitute "unjust enrichment." (*Staff Response* at 11).  
5 The bases offered by CPB for a temporary rate decrease in the amount of  
6 \$25 million and for its alternative of making rates temporary in presumably the  
7 same amount (which Staff seems to support in an amount of \$19.5 million (*Staff*  
8 *Response* at 11)) are: (1) that O&R has reported returns on equity in excess of the  
9 12.75% threshold for sharing in its rate plan; and (2) the Commission has found  
10 lower returns on equity reasonable in other recent rate cases. It is my  
11 understanding that the lower equity returns which CPB and Staff cite are returns  
12 on which base rates were determined, and not the higher return levels at which  
13 those utilities would start to share earnings. CPB and Staff also choose to ignore  
14 the fact that O&R, unlike the utility in *Jamaica*, has not sought to increase its  
15 rates throughout this period, and, unlike the utility in *Jamaica*, is not seeking to  
16 increase its rates now. In addition, unlike the utility in *Jamaica*, there is no  
17 evidence that O&R is "plagued by major problems and inefficiencies" in its  
18 operations. Indeed, it might be inferred from O&R's demonstrated ability to earn  
19 more than its benchmark return on equity without increasing its rates that its  
20 operations are increasingly efficient. In these circumstances, CPB's suggestion  
21 that the Commission extend what it did in the *Jamaica* cases to O&R in this case

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1 turns the concept of "performance-based" regulation on its head. There are also  
2 dangerous implications in CPB's proposal (in which Staff seems to join) for the  
3 Commission's temporary rate policy.

4 Q. WHAT ARE THOSE IMPLICATIONS?

5 A. CPB proposes that a utility's prevailing rates should immediately be made  
6 temporary, and subject only to refund, solely because the utility has reported a  
7 return on equity that is greater than the returns on equity the Commission has  
8 found to be reasonable in recent rate cases. Staff wants the Commission to  
9 "consider" the same proposition. If permanent rates are then set at levels lower  
10 than prevailing rates, refunds are owed to customers. The Commission, however,  
11 should maintain an equitable policy. As a matter of equity, it would follow from  
12 CPB's proposal in this case, which Staff wishes the Commission to consider, that  
13 when a utility reports a return on equity that is less than the returns on equity the  
14 Commission has found to be reasonable in recent rate cases, the Commission  
15 should make that utility's prevailing rates temporary and subject only to  
16 recoupment pending determination of permanent rates. If the permanent rates are  
17 then set at levels higher than prevailing rates, reparations are collectable from  
18 customers. Had this been the Commission's policy in the 1970's, when, for  
19 example, the average cost of equity for electric utilities determined by the  
20 Commission rose from 12% to 14% in 1974, and electric utilities were reporting  
21 returns on equity far less than 14%, reparations in untold amounts might have

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1           been collectable from customers already heavily burdened by severe inflation.  
2           That would have been an highly inefficient outcome, and CPB as well as Staff  
3           would surely have vigorously opposed it. Although CPB, perhaps joined by Staff,  
4           would urge that a utility's rates be made temporary and subject to refund on the  
5           grounds that the Commission has recently determined that the cost of equity  
6           capital for other utilities has declined, what goes down will eventually go up, and  
7           I doubt that CPB or Staff would support making a utility's rates temporary subject  
8           only to reparations because the Commission has recently determined that the cost  
9           of equity capital for other utilities has increased. Sound temporary rate regulatory  
10          policy should promote equity and efficiency on a consistent basis.

11    Q.    DOES THAT CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?

12    A.    Yes.

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**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**

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<u>ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2002</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2003</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2004</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2005</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2006</u>
<u>Utility Plant</u>					
Electric Plant in Service	\$552,159,181	\$577,743,693	\$595,410,428	\$628,022,025	\$671,181,011
Gas Plant in Service	299,221,121	316,723,049	334,566,052	359,503,727	383,565,918
Common Utility Plant in Service	117,429,503	118,466,908	121,247,980	123,623,999	124,923,735
Electric Plant Held for Future Use	1,332,146	1,064,970	759,907	642,681	3,791,002
Gas Plant Held for Future Use	22,214	22,214	22,214	22,214	210,335
Construction Work in Progress	18,684,426	20,685,462	22,741,457	29,034,664	35,018,203
Total Utility Plant	<u>988,848,591</u>	<u>1,034,706,296</u>	<u>1,074,748,038</u>	<u>1,140,849,310</u>	<u>1,218,690,204</u>
<u>Accumulated Provision for Depreciation:</u>					
Electric	186,262,227	200,145,375	204,729,442	212,667,255	221,099,526
Electric Plant Held for Future Use	180,616	160,053	164,947	167,059	71,377
Gas	98,742,534	103,806,325	105,828,487	111,762,480	117,576,739
Gas Plant Held for Future Use	4,130	4,545	4,961	5,376	0
Common	51,457,265	53,883,217	58,857,920	62,943,439	66,838,712
Total Accum. Provision for Depreciation	<u>336,646,772</u>	<u>357,999,515</u>	<u>369,585,757</u>	<u>387,545,609</u>	<u>405,586,354</u>
Net Utility Plant	<u>652,201,819</u>	<u>676,706,781</u>	<u>705,162,281</u>	<u>753,303,701</u>	<u>813,103,850</u>
<u>Other Property and Investments</u>					
Nonutility Property	152,316	113,927	65,168	57,958	57,958
Accumulated Provision for Depreciation	(151,500)	(141,824)	(87,091)	(87,496)	(88,104)
Investments in Subsidiary Companies	149,261,072	160,275,213	132,915,554	143,933,249	157,161,579
Other Investments	-	-	-	-	-
Total Other Property and Investments	<u>149,261,888</u>	<u>160,247,316</u>	<u>132,893,631</u>	<u>143,903,711</u>	<u>157,131,433</u>
<u>Current and Accrued Assets</u>					
Cash	146,941	4,747,811	2,026,111	73,427	621,234
Other Special Deposits	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Working Funds	15,700	15,700	15,700	15,700	11,605
Temporary Cash Investments	70,925	3,233	4,616,316	56,043	14,462
Customer Accounts Receivable	46,290,275	49,510,275	43,495,992	50,679,154	61,475,163
Other Accounts Receivable	4,334,077	7,533,252	2,746,277	36,363,134	43,042,155
Accum. Prov. for Uncollectible Accounts	(2,435,000)	(3,617,957)	(3,784,957)	(3,667,563)	(3,034,615)
Accounts Receivable from Assoc. Cos.	20,279,377	23,081,706	40,998,554	45,576,942	29,089,161
Materials and Supplies	4,542,505	4,708,206	4,416,239	4,982,156	5,372,434
Gas Stored Underground	15,702,861	28,843,178	42,528,761	61,479,360	56,829,269
Prepayments	11,488,997	10,291,971	11,314,221	10,572,362	9,854,317
Accrued Utility Revenue	16,163,017	14,584,364	22,214,869	23,060,636	28,166,158
Misc. Current and Accrued Assets	9,171,682	10,143,479	10,667,978	10,914,340	11,812,329
Derivative Instrument Assets - Hedges	-	-	9,026,067	53,917,492	1,037,421
Total Current and Accrued Assets	<u>125,772,357</u>	<u>149,846,218</u>	<u>190,283,128</u>	<u>294,024,183</u>	<u>244,292,093</u>
<u>Deferred Debits</u>					
Unamortized Debt Expense	7,048,585	6,525,854	6,027,717	5,867,017	5,859,157
Extraordinary Property Losses	-	-	-	-	-
Prelim. Survey and Investigation Charges	95,594	13,920	-	-	-
Clearing Accounts	(1,323)	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous Deferred Debits *	150,495,172	137,797,413	180,734,180	203,261,543	385,534,712
Investment in Research and Development	304,104	673,469	1,073,412	1,597,794	12,876,529
Accum. Deferred Federal Income Tax	47,034,834	36,892,967	50,107,334	52,127,309	65,035,221
Total Deferred Debits	<u>204,976,966</u>	<u>181,903,623</u>	<u>237,942,643</u>	<u>262,853,663</u>	<u>469,305,619</u>
Total Assets and Other Debits	<u>\$1,132,213,030</u>	<u>\$1,168,703,938</u>	<u>\$1,266,281,683</u>	<u>\$1,454,085,257</u>	<u>\$1,683,832,995</u>

\* Includes Regulatory Assets

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<u>LIABILITIES AND OTHER CREDITS</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2002</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2003</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2004</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2005</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2006</u>
<u>Proprietary Capital</u>					
Common Stock Issued	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
Preferred Stock Issued	-	-	-	-	-
Preference Stock Issued	-	-	-	-	-
Premium on Capital Stock	194,498,787	194,498,787	193,995,052	194,507,223	194,507,223
Other Paid in Capital	(14,965,622)	(10,590,692)	(10,034,344)	(8,116,585)	(33,757,136)
Capital Stock Expense	-	-	-	-	-
Retained Earnings	39,282,740	45,733,571	52,738,323	20,117,972	24,515,227
Unappropriated Undistributed					
Subsidiary Earnings	129,406,218	140,420,358	151,060,699	162,078,394	175,306,724
Total Proprietary Capital	<u>348,227,123</u>	<u>370,067,024</u>	<u>387,764,730</u>	<u>368,592,004</u>	<u>360,577,038</u>
<u>Long term Debt</u>					
Bonds	-	-	-	-	-
Other Long Term Debt	279,000,000	279,000,000	279,000,000	319,000,000	394,000,000
Unamort. Prem. on Long Term Debt	-	-	-	-	-
Unamortized Disc. on Long Term Debt	(1,295,910)	(1,180,210)	(1,064,509)	(1,022,787)	(1,032,336)
Total Long Term Debt	<u>277,704,090</u>	<u>277,819,790</u>	<u>277,935,491</u>	<u>317,977,213</u>	<u>392,967,664</u>
<u>Current and Accrued Liabilities</u>					
Notes Payable	50,285,000	38,084,350	35,775,000	136,893,500	73,550,000
Accounts Payable	53,543,939	63,029,718	59,209,816	68,402,018	63,166,165
Accounts Payable to Assoc. Cos.	17,227,688	31,879,696	42,696,230	34,434,759	68,946,859
Customer Deposits	9,684,426	10,325,823	11,984,906	11,558,696	12,035,540
Taxes Accrued	538,664	1,017,193	1,834,601	1,414,198	2,281,816
Interest Accrued	7,257,186	4,668,252	4,474,591	4,783,560	8,184,244
Dividends Declared	-	-	-	-	-
Tax Collections Payable	-	647,920	1,253,365	865,053	1,056,311
Derivative Instrument Liabilities - Hedges	19,103,579	16,762,719	15,693,619	13,326,387	11,532,466
Misc. Current and Accrued Liabilities	54,930,038	45,422,241	78,116,732	75,906,469	111,588,112
Total Current and Accrued Liabilities	<u>212,570,520</u>	<u>211,837,912</u>	<u>251,038,860</u>	<u>347,584,640</u>	<u>352,341,513</u>
<u>Deferred Credits</u>					
Customer Advances for Construction	867,842	884,970	1,461,953	1,997,897	2,092,638
Other Deferred Credits	53,949,813	45,374,817	62,981,698	121,570,969	68,853,646
Accum. Def. Investment Tax Credits	4,404,937	4,067,077	3,732,806	3,364,021	3,060,476
Accumulated Deferred Income Taxes:					
Accelerated Amortization	-	-	-	-	-
Liberalized Depreciation	102,025,897	104,049,087	112,500,742	116,587,265	120,455,591
Other	37,057,200	58,604,518	72,131,068	79,206,582	87,894,266
Total Deferred Credits	<u>198,305,689</u>	<u>212,980,469</u>	<u>252,808,267</u>	<u>322,726,734</u>	<u>282,356,617</u>
<u>Operating Reserves</u>					
Property Insurance Reserve	-	-	-	-	-
Injuries and Damages Reserve	7,100,000	6,760,268	6,220,000	6,030,000	6,019,496
Pensions and Benefits	86,089,779	85,976,950	87,249,760	90,750,143	289,326,343
Miscellaneous Operating Reserves	2,215,829	3,261,525	3,264,575	424,522	244,324
Total Operating Reserves	<u>95,405,608</u>	<u>95,998,743</u>	<u>96,734,335</u>	<u>97,204,665</u>	<u>295,590,163</u>
Total Liabilities & Other Credits	<u>\$1,132,213,030</u>	<u>\$1,168,703,938</u>	<u>\$1,266,281,683</u>	<u>\$1,454,085,256</u>	<u>\$1,683,832,995</u>

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Statement of Retained Earnings

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<u>RETAINED EARNINGS (216)</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2002</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2003</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2004</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2005</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2006</u>
Unappropriated Retained Earnings - Beginning of Period	\$31,908,734	\$39,282,740	\$45,733,571	\$52,738,323	\$20,117,972
Stock Repurchase Program	-	-	-	-	-
Redeem Series I Stock Expense	-	-	-	-	-
Redemption of Preferred and Preference Sale of Stock (Merger)	-	-	-	-	-
Balance Transferred from Income (A)	35,374,006	34,450,831	35,004,751	38,379,649	32,397,255
Dividends Declared:					
Preferred Stock	-	-	-	-	-
Preference Stock	-	-	-	-	-
Common Stock	(28,000,000)	(28,000,000)	(28,000,000)	(71,000,000)	(28,000,000)
Net Change to Unappropriated Retained Earnings	7,374,006	6,450,831	7,004,751	(32,620,351)	4,397,255
Unappropriated Retained Earnings - End of Period	\$39,282,740	\$45,733,571	\$52,738,323	\$20,117,972	\$24,515,227
<u>UNAPPROPRIATED UNDISTRIBUTED SUBSIDIARY EARNINGS (216.1)</u>					
Unappropriated Undistributed Subsidiary Earnings - Beginning of Period	\$119,883,845	\$129,406,218	\$140,420,358	\$151,060,699	\$162,078,394
Equity in Earnings for Period (A)	9,522,373	11,014,140	10,640,341	11,017,695	13,228,330
Other Changes (Merger)	-	-	-	-	-
Unappropriated Undistributed Subsidiary Earnings - End of Period	\$129,406,218	\$140,420,358	\$151,060,699	\$162,078,394	\$175,306,724
<u>(A) Reconciliation of Net Income to Balance Transferred from Net Income:</u>					
Net Income	\$44,896,379	\$45,464,971	\$45,645,092	\$49,397,344	\$45,625,585
Equity in Subsidiary Earnings	9,522,373	11,014,140	10,640,341	11,017,695	13,228,330
Balance Transferred from Income	\$35,374,006	\$34,450,831	\$35,004,751	\$38,379,649	\$32,397,255

**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
 Net Book Value of Electric Plant in Service  
 December 31, 2003

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Account No.		Electric Plant in Service	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation & Amortization	Net Book Value
	<u>Intangible Plant</u>			
301	Organization	20,657	-	20,657
302	Franchises and Consents	1,230,273	887,593	342,679
	Total Intangible Plant	<u>1,250,929</u>	<u>887,593</u>	<u>363,336</u>
	<u>Transmission Plant</u>			
350	Land and Land Rights	9,027,806	3,721,357	5,306,448
352	Structures and improvements	5,843,391	1,878,683	3,964,708
353	Station Equipment	62,770,377	16,672,169	46,098,208
354	Towers and Fixtures	4,420,764	1,860,839	2,559,926
355	Poles and Fixtures	22,543,445	9,575,826	12,967,619
356	Overhead Conductors and Devices	15,622,908	5,602,979	10,019,929
357	Underground Conduit	259,453	302,927	(43,474)
358	Underground Conductors and Devices	726,434	493,769	232,665
359	Roads and Trails	1,146,842	363,144	783,699
	Total Transmission Plant	<u>122,361,421</u>	<u>40,471,693</u>	<u>81,889,728</u>
	<u>Distribution Plant</u>			
360	Land and Land Rights	1,792,996	357,731	1,435,264
361	Structures and Improvements	3,190,924	615,058	2,575,866
362	Station Equipment	57,719,462	13,113,747	44,605,715
364	Poles, Towers and Fixtures	77,395,187	19,863,131	57,532,056
365	Overhead Conductors and Devices	86,212,204	20,212,160	66,000,044
366	Underground Conduit	11,425,006	2,404,624	9,020,381
367	Underground Conductors and Devices	64,236,730	18,879,287	45,357,442
368	Line Transformers	68,803,927	23,081,226	45,722,701
369	Services	23,293,916	8,000,846	15,293,070
370	Meters	20,850,035	5,646,539	15,203,496
371	Installations on Customer Premises	541,827	295,794	246,034
372	Leased Property on Customer Premises	-	-	-
373	Street Lighting and Signal Systems	10,836,509	4,663,914	6,172,594
	Total Distribution Plant	<u>426,298,721</u>	<u>117,134,058</u>	<u>309,164,663</u>
	<u>General Plant</u>			
389	Land and Land Rights	15,416	-	15,416
390	Structures and Improvements	2,125,878	883,936	1,241,942
391	Office Furniture and Equipment	10,180,344	8,094,182	2,086,162
392	Transportation Equipment	8,625,196	10,016,732	(1,391,536)
393	Stores Equipment	34,564	17,601	16,963
394	Tools, Shop and Garage Equipment	1,578,571	880,216	698,356
395	Laboratory Equipment	3,100,002	783,467	2,316,535
396	Power Operated Equipment	843,664	1,237,389	(393,725)
397	Communication Equipment	991,869	461,322	530,547
398	Miscellaneous Equipment	271,697	176,558	95,140
399	Other Tangible Property	-	19,640,656	(19,640,656)
	Total General Plant	<u>27,767,201</u>	<u>42,192,058</u>	<u>(14,424,857)</u>
	Subtotal Electric Plant in Service	<u>577,678,271</u>	<u>200,685,401</u>	<u>376,992,870</u>
102	Electric Plant Purchased	65,422	-	65,422
	Total Electric Plant in Service	<u>577,743,693</u>	<u>200,685,401</u>	<u>377,058,292</u>
	Held for Future Use	1,064,970	160,053	904,917
	Construction Work in Progress	14,140,743	-	14,140,743
	Retirement Work in Progress	-	(540,026)	540,026
	Net Utility Plant	<u>592,949,406</u>	<u>200,305,428</u>	<u>392,643,978</u>

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Account No.	Electric Plant in Service	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation & Amortization	Net Book Value
<u>Intangible Plant</u>			
301	20,657	-	20,657
302	1,230,273	964,508	265,765
	<u>1,250,930</u>	<u>964,508</u>	<u>286,422</u>
<u>Transmission Plant</u>			
350	9,027,805	3,856,927	5,170,878
352	7,210,397	1,994,757	5,215,640
353	57,654,230	17,239,240	40,414,990
354	4,388,630	2,289,976	2,098,654
355	22,242,370	12,801,953	9,440,417
356	16,001,432	6,308,303	9,693,129
357	259,453	308,116	(48,663)
358	726,434	511,929	214,505
359	1,146,843	382,296	764,547
	<u>118,657,594</u>	<u>45,693,498</u>	<u>72,964,096</u>
<u>Distribution Plant</u>			
360	2,098,059	372,419	1,725,640
361	4,590,493	621,997	3,968,496
362	64,401,084	14,600,450	49,800,634
364	80,589,536	29,176,786	51,412,750
365	89,282,091	24,901,436	64,380,655
366	12,149,416	2,584,527	9,564,889
367	66,556,839	21,262,158	45,294,681
368	70,012,831	24,426,718	45,586,113
369	24,277,979	10,715,816	13,562,163
370	19,686,548	2,681,046	17,005,502
371	497,373	329,105	168,268
372	-	-	-
373	11,042,520	4,999,777	6,042,743
	<u>445,184,769</u>	<u>136,672,235</u>	<u>308,512,534</u>
<u>General Plant</u>			
389	15,416	-	15,416
390	2,142,923	1,034,934	1,107,989
391	10,220,256	9,071,109	1,149,147
392	8,599,816	8,212,752	387,064
393	34,564	18,752	15,812
394	1,678,221	971,446	706,775
395	3,261,573	816,515	2,445,058
396	638,289	948,914	(310,625)
397	3,363,831	700,219	2,663,612
398	296,824	162,976	133,848
	<u>30,251,713</u>	<u>21,937,617</u>	<u>8,314,096</u>
	Subtotal Electric Plant in Service	205,267,858	390,077,148
102	Electric Plant Purchased	-	65,422
	<u>595,410,428</u>	<u>205,267,858</u>	<u>390,142,570</u>
	Held for Future Use	164,947	594,960
	Construction Work in Progress	-	11,744,545
	Retirement Work in Progress	(538,416)	538,416
	<u>607,914,880</u>	<u>204,894,389</u>	<u>403,020,491</u>

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Account No.		Electric Plant in Service	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation & Amortization	Net Book Value
	<u>Intangible Plant</u>			
301	Organization	20,657	-	20,657
302	Franchises and Consents	1,230,273	1,041,422	188,851
	Total Intangible Plant	<u>1,250,930</u>	<u>1,041,422</u>	<u>209,508</u>
	<u>Transmission Plant</u>			
350	Land and Land Rights	9,070,238	3,944,806	5,125,432
352	Structures and improvements	7,244,396	1,910,484	5,333,912
353	Station Equipment	54,569,664	16,451,443	38,118,221
354	Towers and Fixtures	4,380,912	2,369,966	2,010,946
355	Poles and Fixtures	22,180,543	13,370,203	8,810,340
356	Overhead Conductors and Devices	15,542,971	6,316,046	9,226,925
357	Underground Conduit	259,453	313,305	(53,852)
358	Underground Conductors and Devices	726,434	530,090	196,344
359	Roads and Trails	872,446	351,309	521,137
	Total Transmission Plant	<u>114,847,057</u>	<u>45,557,652</u>	<u>69,289,405</u>
	<u>Distribution Plant</u>			
360	Land and Land Rights	2,505,357	432,803	2,072,554
361	Structures and Improvements	6,057,646	811,538	5,246,108
362	Station Equipment	76,709,634	15,764,012	60,945,622
364	Poles, Towers and Fixtures	85,669,452	30,911,214	54,758,238
365	Overhead Conductors and Devices	94,491,255	26,128,258	68,362,997
366	Underground Conduit	12,607,474	2,809,351	9,798,123
367	Underground Conductors and Devices	70,126,980	23,118,529	47,008,451
368	Line Transformers	72,339,407	25,305,776	47,033,631
369	Services	25,192,433	11,363,881	13,828,552
370	Meters	21,725,078	2,268,689	19,456,389
371	Installations on Customer Premises	539,836	340,134	199,702
372	Leased Property on Customer Premises	-	-	-
373	Street Lighting and Signal Systems	11,255,420	5,378,730	5,876,690
	Total Distribution Plant	<u>479,219,972</u>	<u>144,632,915</u>	<u>334,587,057</u>
	<u>General Plant</u>			
389	Land and Land Rights	15,416	-	15,416
390	Structures and Improvements	2,009,768	1,046,173	963,595
391	Office Furniture and Equipment	10,801,605	8,720,233	2,081,372
392	Transportation Equipment	10,420,431	9,106,286	1,314,145
393	Stores Equipment	28,435	13,774	14,661
394	Tools, Shop and Garage Equipment	1,787,170	1,044,303	742,867
395	Laboratory Equipment	3,324,852	741,484	2,583,368
396	Power Operated Equipment	638,167	1,009,419	(371,252)
397	Communication Equipment	3,212,485	448,611	2,763,874
398	Miscellaneous Equipment	400,315	80,338	319,977
	Total General Plant	<u>32,638,644</u>	<u>22,210,620</u>	<u>10,428,024</u>
	Subtotal Electric Plant in Service	<u>627,956,603</u>	<u>213,442,609</u>	<u>414,513,994</u>
102	Electric Plant Purchased	65,422	-	65,422
	Total Electric Plant in Service	<u>628,022,025</u>	<u>213,442,609</u>	<u>414,579,416</u>
	Held for Future Use	642,682	167,059	475,623
	Construction Work in Progress	20,846,880	-	20,846,880
	Retirement Work in Progress	-	(775,354)	775,354
	Net Utility Plant	<u>649,511,587</u>	<u>212,834,314</u>	<u>436,677,273</u>

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Account No.	Electric Plant in Service	Accumulated Provision for Depreciation & Amortization	Net Book Value
<u>Intangible Plant</u>			
301	20,657	-	20,657
302	1,230,273	1,118,337	111,936
	<u>1,250,929</u>	<u>1,118,337</u>	<u>132,593</u>
<u>Transmission Plant</u>			
350	9,070,238	4,079,181	4,991,057
352	7,114,458	1,942,283	5,172,175
353	54,902,987	16,636,148	38,266,839
354	4,360,455	2,418,823	1,941,632
355	30,540,148	13,543,643	16,996,505
356	18,491,274	5,561,846	12,929,428
357	2,008,898	324,326	1,684,573
358	3,248,855	557,795	2,691,060
359	859,245	352,675	506,569
	<u>130,596,557</u>	<u>45,416,720</u>	<u>85,179,837</u>
<u>Distribution Plant</u>			
360	2,505,357	448,945	2,056,411
361	6,825,023	916,348	5,908,674
362	81,021,371	16,493,068	64,528,303
364	87,592,814	32,803,881	54,788,933
365	98,963,740	27,473,608	71,490,132
366	13,797,049	3,329,163	10,467,887
367	72,891,910	24,758,886	48,133,024
368	79,243,004	26,485,980	52,757,024
369	26,254,384	12,154,926	14,099,458
370	24,265,203	1,388,078	22,877,126
371	529,370	329,480	199,890
372	-	-	-
373	11,681,244	5,933,981	5,747,263
	<u>505,570,470</u>	<u>152,516,344</u>	<u>353,054,126</u>
<u>General Plant</u>			
389	15,416	-	15,416
390	1,984,915	1,057,489	927,426
391	10,844,410	9,795,253	1,049,157
392	10,939,095	8,065,227	2,873,868
393	28,434	14,720	13,714
394	1,839,992	1,077,443	762,549
395	3,567,259	787,110	2,780,149
396	838,850	917,730	(78,880)
397	3,228,396	576,485	2,651,911
398	410,865	95,888	314,977
	<u>33,697,632</u>	<u>22,387,345</u>	<u>11,310,287</u>
	Subtotal Electric Plant in Service	221,438,746	449,676,843
	Electric Plant Purchased	-	65,422
	<u>Total Electric Plant in Service</u>	<u>221,438,746</u>	<u>449,742,265</u>
	Held for Future Use	71,377	3,719,625
	Construction Work in Progress	-	27,238,625
	Retirement Work in Progress	(339,220)	339,220
	<u>Net Utility Plant</u>	<u>221,170,902</u>	<u>481,039,735</u>

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Net Book Value of Common Plant in Service  
December 31, 2003

	Common Plant in Service	Accumulated Prov. for Deprec. & Amortization	Net Book Value
<u>INTANGIBLE PLANT</u>			
Organization	\$ 20,916	\$ -	\$ 20,916
Miscellaneous Intangible Plant - Software	48,811,528	22,798,097	26,013,431
Total Intangible Plant	<u>48,832,444</u>	<u>22,798,097</u>	<u>26,034,347</u>
<u>GENERAL PLANT</u>			
Land and Land Rights	785,996	19,036	766,960
Structures and Improvements	39,781,330	11,306,622	28,474,708
Office Furniture & Equipment	15,923,328	13,043,224	2,880,104
Transportation Equipment	1,987,139	1,609,479	377,660
Stores Equipment	299,587	123,692	175,895
Tools, Shop & Garage Equipment	2,045,926	464,992	1,580,934
Laboratory Equipment	912,072	30,019	882,053
Power Operated Equipment	173,241	95,068	78,173
Communication Equipment	6,142,527	3,411,292	2,731,235
Miscellaneous Equipment	1,583,318	447,776	1,135,542
Total General Plant	<u>69,634,464</u>	<u>30,551,200</u>	<u>39,083,264</u>
Cost of Removal	-	461,225	(461,225)
Retirement Work in Progress	-	72,695	(72,695)
Total	<u>\$118,466,908</u>	<u>\$53,883,217</u>	<u>\$64,583,691</u>

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Net Book Value of Common Plant in Service  
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	<u>Common Plant in Service</u>	<u>Accumulated Prov. for Deprec. &amp; Amortization</u>	<u>Net Book Value</u>
<u>INTANGIBLE PLANT</u>			
Organization	\$ 20,916	\$ -	\$ 20,916
Miscellaneous Intangible Plant - Software	<u>49,119,583</u>	<u>27,281,457</u>	<u>21,838,126</u>
Total Intangible Plant	<u>49,140,499</u>	<u>27,281,457</u>	<u>21,859,042</u>
<u>GENERAL PLANT</u>			
Land and Land Rights	785,996	19,701	766,295
Structures and Improvements	41,541,581	11,761,889	29,779,692
Office Furniture & Equipment	15,166,805	12,991,697	2,175,108
Transportation Equipment	2,262,675	1,163,372	1,099,303
Stores Equipment	324,747	123,258	201,489
Tools, Shop & Garage Equipment	2,088,435	518,135	1,570,300
Laboratory Equipment	911,658	60,402	851,256
Power Operated Equipment	696,945	453,359	243,586
Communication Equipment	6,700,931	4,031,751	2,669,180
Miscellaneous Equipment	<u>1,627,708</u>	<u>468,505</u>	<u>1,159,203</u>
Total General Plant	<u>72,107,481</u>	<u>31,592,069</u>	<u>40,515,412</u>
Retirement Work in Progress	<u>-</u>	<u>(15,606)</u>	<u>15,606</u>
Total	<u>\$121,247,980</u>	<u>\$58,857,920</u>	<u>\$62,390,060</u>

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Net Book Value of Common Plant in Service  
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	Common Plant in Service	Accumulated Prov. for Deprec. & Amortization	Net Book Value
<u>INTANGIBLE PLANT</u>			
Organization	\$ 20,916	\$ -	\$ 20,916
Miscellaneous Intangible Plant - Software	<u>49,430,087</u>	<u>31,681,897</u>	<u>17,748,190</u>
Total Intangible Plant	<u>49,451,003</u>	<u>31,681,897</u>	<u>17,769,106</u>
<u>GENERAL PLANT</u>			
Land and Land Rights	785,996	20,366	765,630
Structures and Improvements	42,326,003	11,562,351	30,763,651
Office Furniture & Equipment	14,421,610	11,975,064	2,446,546
Transportation Equipment	2,975,438	1,417,448	1,557,990
Stores Equipment	434,599	99,073	335,527
Tools, Shop & Garage Equipment	2,142,443	588,555	1,553,888
Laboratory Equipment	914,304	90,347	823,957
Power Operated Equipment	626,653	377,476	249,177
Communication Equipment	7,489,040	4,598,816	2,890,224
Miscellaneous Equipment	<u>2,056,911</u>	<u>534,047</u>	<u>1,522,864</u>
Total General Plant	<u>74,172,996</u>	<u>31,263,543</u>	<u>42,909,453</u>
Retirement Work in Progress	<u>-</u>	<u>(2,000)</u>	<u>2,000</u>
Total	<u>\$123,623,999</u>	<u>\$62,943,439</u>	<u>\$60,680,559</u>

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Net Book Value of Common Plant in Service  
December 31, 2006

	Common Plant in Service	Accumulated Prov. for Deprec. & Amortization	Net Book Value
<u>INTANGIBLE PLANT</u>			
Organization	\$ 20,916	\$ -	\$ 20,916
Miscellaneous Intangible Plant - Software	<u>49,428,876</u>	<u>34,333,052</u>	<u>15,095,824</u>
Total Intangible Plant	<u>49,449,793</u>	<u>34,333,052</u>	<u>15,116,741</u>
<u>GENERAL PLANT</u>			
Land and Land Rights	785,996	21,031	764,965
Structures and Improvements	43,635,057	11,939,691	31,695,367
Office Furniture & Equipment	14,020,439	12,306,917	1,713,522
Transportation Equipment	2,572,305	1,160,536	1,411,769
Stores Equipment	443,015	59,453	383,562
Tools, Shop & Garage Equipment	2,316,043	593,375	1,722,668
Laboratory Equipment	923,130	120,892	802,239
Power Operated Equipment	420,066	333,539	86,528
Communication Equipment	8,233,260	5,363,113	2,870,147
Miscellaneous Equipment	<u>2,124,631</u>	<u>622,113</u>	<u>1,502,518</u>
Total General Plant	<u>75,473,942</u>	<u>32,520,660</u>	<u>42,953,283</u>
Retirement Work in Progress	<u>-</u>	<u>(15,000)</u>	<u>15,000</u>
Total	<u>\$124,923,735</u>	<u>\$66,838,712</u>	<u>\$58,085,023</u>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
Electric Plant in Service and Average Cost  
Per Customer

<u>Date</u>	<u>Electric Plant In Service At End Of Period</u>	<u>Number of Electric Customers At End Of Period</u>	<u>Average Electric Plant Per Customer</u>
December 31, 2003	\$ 592,949,406	214,039	\$ 2,770
December 31, 2004	607,914,880	215,872	2,816
December 31, 2005	649,511,587	218,097	2,978

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	Company Total	Electric Department	Gas Department
<u>Utility Operating Income</u>			
Operating Revenue	\$607,377,444	\$409,970,601	\$197,406,843
<u>Operating Expenses:</u>			
Operation and Maintenance	454,887,847	303,178,977	151,708,870
Depreciation Expense	24,194,122	17,090,281	7,103,841
Amortization of Other Limited Term Plant	5,470,796	4,256,341	1,214,455
Amortization of Property Losses	-	-	-
Taxes Other than Income Taxes	41,841,246	29,025,293	12,815,953
Income Taxes	1,707,357	5,258,099	(3,550,742)
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes	32,138,324	19,027,219	13,111,105
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes - Cr.	(7,800,722)	(6,512,276)	(1,288,446)
Gain / Loss on Disposition of Utility Plants	201,753	201,753	-
Investment Tax Credit Adjustments	-	-	-
Total Operating Expenses	552,640,723	371,525,687	181,115,036
Total Utility Operating Income	54,736,721	\$38,444,914	\$16,291,807
<u>Other Income</u>			
Equity in Earnings of Subsidiary Companies	11,014,140		
Investment Income	2,022,670		
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction	4,591		
Miscellaneous Non-Operating Income	(2,866,289)		
Total Other Income	10,175,112		
<u>Other Income Deductions</u>			
Miscellaneous Income Deductions	1,300,154		
Total Other Income Deductions	1,300,154		
<u>Taxes - Other Income Deductions</u>			
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	151,576		
Income Taxes	(356,393)		
Deferred Income Taxes	(239,841)		
Investment Tax Credit Adjustment	(337,860)		
Total Taxes - Other Income Deductions	(782,518)		
Net Other Income and Deductions	9,657,476		
<u>Interest Charges</u>			
Interest on Long Term Debt	16,762,955		
Amortization of Debt Discount & Expense	638,432		
Amortization of Premium on Debt	-		
Interest on Debt to Associated Companies	213,690		
Other Interest Expense	1,314,149		
Total Interest Charges	18,929,226		
Net Income	\$45,464,971		

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	<u>Company Total</u>	<u>Electric Department</u>	<u>Gas Department</u>
<u>Utility Operating Income</u>			
Operating Revenue	\$572,766,468	\$368,129,383	\$204,637,085
<u>Operating Expenses:</u>			
Operation and Maintenance	441,336,510	276,482,315	164,854,195
Depreciation Expense	25,526,002	18,029,539	7,496,463
Amortization of Other Limited Term Plant	4,640,357	3,564,823	1,075,534
Amortization of Property Losses	-	-	-
Taxes Other than Income Taxes	39,737,319	28,173,010	11,564,309
Income Taxes	(1,250,074)	1,225,551	(2,475,625)
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes	31,261,379	18,863,449	12,397,930
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes - Cr.	(20,439,512)	(14,338,654)	(6,100,858)
Gain / Loss on Disposition of Utility Plants	-	-	-
Investment Tax Credit Adjustments	-	-	-
Total Operating Expenses	<u>520,811,981</u>	<u>332,000,033</u>	<u>188,811,948</u>
Total Utility Operating Income	<u>51,954,487</u>	<u>\$36,129,350</u>	<u>\$15,825,137</u>
<u>Other Income</u>			
Equity in Earnings of Subsidiary Companies	10,640,341		
Investment Income	288,343		
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction	135,233		
Miscellaneous Non-Operating Income	815,035		
Total Other Income	<u>11,878,952</u>		
<u>Other Income Deductions</u>			
Miscellaneous Income Deductions	427,549		
Total Other Income Deductions	<u>427,549</u>		
<u>Taxes - Other Income Deductions</u>			
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	108,901		
Income Taxes	236,447		
Deferred Income Taxes	295,716		
Investment Tax Credit Adjustment	(334,271)		
Total Taxes - Other Income Deductions	<u>306,793</u>		
Net Other Income and Deductions	<u>11,144,610</u>		
<u>Interest Charges</u>			
Interest on Long Term Debt	16,455,767		
Amortization of Debt Discount & Expense	613,838		
Amortization of Premium on Debt	-		
Interest on Debt to Associated Companies	415,419		
Other Interest Expense	(31,019)		
Total Interest Charges	<u>17,454,005</u>		
Net Income	<u>\$45,645,092</u>		

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	<u>Company Total</u>	<u>Electric Department</u>	<u>Gas Department</u>
<u>Utility Operating Income</u>			
Operating Revenue	\$680,412,538	\$452,025,804	\$228,386,734
Operating Expenses:			
Operation and Maintenance	529,308,813	343,795,472	185,513,341
Depreciation Expense	26,693,437	18,654,420	8,039,017
Amortization of Other Limited Term Plant	4,844,401	3,466,375	1,378,026
Amortization of Property Losses	-	-	-
Taxes Other than Income Taxes	38,293,489	27,134,878	11,158,611
Income Taxes	20,472,312	18,173,254	2,299,058
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes	15,597,671	10,115,763	5,481,908
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes - Cr.	(12,545,315)	(10,980,747)	(1,564,568)
Gain / Loss on Disposition of Utility Plants	-	-	-
Investment Tax Credit Adjustments	-	-	-
Total Operating Expenses	<u>622,664,808</u>	<u>410,359,415</u>	<u>212,305,393</u>
 Total Utility Operating Income	 <u>57,747,730</u>	 <u>\$41,666,389</u>	 <u>\$16,081,341</u>
<u>Other Income</u>			
Equity in Earnings of Subsidiary Companies	11,017,695		
Investment Income	806,851		
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction	45,551		
Miscellaneous Non-Operating Income	807,170		
Total Other Income	<u>12,677,267</u>		
<u>Other Income Deductions</u>			
Miscellaneous Income Deductions	392,365		
Total Other Income Deductions	<u>392,365</u>		
<u>Taxes - Other Income Deductions</u>			
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	76,305		
Income Taxes	(76,305)		
Deferred Income Taxes	521,431		
Investment Tax Credit Adjustment	(365,785)		
Total Taxes - Other Income Deductions	<u>155,646</u>		
 Net Other Income and Deductions	 <u>12,129,256</u>		
<u>Interest Charges</u>			
Interest on Long Term Debt	18,483,822		
Amortization of Debt Discount & Expense	648,417		
Amortization of Premium on Debt	-		
Interest on Debt to Associated Companies	701,269		
Other Interest Expense	646,134		
Total Interest Charges	<u>20,479,642</u>		
 Net Income	 <u>\$49,397,344</u>		

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	Company Total	Electric Department	Gas Department
<u>Utility Operating Income</u>			
Operating Revenue	\$663,510,045	\$427,711,673	\$235,798,372
Operating Expenses:			
Operation and Maintenance	520,059,877	326,610,525	193,449,352
Depreciation Expense	28,594,893	19,990,711	8,604,182
Amortization of Other Limited Term Plant	3,568,816	2,194,690	1,374,126
Amortization of Property Losses	-	-	-
Taxes Other than Income Taxes	38,564,150	26,638,714	11,925,436
Income Taxes	7,129,791	3,128,205	4,001,586
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes	12,188,951	11,196,410	992,541
Provision for Deferred Income Taxes - Cr.	(1,804,039)	(1,498,194)	(305,845)
Gain / Loss on Disposition of Utility Plants	-	-	-
Investment Tax Credit Adjustments	-	-	-
Total Operating Expenses	608,302,439	388,261,061	220,041,378
Total Utility Operating Income	55,207,606	\$39,450,612	\$15,756,994
<u>Other Income</u>			
Equity in Earnings of Subsidiary Companies	13,228,330		
Investment Income	1,832,935		
Allowance for Funds Used During Construction	-		
Miscellaneous Non-Operating Income	1,130,591		
Total Other Income	16,191,856		
<u>Other Income Deductions</u>			
Miscellaneous Income Deductions	323,175		
Total Other Income Deductions	323,175		
<u>Taxes - Other Income Deductions</u>			
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	63,658		
Income Taxes	(63,658)		
Deferred Income Taxes	975,548		
Investment Tax Credit Adjustment	(303,545)		
Total Taxes - Other Income Deductions	672,003		
Net Other Income and Deductions	15,196,678		
<u>Interest Charges</u>			
Interest on Long Term Debt	20,398,888		
Amortization of Debt Discount & Expense	677,446		
Amortization of Premium on Debt	-		
Interest on Debt to Associated Companies	1,191,262		
Other Interest Expense	2,511,103		
Total Interest Charges	24,778,699		
Net Income	\$45,625,585		

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	<u>Dec. 31,</u> <u>2003</u>	<u>Dec. 31,</u> <u>2004</u>	<u>Dec. 31,</u> <u>2005</u>	<u>Dec. 31,</u> <u>2006</u>
<u>Production Expenses</u>				
Steam Production Expense	-	-	-	-
Hydro Production Expense	-	-	-	-
Gas Turbine Production Expense	-	-	-	-
Total Production	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Other Power Supply Expense</u>				
Interchange In	16,043,103	16,179,279	17,420,861	5,164,990
Purch. Power - MDA	165,497,443	144,131,094	209,514,191	210,189,262
Purch. Power - Co Generation	14,669,749	11,217,928	10,104,617	22,598,128
Purch. Power - Central Hudson	-	-	-	-
Purch. Power - NY ISO	-	-	(2,712,175)	(1,742,018)
Purch. Power - Penn P & L	-	3,188,498	-	584
Total Purch. Power	<u>196,210,295</u>	<u>174,716,799</u>	<u>234,327,493</u>	<u>236,210,948</u>
Deferred Purchased Power	1,157,682	6,068,467	16,466,590	(7,715,089)
Load Dispatching	1,611,104	1,851,209	1,784,928	1,192,245
Other Production Expenses	158,000	2,248	4,200	6,599
Total Purch. Power	<u>2,926,786</u>	<u>7,921,924</u>	<u>18,255,717</u>	<u>(6,516,245)</u>
Total Production Expenses	<u>199,137,081</u>	<u>182,638,722</u>	<u>252,583,211</u>	<u>229,694,703</u>

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	Dec. 31, 2003	Dec. 31, 2004	Dec. 31, 2005	Dec. 31, 2006
<u>Transmission Expenses</u>				
Operation Supervision and Engineering	1,966,771	1,463,090	1,993,352	1,830,318
Load Dispatching	554,124	838,890	726,445	993,256
Station Expenses	1,599,272	1,626,816	1,842,741	1,812,673
Overhead Lines Expense	160,648	161,198	248,463	237,740
Transmission of Electric by Others	343,248	(617,994)	0	0
Misc. Expense	5,325	13,711	2,258	2,006
Rents	874,046	1,049,134	935,374	995,230
Total Operation	<u>5,503,434</u>	<u>4,534,844</u>	<u>5,748,633</u>	<u>5,871,223</u>
<u>Maintenance</u>				
Maintenance Supervision and Engineering	49,999	0	0	0
Maintenance of Structures	0	0	0	137,425
Maintenance of Station Equipment	198,102	214,690	252,825	268,459
Maintenance of Overhead Lines	1,884,553	2,116,588	1,813,575	653,295
Maintenance of Underground Lines	(22,755)	11,721	98	394
Total Maintenance	<u>2,109,898</u>	<u>2,342,999</u>	<u>2,066,498</u>	<u>1,059,573</u>
Total Transmission Expenses	<u>7,613,332</u>	<u>6,877,844</u>	<u>7,815,131</u>	<u>6,930,796</u>
<u>Distribution Expenses</u>				
<u>Operation</u>				
Operation Supervision and Engineering	3,028,334	2,251,581	2,291,278	2,878,160
Distribution Load Dispatching	86,334	166,347	115,817	117,236
Station Expenses	1,796,555	1,854,347	2,037,198	1,867,501
Overhead Lines Expense	958,147	1,118,561	1,329,523	(1,094,651)
Underground Line Expense	264,580	621,956	612,709	648,216
Meter Expense	1,694,420	1,359,330	1,245,389	1,441,250
Customer Installation Expenses	199,120	265,932	151,691	218,944
Misc. Distribution Expense	4,398,759	3,362,407	2,842,926	3,649,048
Rents	21,367	20,494	21,536	29,684
Total Operation	<u>12,447,616</u>	<u>11,020,957</u>	<u>10,648,067</u>	<u>9,755,389</u>
<u>Maintenance</u>				
Maintenance Supervision and Engineering	0	0	0	222
Maintenance of Station Equipment	631,089	765,807	721,084	677,227
Maintenance Overhead Lines	14,870,374	9,537,841	13,045,852	13,194,912
Maintenance Underground Lines	2,314,091	2,554,401	2,444,870	2,789,127
Maintenance Line Transformers	(89,659)	65,284	36,077	49,611
Maintenance Street Light & Signal	818,424	937,312	958,658	1,040,374
Maintenance Meters	328,511	305,169	416,604	292,771
Total Maintenance	<u>18,872,830</u>	<u>14,165,814</u>	<u>17,623,146</u>	<u>18,044,244</u>
Total Distribution Expenses	<u>31,320,446</u>	<u>25,186,770</u>	<u>28,271,212</u>	<u>27,799,633</u>
<u>Customer Accounts Expense</u>				
<u>Operation</u>				
Supervision	57,361	59,177	5,295	1,196
Meter Reading Expenses	2,434,852	2,575,782	2,673,096	2,689,970
Customer Records and Collection Expenses	8,339,031	8,727,086	8,339,549	8,429,450
Uncollectible Accounts	2,585,370	2,139,946	1,832,932	1,322,673
Miscellaneous Customer Accounts Expenses	48,823	88,180	70,511	58,200
Total Customer Accounts Expenses	<u>13,465,435</u>	<u>13,590,171</u>	<u>12,921,382</u>	<u>12,501,489</u>
<u>Customer Service Expenses</u>				
<u>Operation</u>				
Supervision	300,587	337,795	316,211	350,256
Customer Assistance Expenses	1,696,630	1,920,542	2,056,183	2,086,776
Informational Advertising Expenses	6,071,599	4,978,875	5,112,940	5,913,053
Miscellaneous Customer Service Expenses	24,275	26,590	12,066	9,070
Rents	6,251	227	3,646	(3,398)
Total Customer Service Expenses	<u>8,099,342</u>	<u>7,264,028</u>	<u>7,501,045</u>	<u>8,355,758</u>

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	<u>Dec. 31, 2003</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2004</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2005</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2006</u>
<u>Sales Promotion Expenses</u>				
<u>Operation</u>				
Demonstration and Selling Expenses	8,551	12,740	1,934	0
Promotional Advertising Expenses	15,000	12,293	28,199	2,367
<b>Total Sales Promotion Expenses</b>	<b>23,552</b>	<b>25,032</b>	<b>30,133</b>	<b>2,367</b>
<u>Administrative and General Expenses</u>				
<u>Operation</u>				
Administrative and General Salaries	5,185,319	5,681,926	4,756,902	5,474,381
Office Supplies and Expense	2,264,378	2,653,278	2,681,788	2,591,589
Administrative Expenses Transferred - Cr.	7,128,523	7,812,403	7,983,994	7,732,558
Outside Services Employed	205,238	455,083	269,701	501,647
Property Insurance	97,213	147,361	164,964	36,224
Injuries and Damages	685,703	1,832,551	1,494,307	1,782,386
Employee Pensions and Benefits	25,090,769	19,507,489	14,793,322	20,444,093
Regulatory Commission Expenses	1,127,324	942,999	1,168,178	1,112,382
Duplicate Charges - Cr.	(1,009,889)	(1,043,922)	(996,722)	(823,795)
Miscellaneous General Expenses	2,148,561	2,172,991	1,663,047	1,961,469
General Rents	25,650	34,846	37,185	27,619
Expenses of Data Processing Equipment	278,588	402,196	378,645	268,010
<b>Total Operation</b>	<b>43,227,377</b>	<b>40,599,199</b>	<b>34,395,311</b>	<b>41,108,562</b>
<u>Maintenance</u>				
Maintenance of General Plant	292,410	300,548	278,045	217,218
<b>Total Administrative and General Expenses</b>	<b>43,519,788</b>	<b>40,899,748</b>	<b>34,673,357</b>	<b>41,325,780</b>
<b>Total Operation and Maintenance</b>	<b>\$303,178,976</b>	<b>\$276,482,316</b>	<b>\$343,795,472</b>	<b>\$326,610,525</b>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
Electric Operation and Maintenance Expenses, Taxes and Depreciation  
Per Kwh of Electric Sold  
For the Twelve Months Ended

	Dec. 31, 2003		Dec. 31, 2004		Dec. 31, 2005		Dec. 31, 2006	
	Amount	Per Kwh Sold	Amount	Per Kwh Sold	Amount	Per Kwh Sold	Amount	Per Kwh Sold
Kwh Sold (000 Omitted)		<u>4,270,538</u>		<u>4,374,983</u>		<u>4,635,830</u>		<u>4,421,076</u>
Production Expenses	\$0	\$0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000
Other Power Supply	<u>196,210,295</u>	<u>0.0459</u>	<u>174,716,799</u>	<u>0.0399</u>	<u>234,327,493</u>	<u>0.0505</u>	<u>236,210,948</u>	<u>0.0534</u>
Total Other Power Supply	196,210,295	0.0459	174,716,799	0.0399	234,327,493	0.0505	236,210,948	0.0534
Deferred Purchased Power & Oth	2,926,786	0.0007	7,921,924	0.0018	18,255,717	0.0039	(6,516,245)	(0.0015)
Transmission	7,613,332	0.0018	6,877,844	0.0016	7,815,131	0.0017	6,930,796	0.0016
Distribution	31,320,446	0.0073	25,186,770	0.0058	28,271,212	0.0061	27,799,633	0.0063
Customer Accounts	13,465,435	0.0032	13,590,171	0.0031	12,921,382	0.0028	12,501,489	0.0028
Customer Service	8,099,342	0.0019	7,264,028	0.0017	7,501,045	0.0016	8,355,758	0.0019
Sales Promotion	23,552	0.0000	25,032	0.0000	30,133	0.0000	2,367	0.0000
Administrative & General	<u>43,519,788</u>	<u>0.0102</u>	<u>40,899,748</u>	<u>0.0093</u>	<u>34,673,357</u>	<u>0.0075</u>	<u>41,325,780</u>	<u>0.0093</u>
Total Gas Operation and Maintenance	303,178,976	0.0710	276,482,316	0.0632	343,795,472	0.0742	326,610,525	0.0739
Depreciation and Amortization	21,346,622	0.0050	21,594,362	0.0049	22,120,795	0.0048	22,185,401	0.0050
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	<u>29,025,293</u>	<u>0.0068</u>	<u>28,173,010</u>	<u>0.0064</u>	<u>27,134,878</u>	<u>0.0059</u>	<u>26,638,714</u>	<u>0.0060</u>
Total Operating Expenses Excl. Federal Income Taxes	<u>\$353,550,891</u>	<u>\$0.0828</u>	<u>\$326,249,688</u>	<u>\$0.0746</u>	<u>\$393,051,145</u>	<u>\$0.0848</u>	<u>\$375,434,640</u>	<u>\$0.0849</u>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
Operating Taxes - Electric  
For the Twelve Months Ended

	<u>Dec. 31, 2003</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2004</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2005</u>	<u>Dec. 31, 2006</u>
Federal:				
FICA	\$2,439,939	\$2,392,291	\$2,501,289	\$2,255,472
Unemployment	34,225	36,216	36,511	33,943
Total Federal	<u>2,474,164</u>	<u>2,428,507</u>	<u>2,537,800</u>	<u>2,289,415</u>
State:				
Gross Earnings	-	-	-	-
Gross Income	6,531,509	4,220,436	2,000,374	1,951,603
Excess Dividends	-	-	-	-
Unemployment	88,352	77,038	78,784	92,497
Other	(692,393)	(4,899)	(4,255)	(6,202)
Total State	<u>5,927,468</u>	<u>4,292,575</u>	<u>2,074,903</u>	<u>2,037,898</u>
Local:				
Property	19,857,336	20,343,752	21,248,667	21,086,657
1% on Tax Gross Income	766,326	1,108,176	1,273,507	1,224,743
Total Local	<u>20,623,662</u>	<u>21,451,928</u>	<u>22,522,174</u>	<u>22,311,400</u>
Total Operating Taxes	<u>\$29,025,294</u>	<u>\$28,173,010</u>	<u>\$27,134,877</u>	<u>\$26,638,713</u>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

Electric Operating Revenues  
Per Kilowatt Hour of Electric Sold  
For the Twelve Months Ended

	Dec. 31, 2003			Dec. 31, 2004		
	Kwh Sold (000)	Revenues	Revenue Per Kwh	Kwh Sold (000)	Revenues	Revenue Per Kwh
<u>Sales of Electric</u>						
Residential Sales	1,473,587	\$174,102,695	\$0.1181	1,500,375	\$170,327,446	\$0.1135
Commercial and Industrial Sales	2,394,907	176,810,332	0.0738	2,475,412	163,734,156	0.0661
Public Lighting Sales	23,067	3,832,177	0.1661	23,321	3,421,942	0.1467
Sales to Public Authorities	89,748	8,402,220	0.0936	91,548	8,739,300	0.0955
Sales for Resale	289,229	21,668,750	0.0749	284,327	21,629,565	0.0761
<b>Total Sales of Electric</b>	<b>4,270,538</b>	<b>384,816,174</b>	<b>\$0.0901</b>	<b>4,374,983</b>	<b>367,852,409</b>	<b>\$0.0841</b>
<u>Other Operating Revenues</u>						
Miscellaneous Service Revenues		(5,254)			21,075	
Revenue Subject to Rate Refund		17,420,812			(7,888,931)	
Joint Operating Rents		3,346,101			3,291,465	
Rent from Electric Property		1,717,974			2,510,356	
Other Electric Revenues		2,674,794			2,343,009	
<b>Total Other Operating Revenues</b>		<b>25,154,427</b>			<b>276,974</b>	
<b>Total Electric Operating Revenues</b>		<b>\$409,970,601</b>			<b>\$368,129,383</b>	

	Dec. 31, 2005			Dec. 31, 2006		
	Kwh Sold (000)	Revenues	Revenue Per Kwh	Kwh Sold (000)	Revenues	Revenue Per Kwh
<u>Sales of Electric</u>						
Residential Sales	1,672,163	\$201,742,153	\$0.1206	1,572,484	\$194,300,763	\$0.1236
Commercial and Industrial Sales	2,521,335	199,803,003	0.0792	2,344,521	183,169,525	0.0781
Public Lighting Sales	23,345	3,474,051	0.1488	23,408	3,455,137	0.1476
Sales to Public Authorities	99,626	12,032,185	0.1208	98,954	11,127,777	0.1125
Sales for Resale	319,361	32,412,974	0.1015	381,708	28,074,082	0.0735
<b>Total Sales of Electric</b>	<b>4,635,830</b>	<b>449,464,366</b>	<b>\$0.0970</b>	<b>4,421,076</b>	<b>420,127,284</b>	<b>\$0.0950</b>
<u>Other Operating Revenues</u>						
Miscellaneous Service Revenues		(4,890)			(257,767)	
Revenue Subject to Rate Refund		(4,704,607)			161,922	
Joint Operating Rents		2,983,248			2,782,212	
Rent from Electric Property		1,543,229			2,255,679	
Other Electric Revenues		2,744,458			2,642,343	
<b>Total Other Operating Revenues</b>		<b>2,561,438</b>			<b>7,584,389</b>	
<b>Total Electric Operating Revenues</b>		<b>\$452,025,804</b>			<b>\$427,711,672</b>	

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Electric Rate Base  
For the Twelve Months Ending  
June 30, 2006 and December 31, 2007

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SUMMARY

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006  
AND DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(5000s)

DESCRIPTION	AVERAGE ACTUAL TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006	ADJUSTMENTS TO REFLECT CONDITIONS IN 2007	AVERAGE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007	ADJUSTMENTS TO RATE BASE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007	RATE BASE FULLY ADJUSTED
<b>UTILITY PLANT:</b>					
ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE	\$ 625,656	\$ 69,103	\$ 694,759	\$ -	\$ 694,759
ELECTRIC PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE USE	1,047	2,739	3,786	-	3,786
COMMON UTILITY PLANT (ELECTRIC ALLOC.)	89,559	5,207	94,766	-	94,766
CWIP NOT TAKING INTEREST	7,850	196	8,046	-	8,046
TOTAL UTILITY PLANT	724,112	77,245	801,357	-	801,357
<b>UTILITY PLANT RESERVES:</b>					
ACC. PROV. FOR DEPRECIATION OF ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE (INCLUDES FUTURE USE PLANT)	(212,603)	(18,445)	(231,128)	-	(231,128)
ACC. PROV. FOR DEPRECIATION & AMORTIZATION OF COMMON PLANT	(45,816)	(3,911)	(49,727)	-	(49,727)
TOTAL UTILITY PLANT RESERVES	(258,499)	(22,356)	(280,855)	-	(280,855)
NET PLANT	465,613	54,889	520,502	-	520,502
<b>WORKING CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS:</b>					
OGM EXPENDITURES	11,536	6,529	18,065	-	18,065
MATERIALS & SUPPLIES	3,848	135	3,983	-	3,983
PREPAYMENTS	4,698	1,085	5,783	-	5,783
<b>REGULATORY ASSETS / (LIABILITIES):</b>					
DEFERRED R & D EXPENDITURES (NET OF FIT)	1,041	503	1,544	-	1,544
DEFERRED PURCHASED POWER (NET OF FIT)	(8,774)	14,421	5,647	-	5,647
DEFERRED M.T.A. SURTAX - (NET OF FIT)	(236)	-	(236)	-	(236)
DEFERRED LOW INCOME PROGRAM (NET OF FIT)	(365)	3	(362)	-	(362)
DEFERRED STORM RESERVE EXPENDITURES (NET OF FIT)	721	(1,859)	(1,138)	-	(1,138)
DEFERRED STRAY VOLTAGE EXPENDITURES (NET OF FIT)	630	(630)	0	-	-
DEFERRED ENVIRONMENTAL EXPENDITURES (NET OF TAX) WEST NYACK	275	50	325	-	325
DEFERRED DSM RECOVERIES (NET OF FIT)	(1,115)	1,115	0	-	-
DEFERRED OIL SUPPLIER REFUNDS (70% - NET OF FIT)	(150)	150	0	-	-
DEFERRED PERFORMANCE PENALTIES (NET OF FIT)	(184)	184	0	-	-
DEFERRED GAIN ON SALE OF WURTSBURG PROPERTY (NET OF FIT)	(61)	61	0	-	-
ACCRUED PENSION LIABILITY - RATE BASE IMPUTATION	(6,403)	-	(6,403)	-	(6,403)
CUSTOMER ADVANCES FOR CONSTRUCTION (NET OF FIT) - A/C	(157)	(3)	(161)	-	(161)
<b>ACCUM. DEFERRED INCOME TAXES</b>					
ACCUM. DEFERRED FIT - ACRS / ADR	(61,286)	(7,967)	(69,253)	-	(69,253)
ACCUM. DEFERRED FIT - 263(A) CAPITALIZED OVERHEADS	(13,981)	246	(13,735)	-	(13,735)
ACCUM. DEFERRED SIT	(1,256)	(2,933)	(4,190)	-	(4,190)
SIT BENEFIT - PRE 2000	379	-	379	-	379
ACCUM. DEFERRED MTA	190	16	206	-	206
ACCUMULATED DEFERRED INVESTMENT TAX CREDITS	(2,172)	363	(1,810)	-	(1,810)
AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE	\$ 392,788	\$ 66,357	\$ 459,145	\$ -	\$ 459,145

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC

AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006  
(\$000s)

MONTH ENDED		UTILITY PLANT				UTILITY PLANT RESERVES			C.W.I.P. NOT TAKING INTEREST		
		ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE	COMMON UTILITY PLANT	CIMS / OTHER COMMON UTILITY PLANT	ELECTRIC PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE USE	ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE	COMMON UTILITY PLANT	CIMS / OTHER COMMON UTILITY PLANT	ELECTRIC	COMMON	TOTAL ELECTRIC
JUNE 30, 2005	@1/2	\$304,515	\$25,496	\$18,787	\$380	(\$104,792)	(\$10,658)	(\$11,218)	\$2,085	\$1,766	\$3,851
JULY 31, 2005		609,889	51,459	37,573	757	(210,349)	(21,245)	(22,715)	5,785	2,820	8,605
AUGUST 31, 2005		611,799	51,364	37,573	757	(211,075)	(21,367)	(22,995)	6,485	3,181	9,667
SEPTEMBER 30, 2005		612,756	51,499	37,573	757	(212,077)	(21,584)	(23,274)	7,907	3,343	11,251
OCTOBER 31, 2005		616,557	51,688	37,573	757	(212,367)	(21,733)	(23,555)	6,375	3,297	9,672
NOVEMBER 30, 2005		617,566	51,960	37,848	643	(213,463)	(21,891)	(23,819)	7,364	3,415	10,778
DECEMBER 31, 2005		628,022	52,206	37,864	643	(212,834)	(22,088)	(24,103)	2,359	3,178	5,537
JANUARY 31, 2006		628,210	51,872	37,859	643	(211,707)	(21,938)	(24,385)	4,457	2,371	6,829
FEBRUARY 28, 2006		630,273	51,943	37,858	519	(213,156)	(22,147)	(24,527)	2,412	2,573	4,984
MARCH 31, 2006		631,420	51,692	37,865	519	(213,684)	(21,976)	(24,696)	6,062	3,058	9,120
APRIL 30, 2006		644,750	52,061	37,865	519	(214,044)	(22,128)	(24,864)	(5,576)	2,858	(2,718)
MAY 31, 2006		647,112	52,376	37,865	3,779	(214,693)	(22,204)	(25,033)	7,230	2,844	10,074
JUNE 30, 2006	@1/2	325,008	26,057	18,933	1,893	(107,960)	(11,046)	(12,601)	5,563	985	6,548
TOTAL TWELVE MONTHS		\$7,507,876	\$621,673	\$453,035	\$12,566	(\$2,552,201)	(\$262,005)	(\$287,785)	\$58,508	\$35,689	\$94,197
MONTHLY AVERAGE		\$625,656	\$51,806	\$37,753	\$1,047	(\$212,683)	(\$21,834)	(\$23,982)	\$4,876	\$2,974	\$7,850

DOMESTIC POWER MONTHLY

AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2008  
(DOLLARS)

MONTH ENDED	W.T.A. SCHEDULE	EOM PROGRAM	REB DISCHG	DEFERRED FUEL	EOM	STRAIT VOLTAGE	WEST HYDRA	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED MT	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED MT - WTA	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED MT NON-DEDUCTIBLE	CAPITALIZED OVERHEADS	DEFERRED F.A.T. - INHA DEDUCTION	DEFERRED F.A.T. - COMPUTER SOFTWARE	DEFERRED PERSON LEASES	DEFERRED LIABILITY-ALLOWED	CURE ADV FOR CONSTRUCTION	ACCOMMODATION FOR CONTINGENCIES		STATE INCOME TAX BENEFIT PRE 2000	DEFERRED ON SUPPLIER REFUND(S) (%)	DEFERRED PAYABLE(S)	GAIN ON SALE OF NONRESIDENT PROPERTY		
																	STORM DAMAGE RESERVE	E.T.C.						
JUNE 30, 2005	0112	000	(22,751)	1843	(62,022)	(21,826)	268	10,976	(20,990)	1,986	(52,761)	(57,710)	(22,751)	(5,364)	(51,367)	(17,617)		\$419	(15,147)	506	170	(512)	(1726)	(547)
JULY 31, 2005		75	(1,000)	1,263	1,263	(1,000)	207	10,769	(20,784)	1,900	(53,761)	(58,710)	(5,373)	(5,194)	(6,230)	(17,617)		1,837	(2,271)	574	170	(512)	(1719)	(540)
AUGUST 31, 2005		(77)	(1,000)	1,266	1,525	(1,163)	207	10,562	(20,577)	1,813	(54,761)	(59,710)	(5,380)	(5,021)	(6,401)	(17,617)		1,687	(2,532)	573	170	(512)	(1712)	(533)
SEPTEMBER 30, 2005		(246)	(1,000)	1,263	1,661	(1,306)	195	10,357	(20,372)	1,726	(55,761)	(60,710)	(5,387)	(4,852)	(6,572)	(17,617)		1,537	(2,793)	572	170	(512)	(1705)	(526)
OCTOBER 31, 2005		(575)	(1,000)	1,256	1,800	(1,451)	183	10,152	(20,167)	1,639	(56,761)	(61,710)	(5,394)	(4,683)	(6,743)	(17,617)		1,387	(3,054)	571	170	(512)	(1698)	(519)
NOVEMBER 30, 2005		(904)	(1,000)	1,249	1,939	(1,596)	171	9,947	(19,962)	1,552	(57,761)	(62,710)	(5,401)	(4,514)	(6,914)	(17,617)		1,237	(3,315)	570	170	(512)	(1691)	(512)
DECEMBER 31, 2005		(1,233)	(1,000)	1,242	2,078	(1,741)	159	9,742	(19,767)	1,465	(58,761)	(63,710)	(5,408)	(4,345)	(7,085)	(17,617)		1,087	(3,576)	569	170	(512)	(1684)	(505)
JANUARY 31, 2006		(1,562)	(1,000)	1,235	2,217	(1,886)	147	9,537	(19,572)	1,378	(59,761)	(64,710)	(5,415)	(4,176)	(7,256)	(17,617)		937	(3,837)	568	170	(512)	(1677)	(498)
FEBRUARY 29, 2006		(1,891)	(1,000)	1,228	2,356	(2,031)	135	9,332	(19,377)	1,291	(60,761)	(65,710)	(5,422)	(4,007)	(7,427)	(17,617)		787	(4,098)	567	170	(512)	(1670)	(491)
MARCH 31, 2006		(2,220)	(1,000)	1,221	2,495	(2,176)	123	9,127	(19,182)	1,204	(61,761)	(66,710)	(5,429)	(3,838)	(7,598)	(17,617)		637	(4,359)	566	170	(512)	(1663)	(484)
APRIL 30, 2006		(2,549)	(1,000)	1,214	2,634	(2,321)	111	8,922	(18,987)	1,117	(62,761)	(67,710)	(5,436)	(3,669)	(7,769)	(17,617)		487	(4,620)	565	170	(512)	(1656)	(477)
MAY 31, 2006		(2,878)	(1,000)	1,207	2,773	(2,466)	99	8,717	(18,792)	1,030	(63,761)	(68,710)	(5,443)	(3,500)	(7,940)	(17,617)		337	(4,881)	564	170	(512)	(1649)	(470)
JUNE 30, 2006		(3,207)	(1,000)	1,200	2,912	(2,611)	87	8,512	(18,597)	943	(64,761)	(69,710)	(5,450)	(3,331)	(8,111)	(17,617)		187	(5,142)	563	170	(512)	(1642)	(463)
TOTAL TWELVE MONTHS		(17,720)	(12,000)	(10,128)	(178,421)	(186,766)	(11,025)	(12,820)	(121,125)	1,266	(154,816)	(162,272)	(68,473)	(18,161)	(176,434)	(12,902)		8,647	(26,061)	2,380	4,548	(1,772)	(2,793)	(1,129)
MONTHLY AVERAGE		(1,477)	(1,000)	(843)	(14,868)	(15,564)	(918)	(1,068)	(10,094)	(105)	(12,868)	(13,523)	(5,706)	(1,513)	(14,703)	(1,084)		721	(2,172)	198	379	(149)	(233)	(94)

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AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE  
 TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007  
 (\$000s)

MONTH ENDED		UTILITY PLANT				UTILITY PLANT RESERVES			C.W.I.P. NOT TAKING INTEREST		
		ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE	COMMON UTILITY PLANT	COMMON UTILITY PLANT CIMS / OTHER	ELECTRIC PLANT HELD FOR FUTURE USE	ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE	COMMON UTILITY PLANT	COMMON UTILITY PLANT CIMS / OTHER	ELECTRIC	COMMON	TOTAL ELECTRIC
DECEMBER 31, 2006	@1/2	\$336,405	\$27,096	\$18,933	\$1,893	(\$111,640)	(\$11,115)	(\$13,108)	\$2,544	\$1,478	\$4,023
JANUARY 31, 2007		674,748	54,740	37,865	3,786	(224,556)	(22,265)	(26,385)	5,089	2,957	8,046
FEBRUARY 28, 2007		676,311	54,704	37,865	3,786	(225,837)	(22,305)	(26,554)	5,089	2,957	8,046
MARCH 31, 2007		678,626	55,007	37,865	3,786	(227,124)	(22,344)	(26,723)	5,089	2,957	8,046
APRIL 30, 2007		680,231	55,148	37,865	3,786	(228,416)	(22,386)	(26,892)	5,089	2,957	8,046
MAY 31, 2007		698,115	56,103	37,865	3,786	(229,714)	(22,429)	(27,061)	5,089	2,957	8,046
JUNE 30, 2007		699,811	56,818	37,865	3,786	(231,053)	(22,474)	(27,230)	5,089	2,957	8,046
JULY 31, 2007		702,317	57,741	37,865	3,786	(232,398)	(22,525)	(27,399)	5,089	2,957	8,046
AUGUST 31, 2007		704,820	58,074	37,865	3,786	(233,749)	(22,582)	(27,568)	5,089	2,957	8,046
SEPTEMBER 30, 2007		707,319	58,453	37,865	3,786	(235,109)	(22,643)	(27,737)	5,089	2,957	8,046
OCTOBER 31, 2007		709,328	58,840	37,865	3,786	(236,475)	(22,707)	(27,906)	5,089	2,957	8,046
NOVEMBER 30, 2007		711,444	59,764	37,865	3,786	(237,848)	(22,772)	(28,075)	5,089	2,957	8,046
DECEMBER 31, 2007	@1/2	357,627	30,323	18,933	1,893	(119,613)	(11,423)	(14,122)	2,544	1,478	4,023
TOTAL TWELVE MONTHS		\$8,337,103	\$682,811	\$454,380	\$45,432	(\$2,773,531)	(\$269,968)	(\$326,760)	\$61,068	\$35,482	\$96,550
MONTHLY AVERAGE		\$694,759	\$56,901	\$37,865	\$3,786	(\$231,128)	(\$22,497)	(\$27,230)	\$5,089	\$2,957	\$8,046

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

AVERAGE ELECTRIC RATE BASE  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(000s)

MONTH ENDED	M.T.A. SURTAX	LOW INCOME PROGRAM	R&D EXPEND.	REMEDIATION			ACCUMULATED DEFERRED SIT	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED SIT - MTA	ACCUMULATED DEFERRED SIT NON - DEDUCTIBLE	CAPITALIZED OVERHEADS \$/A	DEFERRED P.A.T. - COMPUTER SOFTWARE	DEFERRED P.A.T. - LEASED VEHICLES	DEFERRED PENSION LIABILITY- ALLOWED	CUST. ADV FOR CONSTRUCTION	ACCUM. PROVISION FOR CONTINGENCIES		ACCUM. DEFERRED I.T.C.	ACCUM. DEFERRED MTA - MYS INCOME TAX	STATE INCOME TAX BENEFIT PRE 2000	
				FUEL	HCP SITES	WEST NYACK & OTHER									STORM DAMAGE RESERVE	STORM DAMAGE RESERVE				
DECEMBER 31, 2006	(5181)	(5278)	5772	\$2,823	5244	59	(5826)	(5948)	528	(518,150)	(54,991)	(52,801)	(51,091)	(51,202)	(5124)	(5569)	(5655)		5103	\$180
JANUARY 31, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(1,742)	(2,064)	789	(56,507)	(13,940)	(5,603)	(6,166)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,911)		206	379
FEBRUARY 28, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(1,872)	(2,246)	839	(56,715)	(13,899)	(5,603)	(6,153)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,890)		206	379
MARCH 31, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(1,983)	(2,406)	889	(56,923)	(13,858)	(5,603)	(6,140)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,870)		206	379
APRIL 30, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,093)	(2,574)	940	(57,130)	(13,817)	(5,603)	(6,127)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,850)		206	379
MAY 31, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,203)	(2,746)	990	(57,338)	(13,776)	(5,603)	(6,115)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,830)		206	379
JUNE 30, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,314)	(2,916)	1,040	(57,546)	(13,735)	(5,603)	(6,102)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,810)		206	379
JULY 31, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,424)	(3,084)	1,090	(57,754)	(13,694)	(5,603)	(6,091)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,789)		206	379
AUGUST 31, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,534)	(3,257)	1,141	(57,961)	(13,653)	(5,603)	(6,080)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,769)		206	379
SEPTEMBER 30, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,645)	(3,427)	1,191	(58,169)	(13,612)	(5,603)	(6,069)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,749)		206	379
OCTOBER 31, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,755)	(3,597)	1,241	(58,377)	(13,571)	(5,603)	(6,058)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,729)		206	379
NOVEMBER 30, 2007	(383)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,864)	(3,767)	1,291	(58,585)	(13,530)	(5,603)	(6,047)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,709)		206	379
DECEMBER 31, 2007	(184)	(278)	772	2,823	244	9	(1,444)	(1,944)	671	(29,396)	(6,745)	(2,801)	(3,018)	(3,202)	(124)	(569)	(844)		101	490
TOTAL TWELVE MONTHS	(4,151)	(6,483)	18,528	67,759	5,766	207	(27,263)	(34,997)	12,482	(690,550)	(164,821)	(82,235)	(79,237)	(86,836)	(2,964)	(13,656)	(21,715)		2,472	6,548
MONTHLY AVERAGE	(343)	(557)	1,544	5,647	482	17	(2,314)	(2,916)	1,040	(57,546)	(13,735)	(5,603)	(6,105)	(6,403)	(247)	(1,138)	(1,810)		206	379

ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
EARNINGS BASE / CAPITALIZATION ADJUSTMENT  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006  
(\$000s)

<u>CAPITALIZATION</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>			
LONG-TERM DEBT	\$ 317,974			
COMMON STOCK	194,344			
RETAINED EARNINGS	179,769			
SUB-TOTAL	\$ 692,087			
SHORT-TERM DEBT	89,445			
SUB-TOTAL	\$ 781,532			
<u>ADDITIONS</u>				
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	\$ 11,443			
INTEREST ON CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	806			
CUSTOMER ADVANCES	1,122			
INTEREST ON REFUNDS - UNDERGROUND CUSTOMER ADVANCES	23			
DIVIDENDS DECLARED	4,667			
FUEL SUPPLIER REFUNDS	282			
FUEL SAVINGS FOR GAS USED IN POWER GENERATION	192			
INTERRUPTIBLE BENEFITS	2,010			
GAS STRANDED COST SURCHARGE RECOVERY	331			
PEAK SHAVING GAS COST RECOVERIES	164			
PIPELINE REFUNDS	49			
COMPETITIVE ENHANCEMENT FUND	51			
OPEB OBLIGATION	4,852			
INTEREST ON PENSION / OPEB OBLIGATIONS	991			
PROPERTY TAX REFUNDS & INTEREST	424			
STORM DAMAGE RESERVE & INTEREST	176			
TOTAL ADDITIONS	\$ 27,583			
<u>DEDUCTIONS</u>				
INVESTMENT IN SUBSIDIARIES	\$ 143,940			
NET RECEIVABLE / PAYABLE - ASSOCIATED COMPANIES	17,623			
TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS	169			
CONSTRUCTION COSTS SUBJECT TO AFUDC	18,264			
GAS STORED UNDERGROUND	49,835			
PENSION OBLIGATION (EXCL. PORTION IN RATE BASE)	1,402			
GAS STORAGE CARRYING CHARGES	199			
NYS INCOME TAX - OVERCOLLECTION PORTION (2000/2001)	124			
NET G.A.C. UNDER COLLECTIONS & INTEREST	4,458			
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	\$ 236,014			
TOTAL CAPITALIZATION	573,101			
AVERAGE RATE BASE AS ADJUSTED	614,661	<u>ELECTRIC</u>	<u>GAS</u>	<u>SUBSIDIARIES OTHER ELECTRIC</u>
ALLOCATION RATIO *	100.00%	392,791	221,870	
RATE BASE (OVER) / UNDER CAPITALIZATION	\$ (41,560)	\$ (22,642)	\$ (16,753)	\$ (2,165)
* ELECTRIC DISCOUNTED FOR SUBSIDIARIES BY	8.73%			

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
ELECTRIC AND COMMON PLANT IN SERVICE  
ESTIMATE OF MONTHLY BALANCES  
(\$000s)

	July-06	Aug-06	Sep-06	Oct-06	Nov-06	Dec-06	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07	
<b>ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE</b>																			
BEGINNING BALANCE	650,015	651,063	653,187	657,208	659,627	664,525	672,809	674,748	676,311	678,626	680,231	698,115	699,811	702,317	704,820	707,319	709,328	711,444	
<b>ADDITIONS</b>																			
DISTRIBUTION	1,094	2,179	2,438	2,497	2,875	4,153	1,845	1,790	2,483	1,626	8,542	2,078	2,677	2,623	2,555	1,813	2,225	2,214	
TRANSMISSION	96	87	1,725	63	2,165	4,284	392	20	70	129	9,161	(347)	23	25	25	351	46	1,755	
GENERAL	294	294	294	294	294	284	139	189	199	287	617	402	243	291	356	281	281	276	
TOTAL ADDITIONS	1,484	2,560	4,457	2,854	5,334	8,721	2,375	1,999	2,751	2,041	18,320	2,132	2,942	2,939	2,938	2,445	2,552	4,246	
<b>RETIREMENTS</b>																			
DISTRIBUTION	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	
TRANSMISSION	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	
GENERAL	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	30.5	
TOTAL RETIREMENTS	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	436.1	
ENDING BALANCE	651,063	653,187	657,208	659,627	664,525	672,809	674,748	676,311	678,626	680,231	698,115	699,811	702,317	704,820	707,319	709,328	711,444	715,253	
<b>COMMON PLANT IN SERVICE</b>																			
BEGINNING BALANCE - COMMON	73,659	73,845	74,136	74,891	75,192	75,377	76,597	77,370	77,319	77,748	77,947	79,297	80,308	81,611	82,082	82,618	83,165	84,472	
BEGINNING BALANCE - CIMS	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	
<b>ADDITIONS</b>																			
CIMS + OTHER @ 100%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
COMMON @ 100%	468	573	1037	583	467	1502	1055	231	710	481	1632	1293	1586	753	817	829	1588	1527	
TOTAL ADDITIONS	467.9	573.1	1,037.2	582.9	466.8	1,501.6	1,055.0	230.9	710.3	481.3	1,631.9	1,292.6	1,585.6	752.8	817.4	829.3	1,588.3	1,527.1	
<b>RETIREMENTS</b>																			
CIMS + OTHER @ 100%	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
COMMON @ 100%	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	282	
TOTAL RETIREMENTS	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	
ENDING BALANCE - COMMON	73,845	74,136	74,891	75,192	75,377	76,597	77,370	77,319	77,748	77,947	79,297	80,308	81,611	82,082	82,618	83,165	84,472	85,717	
ENDING BALANCE - CIMS	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	49,842	

EXHIBIT E-2  
SCHEDULE 4

**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
**ACCUMULATED PROVISION FOR DEPRECIATION**  
**ELECTRIC AND COMMON PLANT IN SERVICE**  
**ESTIMATE OF MONTHLY BALANCES**  
**(\$000s)**

	July-06	Aug-06	Sep-06	Oct-06	Nov-06	Dec-06	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07	
<b>ELECTRIC PLANT IN SERVICE</b>																			
BEGINNING BALANCE	215,920	217,130	218,343	219,563	220,793	222,030	223,279	224,556	225,837	227,124	228,416	229,714	231,053	232,398	233,749	235,109	236,475	237,848	
DISTRIBUTION	863.5	865.4	869.8	874.9	880.2	886.3	895.5	899.2	902.7	907.9	911.0	930.8	935.0	940.7	946.2	951.6	955.2	959.7	
TRANSMISSION	150.8	150.8	150.8	153.9	153.9	157.8	174.3	174.6	174.7	174.7	174.6	192.1	191.3	191.2	191.1	190.9	191.4	191.4	
GENERAL	195.5	197.4	199.3	201.2	203.0	204.9	206.8	207.6	208.8	210.0	211.8	215.9	218.5	220.1	221.6	224.0	225.8	227.6	
NET ADDITIONS AND RETIREMENTS	1,210	1,214	1,220	1,230	1,237	1,249	1,277	1,282	1,286	1,293	1,298	1,339	1,345	1,352	1,359	1,367	1,372	1,379	
ENDING BALANCE	217,130	218,343	219,563	220,793	222,030	223,279	224,556	225,837	227,124	228,416	229,714	231,053	232,398	233,749	235,109	236,475	237,848	239,226	
<b>COMMON PLANT IN SERVICE</b>																			
BEGINNING BALANCE - COMMON	31,226	31,254	31,283	31,314	31,348	31,383	31,420	31,470	31,526	31,581	31,641	31,702	31,765	31,837	31,918	32,004	32,094	32,186	
BEGINNING BALANCE - CIMS	33,173	33,396	33,618	33,841	34,063	34,286	34,508	34,731	34,953	35,176	35,398	35,621	35,843	36,066	36,288	36,511	36,733	36,956	
CIMS + OTHER @ 100%	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	
COMMON @ 100%	27.6	29.4	30.7	34.0	35.4	37.1	50.1	56.0	55.1	59.5	60.5	63.9	71.2	81.4	85.6	90.8	91.1	103.9	
NET ADDITIONS AND RETIREMENTS	250.1	251.9	253.2	256.5	257.9	259.6	272.6	278.5	277.6	282.0	283.0	286.4	293.7	303.9	308.1	313.3	313.6	326.4	
ENDING BALANCE - COMMON	31,254	31,283	31,314	31,348	31,383	31,420	31,470	31,526	31,581	31,641	31,702	31,765	31,837	31,918	32,004	32,094	32,186	32,289	
ENDING BALANCE - CIMS	33,396	33,618	33,841	34,063	34,286	34,508	34,731	34,953	35,176	35,398	35,621	35,843	36,066	36,288	36,511	36,733	36,956	37,178	

EXHIBIT E-2  
SCHEDULE 5

ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
ELECTRIC WORKING CAPITAL - SUMMARY  
(\$000s)

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TWELVE MONTHS ENDED</u>			
	<u>JUNE 30, 2006</u> <u>PER BOOKS</u>	<u>ADJUSTMENTS</u>	<u>JUNE 30, 2006</u> <u>AS ADJUSTED</u>	<u>DEC. 31,</u> <u>2007</u>
OPERATION & MAINTENANCE EXP.	\$ 11,536	\$ 156	\$ 11,692	\$ 18,065
MATERIALS & SUPPLIES	3,848	-	3,848	3,983
PREPAYMENTS	4,698	-	4,698	5,783
WORKING CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS	<u>\$ 20,082</u>	<u>\$ 156</u>	<u>\$ 20,238</u>	<u>\$ 27,830</u>

ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
CASH WORKING CAPITAL - ELECTRIC  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 AND DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(\$000s)

DESCRIPTION	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED				
	JUNE 30, 2006 PER BOOKS	NORMALIZING ADJUSTMENTS (A)	JUNE 30, 2006 AS ADJUSTED	RATE CASE ADJUSTMENTS	DEC. 31, 2007
OPERATION & MAINTENANCE EXP.	\$ 350,790	\$ 1,289	\$ 352,079	\$ 45,530	\$ 397,609
LESS:					
PURCHASED POWER	243,383	39	243,422	4,988	248,410
UNCOLLECTIBLES	2,104	-	2,104	324	2,428
REGULATORY ITEMS (DEFERRED CHARGES)					
DEFERRED PURCHASED POWER	12,070	-	12,070	(14,521)	(2,451)
RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT AMORTIZATION	(17)	-	(17)	967	950
STRAY VOLTAGE AMORTIZATION	-	-	-	2,549	2,549
STORM RESERVE AMORTIZATION	-	-	-	2,881	2,881
ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION	-	-	-	-	-
MGP AMORTIZATION DEFERRALS	-	-	-	2,540	2,540
WEST NYACK AMORTIZATION	-	-	-	90	90
REGULATORY ITEMS (DEFERRED CREDITS)					
MEDICARE PART D	961	-	961	(2,073)	(1,112)
1ST INSTALLS - TRANSFORMERS	-	-	-	(1,695)	(1,695)
OIL SUPPLIER REFUNDS	-	-	-	(577)	(577)
DSM OVERRECOVERIES	-	-	-	(923)	(923)
WORKING CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS	\$ 92,289	\$ 1,250	\$ 93,539	\$ 50,980	\$ 144,519
CASH WORKING CAPITAL @ 1/8	\$ 11,536	\$ 156	\$ 11,692	\$ 6,373	\$ 18,065

(A) See Exhibit E-5, Summary, Page 3 of 3

ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
ELECTRIC WORKING CAPITAL  
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 AND DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(\$000s)

MONTH	MATERIALS & STORES	MATERIALS & STORES	JUNE 30, 2006	NORMALIZING	JUNE 30, 2006	DECEMBER 31, 2007	
	GENERAL	COMMON-					
	EXPENSE	ELECTRIC PORTION*					
JUNE 30, 2005 @50%	\$1,438	\$330	\$1,768	\$0	\$1,768	\$62	\$1,830
JULY 31, 2005	2,822	671	3,494	-	3,494	123	3,617
AUGUST 31, 2005	2,899	668	3,567	-	3,567	125	3,692
SEPTEMBER 30, 2005	2,864	696	3,559	-	3,559	125	3,684
OCTOBER 31, 2005	3,181	727	3,908	-	3,908	137	4,046
NOVEMBER 30, 2005	3,096	685	3,781	-	3,781	133	3,914
DECEMBER 31, 2005	3,202	661	3,864	-	3,864	136	3,999
JANUARY 31, 2006	3,153	613	3,766	-	3,766	132	3,898
FEBRUARY 28, 2006	3,403	613	4,017	-	4,017	141	4,158
MARCH 31, 2006	3,496	630	4,126	-	4,126	145	4,271
APRIL 30, 2006	3,344	726	4,069	-	4,069	143	4,212
MAY 31, 2006	3,441	744	4,184	-	4,184	147	4,331
JUNE 30, 2006 @50%	1,706	363	2,069	-	2,069	73	2,142
<b>TWELVE MONTH TOTAL</b>	<b>\$38,044</b>	<b>\$8,127</b>	<b>\$46,171</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$46,171</b>	<b>\$1,624</b>	<b>\$47,795</b>
<b>TWELVE MONTH AVERAGE</b>	<b>\$3,170</b>	<b>\$677</b>	<b>\$3,848</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,848</b>	<b>\$135</b>	<b>\$3,983</b>

\* COMMON MATERIALS & SUPPLIES ALLOCATED TO ELECTRIC @ 70.75%

EXHIBIT E-2  
SCHEDULE 9

ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
ELECTRIC WORKING CAPITAL  
PREPAYMENTS  
(\$000s)

AVERAGE BALANCE FOR  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDED

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>JUNE 30, 2006</u> <u>PER BOOKS</u>	<u>DEC. 31,</u> <u>2007</u>
LOCAL PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 4,626	\$ 5,708
REMARKET / LIQUIDITY	45	47
INSURANCE	81	84
NYPSC ASSESSMENT	477	494
NYS GROSS RECEIPTS	(1)	(1)
NYS 1% UTILITY TAX	(266)	(275)
NYS 2% AND 2.45% UTILITY TAX	(394)	(408)
INTEREST ON UNFUNDED DEBT	130	135
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TOTAL AVERAGE PREPAYMENTS	<u>\$ 4,698</u>	<u>\$ 5,783</u>

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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

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Electric Sales and Revenues

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ORANGE & ROCKLAND ELECTRIC  
 ELECTRIC SENDOUT, SALES VOLUMES AND REVENUES FROM SALES VOLUMES  
 FORECASTED 6 MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2006 and  
 FORECASTED YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007, DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND DECEMBER 31, 2009

		FORECASTED			
		Forecast Six Months Ended <u>12/31/2006</u> (1)	Forecast Year Ended <u>12/31/2007</u> (2)	Forecast Year Ended <u>12/31/2008</u> (3)	Forecast Year Ended <u>12/31/2009</u> (4)
1	<u>SENDOUT - THOUSAND KILOWATTHOURS</u>	2,239,676	4,334,932	4,405,121	4,467,685
<u>SALES VOLUMES - THOUSAND KILOWATTHOURS</u>					
2	BILLED	2,104,445	4,089,871	4,189,023	4,163,653
3	UNBILLED	<u>14,976</u>	<u>11,383</u>	<u>(21,162)</u>	<u>63,584</u>
4	TOTAL	2,119,421	4,101,254	4,167,861	4,227,237
<u>REVENUES - \$1000</u>					
6	T&D REVENUES AT CURRENT RATES	\$98,815	\$180,753	\$182,423	\$184,608
7	MSC AND ECA REVENUES	\$101,487	\$223,850	\$239,887	\$224,574
8	SYSTEM BENEFIT CHARGE REVENUES	\$2,395	\$4,634	\$4,709	\$4,778
9	REVENUE TAXES	<u>\$2,376</u>	<u>\$4,579</u>	<u>\$4,728</u>	<u>\$4,651</u>
10	SUB-TOTAL	\$205,073	\$413,816	\$431,747	\$418,611
11	INTERCOMPANY FUEL & PSA BILL	<u>\$15,986</u>	<u>\$31,936</u>	<u>\$32,855</u>	<u>\$32,579</u>
12	GRAND TOTAL	\$221,059	\$445,752	\$464,602	\$451,190

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND ELECTRIC**  
**ELECTRIC SALES VOLUMES AND REVENUES FROM SALES VOLUMES BY SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**  
**FORECASTED 6 MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2006**

SC NO.	REVENUES (\$000s)							
	(Thousands KWHR) (Column 1)	Sum of Monthly Billable Demand (MW) (Column 2)	T&D Revenues at Current Rates (Column 3)	Market Supply Charge (Column 4)	Energy Cost Adjustment (Column 5)	System Benefit Charge (Column 6)	Revenue Tax (Column 7)	Total Revenue (Column 8)
1	787,150		51,299	42,436	(263)	890	1,770	96,132
19	57,978		3,563	2,443	(20)	66	34	6,086
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>845,128</b>		<b>54,862</b>	<b>44,879</b>	<b>(283)</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>1,804</b>	<b>102,218</b>
2	461,955	1,599	25,506	22,507	(150)	522	273	48,658
20	12,926	33	550	449	(4)	15	6	1,016
<b>Total Secondary</b>	<b>474,881</b>	<b>1,632</b>	<b>26,056</b>	<b>22,956</b>	<b>(154)</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>49,674</b>
2	14,470	47	688	551	(5)	16	7	1,257
3	197,366	464	5,221	7,669	(62)	223	74	13,125
9	131,635	311	3,288	4,568	(42)	149	45	8,008
9 substation	46,354	78	618	2,410	(14)	52	17	3,083
9 transmission	3,412	6	27	0	(1)	4	0	30
21	18,863	39	478	754	(6)	21	7	1,254
22	127,722	257	2,205	4,143	(40)	144	37	6,489
22 substation	10,892	18	114	0	(3)	12	1	124
22 transmission	128,762	214	805	6,397	(41)	146	41	7,348
25	33,200	1,334	344	2,386	(12)	38	15	2,771
<b>Total Primary</b>	<b>712,676</b>	<b>2,768</b>	<b>13,788</b>	<b>28,878</b>	<b>(226)</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>43,489</b>
04	10,621		1,276	253	(4)	12	9	1,546
05	1,710		138	36	0	2	1	177
16	7,478		663	381	(2)	8	5	1,055
<b>Total Lighting</b>	<b>19,809</b>		<b>2,077</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>(6)</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2,778</b>
<b>Total Public Authority</b>	<b>51,951</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>3,843</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5,353</b>
<b>Total Billed</b>	<b>2,104,445</b>	<b>4,495</b>	<b>98,210</b>	<b>101,226</b>	<b>(669)</b>	<b>2,378</b>	<b>2,367</b>	<b>203,512</b>
<b>Total Unbilled</b>	<b>14,976</b>		<b>605</b>	<b>969</b>	<b>(39)</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1,561</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>2,119,421</b>	<b>4,495</b>	<b>98,815</b>	<b>102,195</b>	<b>(708)</b>	<b>2,395</b>	<b>2,376</b>	<b>205,073</b>
								Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill
								15,986
								<b>Grand Total Revenue</b>
								<b>221,059</b>

Note: Excludes Company Use Revenues and Sales

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND ELECTRIC  
ELECTRIC SALES VOLUMES AND REVENUES FROM SALES VOLUMES BY SERVICE CLASSIFICATION  
FORECASTED 12 MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2007**

SC NO.	REVENUES (\$000s)							
	Volumes (Thousands KWHR) (Column 1)	Sum of Monthly Billable Demand (MW) (Column 2)	T&D Revenues at Current Rates (Column 3)	Market Supply Charge (Column 4)	Energy Cost Adjustment (Column 5)	System Benefit Charge (Column 6)	Revenue Tax (Column 7)	Total Revenue (Column 8)
1	1,507,762		94,334	96,760	(911)	1,703	3,357	195,243
19	106,126		5,707	5,399	(64)	120	63	11,225
Total Residential	1,613,888		100,041	102,159	(975)	1,823	3,420	206,468
2	903,554	3,244	47,194	50,886	(546)	1,021	556	99,111
20	27,711	68	935	1,184	(17)	31	12	2,145
Total Secondary	931,265	3,312	48,129	52,070	(563)	1,052	568	101,256
2	29,095	92	1,163	1,263	(18)	33	13	2,454
3	405,962	974	10,242	17,240	(246)	459	156	27,851
9	268,575	638	6,033	9,834	(162)	304	90	16,099
9 substation	100,931	170	1,209	5,387	(61)	114	38	6,687
9 transmission	7,818	13	55	0	(5)	9	0	59
21	37,663	78	781	1,533	(23)	43	13	2,347
22	261,954	526	4,105	9,171	(159)	296	76	13,489
22 substation	22,654	36	213	0	(14)	26	1	226
22 transmission	214,463	356	1,314	12,797	(129)	242	80	14,304
25	57,200	2,414	645	4,952	(34)	65	32	5,660
Total Primary	1,406,315	5,297	25,760	62,177	(851)	1,591	499	89,176
04	20,509		2,558	524	(13)	23	17	3,109
05	3,423		279	82	(1)	4	1	365
16	15,091		1,328	915	(9)	17	13	2,264
Total Lighting	39,023		4,165	1,521	(23)	44	31	5,738
Total Public Authority	99,380	182	2,286	8,076	(31)	111	56	10,498
<b>Total Billed</b>	<b>4,089,871</b>	<b>8,791</b>	<b>180,381</b>	<b>226,003</b>	<b>(2,443)</b>	<b>4,621</b>	<b>4,574</b>	<b>413,136</b>
Total Unbilled	11,383		372	298	(8)	13	5	680
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,101,254</b>	<b>8,791</b>	<b>180,753</b>	<b>226,301</b>	<b>(2,451)</b>	<b>4,634</b>	<b>4,579</b>	<b>413,816</b>
						Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill		31,936
						<b>Grand Total Revenue</b>		<b>445,752</b>

Note: Excludes Company Use Revenues and Sales

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND ELECTRIC**  
**ELECTRIC SALES VOLUMES AND REVENUES FROM SALES VOLUMES BY SERVICE CLASSIFICATION**  
**FORECASTED 12 MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008**

SC NO.	Volumes (Thousands KWHR) (Column 1)	Sum of Monthly Billable Demand (MW) (Column 2)	REVENUES (\$000s)					Total Revenue (Column 8)
			T&D Revenues at Current Rates (Column 3)	Market Supply Charge (Column 4)	Energy Cost Adjustment (Column 5)	System Benefit Charge (Column 6)	Revenue Tax (Column 7)	
1	1,558,214		96,215	107,004	33	1,761	3,477	208,490
19	109,591		5,812	5,859	2	124	67	11,864
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>1,667,805</b>		<b>102,027</b>	<b>112,863</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1,885</b>	<b>3,544</b>	<b>220,354</b>
2	932,025	3,346	48,182	56,035	20	1,053	594	105,884
20	28,613	69	948	1,259	1	32	13	2,253
<b>Total Secondary</b>	<b>960,638</b>	<b>3,415</b>	<b>49,130</b>	<b>57,294</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>108,137</b>
2	30,014	94	1,181	1,352	1	34	15	2,583
3	409,685	982	10,338	17,746	9	463	161	28,717
9	271,107	650	6,118	9,368	6	306	89	15,887
9 substation	102,008	172	1,221	3,851	2	115	29	5,218
9 transmission	7,883	13	55	0	0	9	0	64
21	38,005	79	788	1,498	1	43	13	2,343
22	264,369	531	4,147	8,001	6	299	70	12,523
22 substation	22,838	36	214	0	1	26	1	242
22 transmission	215,270	357	1,318	13,756	5	244	86	15,409
25	58,700	2,522	660	5,399	1	66	35	6,161
<b>Total Primary</b>	<b>1,419,879</b>	<b>5,436</b>	<b>26,040</b>	<b>60,971</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>89,147</b>
04	20,799		2,553	454	1	23	17	3,048
05	3,469		283	82	0	4	2	371
16	15,300		1,329	997	0	17	14	2,357
<b>Total Lighting</b>	<b>39,568</b>		<b>4,165</b>	<b>1,533</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>5,776</b>
<b>Total Public Authority</b>	<b>101,133</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>1,904</b>	<b>8,871</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>10,949</b>
<b>Total Billed</b>	<b>4,189,023</b>	<b>9,038</b>	<b>183,266</b>	<b>241,532</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>4,732</b>	<b>4,743</b>	<b>434,363</b>
<b>Total Unbilled</b>	<b>(21,162)</b>		<b>(843)</b>	<b>(1,734)</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>(23)</b>	<b>(15)</b>	<b>(2,616)</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,167,861</b>	<b>9,038</b>	<b>182,423</b>	<b>239,798</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>4,709</b>	<b>4,728</b>	<b>431,747</b>
						Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill		32,855
						<b>Grand Total Revenue</b>		<b>464,602</b>

Note: Excludes Company Use Revenues and Sales

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND ELECTRIC  
ELECTRIC SALES VOLUMES AND REVENUES FROM SALES VOLUMES BY SERVICE CLASSIFICATION  
FORECASTED 12 MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2009**

SC NO.	REVENUES (\$000s)								
	Volumes (Thousands KWHR) (Column 1)	Sum of Monthly Billable Demand (MW) (Column 2)	T&D Revenues at Current Rates (Column 3)	Market Supply Charge (Column 4)	Energy Cost Adjustment (Column 5)	System Benefit Charge (Column 6)	Revenue Tax (Column 7)	Total Revenue (Column 8)	
1	1,548,699		95,860	100,711	13	1,750	3,431	201,765	
19	108,872		5,783	5,438	1	123	64	11,409	
<b>Total Residential</b>	<b>1,657,571</b>		<b>101,643</b>	<b>106,149</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1,873</b>	<b>3,495</b>	<b>213,174</b>	
2	931,182	3,343	48,128	52,988	8	1,052	577	102,753	
20	28,600	69	947	1,155	0	33	12	2,147	
<b>Total Secondary</b>	<b>959,782</b>	<b>3,412</b>	<b>49,075</b>	<b>54,143</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>104,900</b>	
2	29,993	94	1,182	1,237	0	34	14	2,467	
3	404,502	971	10,161	15,768	4	457	149	26,539	
9	267,454	633	5,943	7,579	2	302	78	13,904	
9 substation	100,755	171	1,201	1,726	1	114	17	3,059	
9 transmission	7,815	14	59	0	0	9	0	68	
21	37,492	76	754	1,261	1	43	12	2,071	
22	261,279	525	4,079	6,186	2	295	59	10,621	
22 substation	22,583	37	216	0	0	26	1	243	
22 transmission	212,259	351	1,293	12,826	2	240	81	14,442	
25	60,200	2,583	667	5,204	1	68	34	5,974	
<b>Total Primary</b>	<b>1,404,332</b>	<b>5,455</b>	<b>25,555</b>	<b>51,787</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>79,388</b>	
04	20,958		2,550	368	0	24	17	2,959	
05	3,496		285	72	0	4	1	362	
16	15,419		1,327	945	0	18	13	2,303	
<b>Total Lighting</b>	<b>39,873</b>		<b>4,162</b>	<b>1,385</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>5,624</b>	
<b>Total Public Authority</b>	<b>102,095</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>1,897</b>	<b>8,441</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>10,511</b>	
<b>Total Billed</b>	<b>4,163,653</b>	<b>9,054</b>	<b>182,332</b>	<b>221,905</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>4,706</b>	<b>4,619</b>	<b>413,597</b>	
<b>Total Unbilled</b>	<b>63,584</b>		<b>2,276</b>	<b>2,634</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>5,014</b>	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,227,237</b>	<b>9,054</b>	<b>184,608</b>	<b>224,539</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>4,778</b>	<b>4,651</b>	<b>418,611</b>	
								<b>Intercompany Fuel &amp; PSA Bill</b>	<b>32,579</b>
								<b>Grand Total Revenue</b>	<b>451,190</b>

Note: Excludes Company Use Revenues and Sales

 BINDING PRODUCTS 800.926.1411

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

INDEX OF SCHEDULES

Electric Operating Income for the Twelve Months  
Ended June 30, 2006 and December 31, 2007

<u>SCHEDULE</u>	<u>TITLE OF SCHEDULE</u>	<u>WITNESS</u>
1	Electric Operating Income	R. A. Kane
2	Electric Income Statement	"
3	Sales Delivery and Net Revenue Margins	"
4	Pension/Environmental/R&D/Deferral Surcharge	"
5	Other Operating Revenues - Electric	"
6	Plant Depreciation Expense	"
7	Taxes Other Than Income Taxes - Electric	"
8	State Income Tax Expense - Electric	"
9	Federal Income Tax - Electric	"
10	Interest Expense - Electric	"
11	Fund Requirements and Sources	"

EXHIBIT E-4  
SCHEDULE 1

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

Electric Operating Income

For The Twelve Months Ended June 30, 2006 and December 31, 2007

(\$000s)

	Normalized Test Year The Twelve Months Ended June 30, 2006	Adjustments	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2007
<u>Operating Revenues</u>			
Sales to Public	\$417,374	(3,558)	\$413,816
Surcharge For Regulatory True-ups	-	34,687	34,687
Sales for Resale	31,747	(3,257)	28,490
Delivery Revenues	449,121	27,871	476,992
Other Operating Revenues	8,358	6,249	14,607
 Total Operating Revenues	 457,479	 34,120	 491,600
<u>Operating Expenses</u>			
Production & Purchases	259,446	(10,004)	249,442
Transmission	4,698	515	5,213
Distribution	30,862	26,751	57,613
Customer Accounts	13,572	898	14,470
Customer Service	7,491	(963)	6,528
Sales Promotion	8	0	8
Admin. & General	36,001	28,333	64,333
 Subtotal Operating Expenses	 352,078	 45,530	 397,607
Depreciation and Amortization	22,045	1,139	23,184
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	27,554	(11,813)	15,741
 Total Electric Operating Revenue Deductions	 401,677	 34,855	 436,532
 Electric Operating Income Before Income Taxes	 55,803	 (735)	 55,068
<u>Income Taxes</u>			
State Income Taxes	3,423	(420)	3,003
Federal Income Tax	15,482	564	16,046
Deferred Federal Income Taxes	(2,767)	722	(2,045)
Amortization of Deferred 263A and ITC	(430)	(63)	(493)
 Total Income Taxes	 15,708	 803	 16,511
 Electric Operating Income	 \$40,095	 (\$1,538)	 \$38,557

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
ELECTRIC INCOME STATEMENT  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 AND DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(\$000s)

	12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006		EARNINGS TEST NORMALIZATION ADJUSTMENTS		12 MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006		12 MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007		Adjusted
	PER BOOKS	REF	AMOUNT	AS ADJUSTED	REF	AMOUNT	CHANGE		
<b>OPERATING REVENUES</b>									
SALES & DELIVERIES TO PUBLIC	\$417,374		-	\$417,374	E-3, Sch 2	(3,558)	\$413,816	\$0	\$413,816
SURCHARGE FOR REG. TRUE-UPS / DEFERRALS	-		-	-	E-4, Sch3	34,687	34,687	-	34,687
SALES FOR RESALE	32,402	E-3, Sch 3	(655)	31,747	E-3, Sch 3	(3,257)	28,490	-	28,490
DELIVERY REVENUES	449,776		(655)	449,121		27,871	476,992	-	476,992
OTHER OPERATING REVENUES	1,876	E-4, Sch 3	6,482	8,358	E-4, Sch 3	6,249	14,607	-	14,607
<b>TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>451,652</b>		<b>5,827</b>	<b>457,479</b>		<b>34,120</b>	<b>491,600</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>491,600</b>
<b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>									
PURCHASED POWER	243,383		39	243,422	E-5, Sch 1	4,988	248,410	-	248,410
DEFERRED PURCHASED POWER	12,070		-	12,070	E-5, Sch 1	(14,521)	(2,451)	-	(2,451)
OTHER	95,336		1,250	96,586	E-5, Summary	55,063	151,649	-	151,649
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES</b>	<b>350,789</b>		<b>1,289</b>	<b>352,078</b>		<b>45,530</b>	<b>397,608</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>397,608</b>
DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION EXPENSE	22,045		-	22,045	E-4, Sch 5	1,139	23,184	-	23,184
TAXES OTHER THAN INCOME TAXES	27,331	E-4, Sch 6	223	27,554	E-4, Sch 6	(11,813)	15,741	-	15,741
<b>TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE DEDUCTIONS</b>	<b>400,165</b>		<b>1,512</b>	<b>401,677</b>		<b>34,855</b>	<b>436,533</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>436,533</b>
<b>OPERATING INCOME BEFORE F.I.T.</b>	<b>51,487</b>		<b>4,315</b>	<b>55,802</b>		<b>(735)</b>	<b>55,067</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>55,067</b>
<b>INCOME TAXES</b>									
STATE INCOME TAXES	2,956	E-4, Sch 7	467	3,423	E-4, Sch 7	(420)	3,003	-	3,003
FEDERAL INCOME TAX	13,358	E-4, Sch 8	2,124	15,482	E-4, Sch 8	564	16,046	-	16,046
DEFERRED FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	(2,661)	E-4, Sch 8	(106)	(2,767)	E-4, Sch 8	722	(2,045)	-	(2,045)
AMORTIZATION OF DEFERRED TAXES	(430)		-	(430)	E-4, Sch 8	(63)	(493)	-	(493)
<b>TOTAL INCOME TAXES</b>	<b>13,223</b>		<b>2,485</b>	<b>15,708</b>		<b>803</b>	<b>16,511</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,511</b>
<b>OPERATING INCOME</b>	<b>\$38,264</b>		<b>\$1,830</b>	<b>\$40,094</b>		<b>(\$1,538)</b>	<b>\$38,556</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$38,556</b>
<b>ELECTRIC RATE BASE</b>									
ELECTRIC RATE BASE	\$392,788	E-2, Sch 1	\$0	\$392,788	E-2, Sch 1	\$66,357	\$459,145		\$459,145
EBCAP ADJUSTMENT TO ELECTRIC RATE BASE	(22,642)	E-2, Sch 3	-	(22,642)	E-2, Sch 3	-	(22,642)		(22,642)
<b>TOTAL ELECTRIC RATE BASE</b>	<b>\$370,146</b>		<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$370,146</b>		<b>\$66,357</b>	<b>\$436,503</b>		<b>\$436,503</b>
<b>RATE OF RETURN</b>	<b>10.34%</b>			<b>10.83%</b>			<b>8.83%</b>		<b>8.83%</b>
<b>RETURN ON EQUITY</b>	<b>14.67%</b>			<b>15.69%</b>			<b>11.63%</b>		<b>11.63%</b>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
 COMPUTATION OF REVENUE REQUIREMENT - ELECTRIC  
 TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007  
 (\$000s)

	Amount
RATE BASE (Exhibit E-2, Summary)	\$ 459,145
EARNINGS BASE/CAPITALIZATION ADJUSTMENT (Exhibit E-4, Schedule 8)	(22,642)
INDICATED RATE BASE	\$ 436,503
RATE OF RETURN (Exhibit E-8, Schedule 1)	8.83%
TOTAL RETURN REQUIRED	\$ 38,556
EARNED RETURN (Exhibit E-4, Schedule 2, Page 1)	38,556
ADDITIONAL RETURN REQUIRED	\$ -
DIVIDED BY RETENTION FACTOR *	59.18%
ADDITIONAL REVENUE REQUIREMENT	\$ -

\* CALCULATION OF RETENTION FACTOR:

	%	Amount
ADDITIONAL REVENUE	100.00%	\$ -
LESS: REVENUE TAXES	1.10%	0
: UNCOLLECTIBLES	0.48%	0
SUBTOTAL	98.42%	0
LESS: SIT ON ABOVE @ 7.5%	7.38%	0
: FIT ON ABOVE @ 35%	31.86%	0
	59.18%	\$ -

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
SALES, DELIVERIES AND NET REVENUE MARGINS  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007, 2008 & 2009  
(5000s)

	2007	2008	2009
<b>Delivery Revenue</b>			
Residential	\$ 100,041	\$ 102,027	\$ 101,643
Secondary	48,129	49,130	49,075
Primary	25,780	26,040	25,555
Lighting	4,165	4,165	4,162
Public Authority	2,286	1,904	1,897
Unbilled	372	(843)	2,276
Total	180,753	182,423	184,608
<b>Market Supply Charge</b>			
Residential	102,159	112,883	106,149
Secondary	52,070	57,294	54,143
Primary	62,177	60,971	51,787
Lighting	1,521	1,533	1,385
Public Authority	8,076	8,871	8,441
Unbilled	298	(1,734)	2,634
Total	226,301	235,798	224,539
<b>Energy Cost Adjustment</b>			
Residential	(975)	35	14
Secondary	(563)	21	8
Primary	(851)	32	13
Lighting	(23)	1	-
Public Authority	(31)	1	-
Unbilled	(8)	(1)	-
Total	(2,451)	89	35
<b>SBC Revenue</b>			
Residential	1,823	1,885	1,873
Secondary	1,052	1,085	1,085
Primary	1,591	1,605	1,588
Lighting	44	44	46
Public Authority	111	113	114
Unbilled	13	(23)	72
Total	4,634	4,705	4,778
<b>Tax Recovery Revenue</b>			
Residential	3,420	3,544	3,495
Secondary	568	607	589
Primary	499	499	445
Lighting	31	33	31
Public Authority	56	60	59
Unbilled	5	(15)	32
Total	4,579	4,728	4,651
<b>Sales and Deliveries To Public</b>			
	413,816	431,747	418,611
<b>Intercompany Fuel &amp; PSA Bill</b>			
Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill	31,936	32,855	32,579
Total	31,936	32,855	32,579
<b>Total Revenue (excluding Surcharge)</b>	\$ 445,752	\$ 464,602	\$ 451,190
<b>Current Power Costs</b>			
MSC Costs Excl WP & Co. Use	226,301	239,798	224,539
ECA Costs	-	-	-
Company Use Costs	1,202	1,298	1,238
Purchased Power Costs - Resales	20,907	21,130	20,571
Total	248,410	262,226	246,348
<b>Deferred Power Costs</b>			
MSC Deferred Cost	-	-	-
ECA Deferred Cost	(2,451)	89	35
Total	(2,451)	89	35
<b>Total Purchased Power Expense</b>	245,959	262,315	246,383
<b>Total Net Revenue</b>	\$ 180,753	\$ 182,423	\$ 184,608
<b>Mwh Sales Excl Company Use</b>	4,101,254	4,167,861	4,227,237
<b>Avg Margin per Mwh</b>	\$ 0.04407	\$ 0.04377	\$ 0.04367
<b>Sales for Resale</b>			
Sales for Resale	31,936	32,855	32,579
Less: Purchased Power Costs - Resales	(20,907)	(21,130)	(20,571)
Joint Use Rents (See E-4, Sched 5)	(3,446)	(3,446)	(3,446)
Power Supply Fixed Charges	(7,583)	(8,278)	(8,561)
	(0)	0	0

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
 CALCULATION OF PENSION / ENVIRONMENTAL / R&D / DEFERRAL SURCHARGE  
 FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007  
 (\$000s)

<u>EXPENSES SUBJECT TO TRUE UP</u>	<u>EXH / SCH.</u>	<u>2007 EXPENDITURES</u>	<u>CURRENT RATE ALLOWANCE</u>	<u>2007 SURCHARGE</u>
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT	E-5, SCH 5	\$ 991	\$ -	\$ 991
FAS 87 PENSION COSTS	E-5, SCH 6	14,694	1,895	12,799
FAS 106 OPEB COSTS *	E-5, SCH 6	5,797	221	5,576
ENVIRONMENTAL				
- MGP EXPENDITURES	E-5, SCH 8	5,786	-	5,786
- WEST NYACK & OTHER	E-5, SCH 8	311	-	311
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TOTAL CURRENT SURCHARGE		27,579	2,116	25,463
SURCHARGE TO RECOVER DEFERRED COSTS (PAGE 2)				<hr/> 8,681
SUBTOTAL				34,144
GROSS RECEIPTS TAX (1.11%)	E-4, SCH 5			379
UNCOLLECTIBLE ACCOUNTS (0.48%)	E-5, SCH 7			164
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TOTAL SURCHARGE				<u>\$ 34,687</u>

\* excludes amortization of Transitional Obligation of \$1,817

**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
**AMORTIZATION OF REGULATORY DEFERRALS**  
**DEFERRED BALANCES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2006**

Regulatory Deferrals @ 12/31/06	Account	Exh. / Sched.	Balance	Netting of Credits	Balance 12/31/06	Annual Amortization Surcharge		
			12/31/2006	Against Deferrals	After Netting	2007	2008	2009
Pensions	182321	E-5, SCH 6	12,362,510	-	12,362,510	4,120,837	4,120,837	4,120,837
OPEBs - Current	182323	E-5, SCH 6	14,164,396	-	14,164,396	4,721,465	4,721,465	4,721,465
- Transitional Obligation (a)	182323	E-5, SCH 6	10,904,984	-	10,904,984	(a)	(a)	(a)
- Medicare Part D Tax Benefits	254540	E-5, SCH 6	(3,335,665)	-	(3,335,665)	(1,111,888)	(1,111,888)	(1,111,888)
Environmental Remediation - MGP Deferral	182377	E-5, SCH 8	45,976,707	(45,976,707)	-	-	-	-
- MGP Interest	182376	E-5, SCH 8	767,571	(767,571)	-	-	-	-
- Accrual (70.75%)	242375	E-5, SCH 8	(34,005,063)	34,005,063	-	-	-	-
- W. Nyack	182372/4	E-5, SCH 8	451,904	(451,904)	-	-	-	-
Stray Voltage Program	182485	E-5, SCH 5	2,548,831	(2,548,831)	-	-	-	-
Interest on Disallowed Tax Deductions	182469	E-4, SCH 3	1,472,312	(1,472,312)	-	-	-	-
Storm Reserve	182373	E-5, SCH 5	1,743,132	(2,881,137)	(1,138,005)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Research & Development	188100	E-5, SCH 5	2,851,338	-	2,851,338	950,446	950,446	950,446
<b>Total</b>			<b>55,902,956</b>	<b>(20,093,399)</b>	<b>35,809,558</b>	<b>8,680,860</b>	<b>8,680,860</b>	<b>8,680,860</b>
<b>Regulatory Liabilities @ 12/31/06</b>								
Oil Supplier Refunds (70%)	253151/064	E-5, SCH 5	(576,921)	576,921	-	-	-	-
Gain - Sale of Wurtsboro Property	254385	E-4, SCH 3	(94,068)	94,068	-	-	-	-
DSM Overrecoveries	254401	E-5, SCH 5	(922,756)	922,756	-	-	-	-
Property Tax True-up	254439/182439	E-4, SCH 5	(5,278,593)	5,278,593	-	-	-	-
Property Tax Refunds - Ramapo	254530	E-4, SCH 5	(612,609)	612,609	-	-	-	-
- Clarkstown	254096	E-4, SCH 5	(847,574)	847,574	-	-	-	-
- Orangetown (75%)	254083	E-4, SCH 5	(105,750)	105,750	-	-	-	-
- Haverstraw (75%)	254084	E-4, SCH 5	(1,768,560)	1,768,560	-	-	-	-
SIT Benefits - Pre-2000	229115	E-4, SCH 5	(6,973,000)	6,973,000	-	-	-	-
- Rate Changes (Electric)	254700	E-4, SCH 5	(629,700)	629,700	-	-	-	-
Capitalization of 1st Install of Transformers	229103	E-5, SCH 5	(1,695,326)	1,695,326	-	-	-	-
Performance Penalties - 2001	229185	E-4, SCH 3	(97,464)	97,464	-	-	-	-
- 2004	229190	E-4, SCH 3	(115,000)	115,000	-	-	-	-
- 2005	229193	E-4, SCH 3	(130,000)	130,000	-	-	-	-
- 2006	229101	E-4, SCH 3	(246,078)	246,078	-	-	-	-
			<b>(20,093,399)</b>	<b>20,093,399</b>	-	-	-	-
Recoveries less Refunds			<b>35,809,557</b>	-	<b>35,809,558</b>	<b>8,680,860</b>	<b>8,680,860</b>	<b>8,680,860</b>

(a) annual amortization of transitional obligation is \$1,817,000 included in base rates. Amortization will be completed 12/31/12.  
(b) actual incremental storm costs would be charged against the reserve.

**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
**OTHER OPERATING REVENUES - ELECTRIC**  
**FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 &**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2007**  
**(5000s)**

	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06		EARNINGS TEST NORMALIZING		TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06		RATE CASE		RATE YEAR AS	PROPOSED RATE	RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED FOR PROPOSED
	PER BOOKS		REF.	AMOUNT	AS ADJUSTED		AMOUNT	ADJUSTED	INCREASE	RATE INCREASE	
<b>MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE &amp; OTHER REVENUES</b>											
Late Payment Charges (A/C 456301), (A/C 456330)	2,154			-	2,154		(18)	2,136	-	-	2,136
3rd Party Wheeling (A/C 456800) (M.S.C.)	278			-	278		(278)	-	-	-	-
Carrying Charge Joint Use Facilities (A/C 456801)	191			-	191		(9)	185	-	-	185
Customer Reconnect Fees (A/C 451102)	60			-	60		-	60	-	-	60
Property Tax Sharing Incentives (A/C 456651)	46			(42)	4		(4)	-	-	-	-
Switching Stations (A/C 456080) , (A/C 456090) , (A/C 456095)	39			-	39		(39)	-	-	-	-
Bad Check Charge (A/C 456401)	35			-	35		-	35	-	-	35
Sundry System - Prior Period Write Offs (A/C 456970) / (A/C 456975)	(61)			-	(61)		61	-	-	-	-
Accom Work (A/C 451103) / (A/C456201) / (A/C456210)	(234)			-	(234)		234	-	-	-	-
All Other	(3)			-	(3)		3	-	-	-	-
Total Other Operating Revenues	2,505			(42)	2,463		(47)	2,416	-	-	2,416
<b>RENTS</b>											
Rent from Electric Property - Pole Attachments	1,406			-	1,406		(214)	1,192	-	-	1,192
- Cell Towers	736			-	736		3	739	-	-	739
- Transformers	1			-	1		-	1	-	-	1
Intercompany Billing - Joint Use Rents	2,900			-	2,900		547	3,446	-	-	3,446
	5,043			-	5,043		336	5,378	-	-	5,378
<b>REVENUE SUBJECT TO REFUND</b>											
2000 S.I.T. Transitional Tax Benefits (A/C 229110)	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	6,973	6,973	-	-	6,973
Amort Deferred SIT Over / Under Recovery (A/C 449110)	853			-	853		(853)	-	-	-	-
Deferred SIT Rate Changes (254700)	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	630	630	-	-	630
Interest on IRS disallowance of SSCM Deduction	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	(1,472)	(1,472)	-	-	(1,472)
Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2001 Electric Restoration Goal (A/C 229185)	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	97	97	-	-	97
Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2004 Electric Restoration Goal (A/C 22919C)	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	115	115	-	-	115
Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2005 Electric Restoration Goal (A/C 229192)	(130)			130	-	E-4, Sch 3	130	130	-	-	130
Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2006 Electric Restoration Goal (A/C 229101)	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	248	246	-	-	246
Gain - Sale of Wurtsbury Property (A/C 254385)	-			-	-	E-4, Sch 3	94	94	-	-	94
Accum Prov For Rate Refund: Overearnings Accrual (A/C 449195)	(6,394)			6,394	-		-	-	-	-	-
Total Revenue Subject To Refund	(5,671)			6,524	853		5,660	6,813	-	-	6,813
<b>TOTAL OTHER OPERATING REVENUES</b>	<b>\$ 1,876</b>			<b>\$ 6,482</b>	<b>\$ 6,358</b>		<b>\$ 6,249</b>	<b>\$ 14,607</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 14,607</b>



	Jun-06	Jul-06	Aug-06	Sep-06	Oct-06	Nov-06	Dec-06
Light Trucks		0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950
Heavy Trucks		0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920
General Equipment		0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190
Data Handling Equipment		0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760
Easements		-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers		-	-	-	-	-	-

**Electric Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	1,184.7	1,186.6	1,191.0	1,196.1	1,201.4	1,207.5	
Transmission	235.2	235.2	235.2	238.3	238.3	242.2	
Trans And Distr Future	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Information System	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	
Intangible Plant	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	
Office Buildings	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	
Office Furniture	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.4	
Automobiles	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	
Light Trucks	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	
Heavy Trucks	56.9	56.9	56.9	56.9	56.9	56.9	
General Equipment	6.4	8.4	10.4	12.4	14.4	16.4	
Data Handling Equipment	34.0	33.9	33.8	33.7	33.6	33.5	
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,645.9</b>	<b>1,649.7</b>	<b>1,655.9</b>	<b>1,666.0</b>	<b>1,673.2</b>	<b>1,685.1</b>	

**Electric Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to Clearing Accounts @ 100%:**

Information System	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5	17.5
Automobiles	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Light Trucks	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6	19.6
Heavy Trucks	56.9	56.9	56.9	56.9	56.9	56.9
General Equipment	6.4	8.4	10.4	12.4	14.4	16.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>102.4</b>	<b>104.4</b>	<b>106.4</b>	<b>108.4</b>	<b>110.4</b>	<b>112.4</b>

**Electric Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to Income Statement @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	1,184.7	1,186.6	1,191.0	1,196.1	1,201.4	1,207.5
Transmission	235.2	235.2	235.2	238.3	238.3	242.2
Trans And Distr Future	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Intangible Plant	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3
Office Buildings	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6
Office Furniture	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.4	78.4
Data Handling Equipment	34.0	33.9	33.8	33.7	33.6	33.5
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,543.5</b>	<b>1,545.3</b>	<b>1,549.5</b>	<b>1,557.6</b>	<b>1,562.8</b>	<b>1,572.7</b>

**Common Plant @ 100%**

**Common Plant In Service Beginning Balance:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	10,157.1	10,157.1	10,232.2	10,234.1	10,295.9	10,287.3
Intangible Plant	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0
Office Buildings	41,874.8	41,874.8	41,816.8	41,935.4	42,242.3	42,334.3
Office Furniture	3,663.7	3,663.7	3,644.7	3,625.7	3,606.7	3,587.7
Automobiles	348.5	348.5	350.6	352.6	354.7	356.7
Light Trucks	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1
Heavy Trucks	549.3	549.3	708.6	867.9	1,027.2	1,186.5
General Equipment	367.1	367.1	458.4	551.6	860.6	1,000.7
Data Handling Equipment	12,970.8	12,970.8	12,906.0	12,841.2	12,776.4	12,711.6
Easements	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>123,501.4</b>	<b>123,501.4</b>	<b>123,687.4</b>	<b>123,978.5</b>	<b>124,733.9</b>	<b>125,034.8</b>

**Common Plant Additions:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	210.9	137.7	197.6	127.2	206.8	1,320.9
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	-	176.6	364.9	150.0	-	-
Office Furniture	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
Automobiles	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3	159.3
General Equipment	91.3	93.1	309.0	140.0	94.3	15.1
Data Handling Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>467.9</b>	<b>573.1</b>	<b>1,037.2</b>	<b>582.9</b>	<b>466.8</b>	<b>1,501.6</b>

**Common Plant Retirements:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8	135.8
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.0
Office Furniture	23.3	23.3	23.3	23.3	23.3	23.3
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-

	Jun-06	Jul-06	Aug-06	Sep-06	Oct-06	Nov-06	Dec-06
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Data Handling Equipment	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8	64.8
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9	281.9

**Common Plant Ending Balance:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	10,157.1	10,232.2	10,234.1	10,295.9	10,287.3	10,358.3	11,543.4
Intangible Plant	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0	51,077.0
Office Buildings	41,874.8	41,816.8	41,935.4	42,242.3	42,334.3	42,276.3	42,218.3
Office Furniture	3,663.7	3,644.7	3,625.7	3,606.7	3,587.7	3,568.7	3,549.6
Automobiles	348.5	350.6	352.6	354.7	356.7	358.8	360.8
Light Trucks	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1
Heavy Trucks	549.3	708.6	867.9	1,027.2	1,186.5	1,345.8	1,505.1
General Equipment	367.1	458.4	551.6	660.6	1,000.7	1,095.0	1,110.1
Data Handling Equipment	12,970.8	12,906.0	12,841.2	12,776.4	12,711.6	12,646.8	12,582.0
Easements	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0
Total	123,501.4	123,687.4	123,878.5	124,733.9	125,034.8	125,219.7	126,439.5

**Common Plant Depreciation Rates:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832
Office Furniture	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640
Automobiles	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043
Light Trucks	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134
Heavy Trucks	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464
General Equipment	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358
Data Handling Equipment	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	105.8	106.6	106.6	107.2	107.2	107.9	107.9
Intangible Plant - Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4
Plant Field Order Route Design	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Software New Bus Proj Management	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Software Data Pipe	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Blue Hill	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Total Amortizations	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5
Office Buildings	76.7	76.6	76.8	77.4	77.6	77.5	77.5
Office Furniture	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.7	16.6	16.6	16.6
Automobiles	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	4.1	5.3	6.5	7.7	8.9	10.0	10.0
General Equipment	1.6	2.0	2.4	3.8	4.4	4.8	4.8
Data Handling Equipment	83.5	83.1	82.7	82.3	81.8	81.4	81.4
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	532.0	533.8	535.1	538.5	539.9	541.6	541.6

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to**

**Clearing Accounts:**

Information System	105.8	106.6	106.6	107.2	107.2	107.9
Automobiles	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	4.1	5.3	6.5	7.7	8.9	10.0
General Equipment	1.6	2.0	2.4	3.8	4.4	4.8
Total	132.3	134.7	136.3	139.6	141.4	143.6

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Allocated:**

Unallocated @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant - Amortizations @ 75.97%	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5
Plant Field Order Route Design	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Software New Bus Proj Management	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Software Data Pipe	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Blue Hill	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Total Amortizations	169.0	169.0	169.0	169.0	169.0	169.0
Office Buildings @ 70.75%	54.3	54.2	54.3	54.8	54.9	54.8
Office Furniture @ 70.75%	12.0	12.0	11.9	11.8	11.7	11.7
Data Handling Equipment @ 70.75%	59.1	58.8	58.5	58.2	57.9	57.6
Easements @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Common Depreciation Allocated	294.4	294.0	293.7	293.8	293.5	293.1

Total Electric Depreciation On Income Statement	1,543.5	1,545.3	1,549.5	1,557.6	1,562.8	1,572.7
Total Common Depreciation Alloc On Income Statement	294.4	294.0	293.7	293.8	293.5	293.1
Total Electric Depreciation On Income Statement	1,837.9	1,839.3	1,843.2	1,851.4	1,856.3	1,865.8

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	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
<b>Electric Plant In Service Beginning Balance:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	506,115.1	507,638.8	509,107.4	511,268.8	512,573.2	520,793.6	522,549.9	524,905.6	527,207.3	529,441.0	530,932.9	532,836.7
Transmission	135,494.8	135,802.1	135,737.8	135,723.7	135,768.5	144,845.2	144,413.8	144,351.9	144,292.1	144,232.7	144,498.8	144,460.0
Trans And Distr Future	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1
Information System	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6
Intangible Plant	1,232.1	1,228.4	1,220.7	1,215.0	1,209.3	1,203.6	1,197.9	1,192.2	1,186.5	1,180.8	1,175.1	1,169.4
Office Buildings	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0
Office Furniture	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3
Automobiles	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6
Light Trucks	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6
Heavy Trucks	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9
General Equipment	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9
Data Handling Equipment	9,090.0	9,065.2	9,040.4	9,015.6	8,990.8	8,966.0	8,941.2	8,916.9	8,893.6	8,870.5	8,847.7	8,825.0
Essements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>680,930.4</b>	<b>682,869.5</b>	<b>684,432.0</b>	<b>686,747.4</b>	<b>688,352.6</b>	<b>706,236.3</b>	<b>707,932.3</b>	<b>710,438.4</b>	<b>712,940.8</b>	<b>715,440.6</b>	<b>717,449.0</b>	<b>719,564.7</b>

	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
<b>Electric Plant Additions:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	1,844.9	1,789.8	2,482.6	1,625.6	8,541.6	2,077.5	2,876.8	2,623.0	2,554.9	1,813.1	2,225.0	2,214.4
Transmission	391.7	20.1	70.3	129.2	9,161.1	(347.0)	22.5	24.6	25.0	350.5	45.6	1,755.3
Trans And Distr Future	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	138.5	188.7	198.6	286.5	617.1	401.6	242.3	252.5	318.0	273.4	273.4	273.4
Data Handling Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.5	38.5	37.9	7.6	7.7	2.5
Essements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,375.1</b>	<b>1,998.6</b>	<b>2,751.5</b>	<b>2,041.3</b>	<b>18,319.8</b>	<b>2,132.1</b>	<b>2,942.1</b>	<b>2,938.6</b>	<b>2,935.8</b>	<b>2,444.6</b>	<b>2,551.7</b>	<b>4,245.6</b>

	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
<b>Electric Plant Retirements:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2
Transmission	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
Trans And Distr Future	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
Office Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Data Handling Equipment	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8
Essements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>

	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
<b>Electric Plant Ending Balance:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	507,638.8	509,107.4	511,268.8	512,573.2	520,793.6	522,549.9	524,905.6	527,207.3	529,441.0	530,932.9	532,836.7	534,730.0
Transmission	135,802.1	135,737.8	135,723.7	135,768.5	144,845.2	144,413.8	144,351.9	144,292.1	144,232.7	144,498.8	144,460.0	146,230.9
Trans And Distr Future	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1
Information System	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6
Intangible Plant	1,228.4	1,220.7	1,215.0	1,209.3	1,203.6	1,197.9	1,192.2	1,186.5	1,180.8	1,175.1	1,169.4	1,163.7
Office Buildings	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0
Office Furniture	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3
Automobiles	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6
Light Trucks	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6
Heavy Trucks	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9
General Equipment	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9	2,842.9
Data Handling Equipment	9,065.2	9,040.4	9,015.6	8,990.8	8,966.0	8,941.2	8,916.9	8,893.6	8,870.5	8,847.7	8,825.0	8,802.1
Essements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>682,869.5</b>	<b>684,432.0</b>	<b>686,747.4</b>	<b>688,352.6</b>	<b>706,236.3</b>	<b>707,932.3</b>	<b>710,438.4</b>	<b>712,940.8</b>	<b>715,440.6</b>	<b>717,449.0</b>	<b>719,564.7</b>	<b>723,374.1</b>

	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
<b>Electric Plant Depreciation Rates:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040
Transmission	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090
Trans And Distr Future	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530
Information System	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890
Intangible Plant	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540
Office Buildings	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770
Office Furniture	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340
Automobiles	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310
Light Trucks	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950
Heavy Trucks	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920
General Equipment	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190
Data Handling Equipment	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760								



	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
Heavy Trucks	2,558.7	2,660.0	2,761.3	3,004.5	3,267.9	3,571.9	4,666.0	4,969.9	5,172.6	5,172.6	5,172.6	5,172.6
General Equipment	1,111.5	1,122.1	1,163.7	1,299.5	1,364.8	1,654.2	1,663.6	1,727.9	1,779.9	1,824.2	1,844.2	1,888.0
Data Handling Equipment	12,517.2	12,452.4	12,387.6	12,322.8	12,258.0	12,193.2	12,128.4	12,063.6	11,998.8	11,934.0	11,869.2	11,804.4
Easements	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>127,212.6</b>	<b>127,161.5</b>	<b>127,590.0</b>	<b>127,789.4</b>	<b>129,139.3</b>	<b>130,150.0</b>	<b>131,453.7</b>	<b>131,924.6</b>	<b>132,460.1</b>	<b>133,007.6</b>	<b>134,314.0</b>	<b>135,559.1</b>

**Common Plant Depreciation Rates:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832
Office Furniture	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640
Automobiles	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043
Light Trucks	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134
Heavy Trucks	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464
General Equipment	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358
Data Handling Equipment	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	120.2	118.8	117.8	121.6	120.2	118.8	122.8	125.3	127.4	131.4	130.0	143.1
Intangible Plant - Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4
Plant Field Order Route Design	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Software New Bus Proj Management	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Software Data Pipe	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Blue Hill	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
<b>Total Amortizations</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>
Office Buildings	77.3	77.2	77.3	77.3	77.3	79.4	79.6	79.7	79.6	79.6	80.8	81.0
Office Furniture	16.5	16.4	16.3	16.2	16.2	16.0	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4
Automobiles	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	6.0	6.0
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	11.2	19.1	19.9	20.6	22.4	24.4	26.7	34.8	37.1	38.6	38.6	38.6
General Equipment	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.7	5.9	7.2	7.3	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.0
Data Handling Equipment	81.0	80.6	80.2	79.8	79.3	78.9	78.5	78.1	77.7	77.2	76.8	76.4
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>554.4</b>	<b>560.3</b>	<b>559.6</b>	<b>564.0</b>	<b>564.9</b>	<b>568.3</b>	<b>575.6</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>589.9</b>	<b>595.1</b>	<b>595.4</b>	<b>608.3</b>

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to:**

<u>Clearing Accounts:</u>												
Information System	120.2	118.8	117.6	121.6	120.2	118.8	122.8	125.3	127.4	131.4	130.0	143.1
Automobiles	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	6.0	6.0
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	11.2	19.1	19.9	20.6	22.4	24.4	26.7	34.8	37.1	38.6	38.6	38.6
General Equipment	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.7	5.9	7.2	7.3	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>157.1</b>	<b>163.6</b>	<b>163.3</b>	<b>168.2</b>	<b>169.7</b>	<b>171.5</b>	<b>178.1</b>	<b>183.8</b>	<b>184.4</b>	<b>200.2</b>	<b>199.8</b>	<b>213.0</b>

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Allocated:**

Unallocated @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant - Amortizations @ 75.97%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5
Plant Field Order Route Design	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Software New Bus Proj Management	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Software Data Pipe	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Blue Hill	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
<b>Total Amortizations</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>
Office Buildings @ 70.75%	54.7	54.6	54.7	54.7	54.7	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.3	56.3	57.2	57.3
Office Furniture @ 70.75%	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.9
Data Handling Equipment @ 70.75%	57.3	57.0	56.7	56.5	56.1	55.8	55.5	55.3	55.0	54.6	54.3	54.1
Easements @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Common Depreciation Allocated</b>	<b>292.7</b>	<b>292.2</b>	<b>291.9</b>	<b>291.7</b>	<b>291.2</b>	<b>292.3</b>	<b>292.0</b>	<b>291.9</b>	<b>291.4</b>	<b>290.9</b>	<b>291.5</b>	<b>291.3</b>

Total Electric Depreciation On Income Statement	1,598.2	1,602.3	1,605.6	1,610.6	1,613.8	1,650.8	1,654.1	1,659.5	1,664.9	1,670.2	1,674.1	1,678.6
Total Common Depreciation Alloc On Income St.	292.7	292.2	291.9	291.7	291.2	292.3	292.0	291.9	291.4	290.9	291.5	291.3
<b>Total Electric Depreciation On Income Stat</b>	<b>1,890.9</b>	<b>1,894.5</b>	<b>1,897.5</b>	<b>1,902.3</b>	<b>1,905.0</b>	<b>1,943.1</b>	<b>1,946.1</b>	<b>1,951.4</b>	<b>1,956.3</b>	<b>1,961.1</b>	<b>1,965.6</b>	<b>1,969.9</b>

12 Months Ended Dec. 2007

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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
TAXES OTHER THAN INCOME TAXES - ELECTRIC  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 &  
DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(\$000s)

	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06 PER BOOKS	EARNINGS TEST NORMALIZING		TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06 AS ADJUSTED	RATE CASE		RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED	PROPOSED RATE INCREASE	RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED FOR PROPOSED RATE INCREASE
		REF.	AMOUNT		REF.	AMOUNT			
<b>PROPERTY TAXES:</b>									
STATE, COUNTY & TOWN	\$ 5,276		\$ -	\$ 5,276		\$ (430)	\$ 4,846		\$ 4,846
VILLAGE	1,290		-	1,290		(41)	1,249		1,249
SCHOOL	12,840		-	12,840		(2,091)	10,749		10,749
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES</b>	<b>19,406</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>19,406</b>		<b>(2,562)</b>	<b>18,844</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18,844</b>
<b>PROPERTY TAX OVER / (UNDER) COLLECTIONS</b>									
CASE 03-E-0787									
STATE, COUNTY & TOWN	324		-	324		(324)	-		-
VILLAGE	110		-	110		(110)	-		-
SCHOOL	1,960		-	1,960		(1,960)	-		-
AMORT DEF. OVER RECOVERIES (182439/254439)	-		-	-	E-4, Sch 3	(5,279)	(5,279)		(5,279)
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES</b>	<b>2,394</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>2,394</b>		<b>(7,673)</b>	<b>(5,279)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(5,279)</b>
<b>PROPERTY TAX (REFUNDS)</b>									
STATE, COUNTY & TOWN	(40)		40	-		-	-		-
VILLAGE	(7)		7	-		-	-		-
SCHOOL	(176)		176	-		-	-		-
AMORT OF REFUNDS	-		-	-	E-4, Sch 3	(3,334)	(3,334)		(3,334)
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES</b>	<b>(223)</b>		<b>223</b>	<b>-</b>		<b>(3,334)</b>	<b>(3,334)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(3,334)</b>
<b>TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES</b>	<b>21,577</b>		<b>223</b>	<b>21,800</b>		<b>(13,569)</b>	<b>8,231</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8,231</b>
PAYROLL TAXES	2,466		-	2,466		95	2,561		2,561
REVENUE TAXES - SALES REVENUE	3,295		-	3,295		1,274	4,569		4,569
- REGULATORY SURCHARGE	-		-	-	E-4, Sch 3	380	380		380
<b>OTHER TAXES:</b>									
SALES & USE TAX	(7)		-	(7)		7	-		-
OTHER TAXES	(7)		-	(7)		7	-		-
<b>TOTAL TAXES OTHER THAN INCOME TAX</b>	<b>27,331</b>		<b>223</b>	<b>27,554</b>		<b>(11,813)</b>	<b>15,741</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,741</b>
<b>TOTAL TAXES OTHER EXCL. REVENUE TAXES</b>	<b>24,036</b>		<b>223</b>	<b>24,259</b>		<b>(13,467)</b>	<b>10,782</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,782</b>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
STATE INCOME TAX - ELECTRIC  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 &  
DECEMBER 31, 2007  
(\$000s)

	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06 PER BOOKS	NORMALIZING ADJUSTMENTS (Schedule 7)	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06 AS ADJUSTED	RATE CASE ADJUSTMENTS (Schedule 7)	RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED	PROPOSED RATE INCREASE	RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED FOR PROPOSED RATE INCREASE
OPERATING INCOME BEFORE TAX	\$ 51,487	\$ 4,315	\$ 55,802	\$ (735)	\$ 55,067	\$ -	\$ 55,067
<b>PERMANENT DIFFERENCES</b>							
ADD ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
UNALLOWABLE BUSINESS EXPENSE	43	-	43	9	51	-	51
NON TAXABLE INCOME, UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS	415	-	415	-	415	-	415
TOTAL FLOW THRU ADDITIONS	457	-	457	9	466	-	466
DEDUCT NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
INTEREST EXPENSE	14,217	(1,915)	12,302	1,737	14,039	-	14,039
MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT	1,449	-	1,449	-	1,449	-	1,449
TOTAL FLOW THRU DEDUCTIONS	15,666	(1,915)	13,751	1,737	15,488	-	15,488
PRETAX INCOME	36,279	6,230	42,509	(2,463)	40,045	-	40,045
<b>SECTION I - NORMALIZED ITEMS</b>							
ADD ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
BOOK DEPRECIATION - CHARGED TO EXPENSE	22,045	-	22,045	1,139	23,184	-	23,184
- CHARGED TO CLEARING ACCTS.	1,200	-	1,200	298	1,498	-	1,498
CAPITALIZED INTEREST	905	-	905	384	1,289	-	1,289
GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE	(364)	-	(364)	364	-	-	-
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION	(284)	-	(284)	284	-	-	-
AUTO LIABILITY INSURANCE	(2)	-	(2)	2	-	-	-
TOTAL NORMALIZED ADDITIONS	23,501	-	23,501	2,470	25,971	-	25,971
DEDUCT NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
NYS TAX DEPRECIATION - EXISTING BOOK RATES	29,555	-	29,555	7,278	36,833	-	36,833
COST OF REMOVAL	2,037	-	2,037	(1,282)	755	-	755
LIEN DATE PROPERTY TAX DEDUCTION	(301)	-	(301)	403	102	-	102
AFUDC	684	-	684	(684)	-	-	-
LOSS ON DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY	719	-	719	125	844	-	844
TOTAL	32,695	-	32,695	5,840	38,535	-	38,535
<b>SECTION II - NORMALIZED ITEMS</b>							
ADD: ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT	1,519	-	1,519	(1,519)	-	-	-
POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS CAPIT. / EXP. (FASB 106)	1,318	-	1,318	11,017	12,335	-	12,335
RESERVE FOR MEDICAL INSURANCE	510	-	510	(510)	-	-	-
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION	1,375	-	1,375	-	1,375	-	1,375
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONST. - REFUNDABLES	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)
INCREASE IN DEFERRED FUEL COST	19,518	(7,448)	12,070	(14,521)	(2,451)	-	(2,451)
ENVIRONMENTAL RESERVE	112	-	112	-	112	-	112
SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION - NONQUALIFIED	951	-	951	-	951	-	951
REVENUE SUBJECT TO REFUND	5,809	-	5,809	(5,809)	-	-	-
UNALLOWABLE BOOK PENSION EXPENSE	8,023	-	8,023	10,792	18,815	-	18,815
SIT REFUND INTEREST	(1)	-	(1)	1	-	-	-
PROPERTY TAX REFUND - NET 461H	2,522	(2,522)	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	41,633	(9,970)	31,663	(549)	31,114	-	31,114
DEDUCT: NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
R&D EXPENSE DEBITED TO RESERVE	526	-	526	(1,476)	(950)	-	(950)
OPEB FUNDING	7,075	-	7,075	153	7,228	-	7,228
COMPETITIVE ENHANCEMENT FUNDS	17	-	17	(17)	-	-	-
MTA TAX DEFERRED	(479)	479	-	-	-	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL COST - QER EXPEND. SECTION 198	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270
STORM DAMAGE DEFERRED ON BOOKS	3,351	-	3,351	(6,232)	(2,881)	-	(2,881)
PENSION FUNDING	16,269	-	16,269	2,484	18,753	-	18,753
CONSERVATION/ DSM/ LCAPS	507	-	507	416	923	-	923
AMORTIZATION - CIAC PYRAMID MALL	120	-	120	(120)	-	-	-
STRAY VOLTAGE	1,827	-	1,827	(4,376)	(2,549)	-	(2,549)
CHANGE OF ACCOUNTING- SEC 263A ADJ	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)
SOFTWARE COST - DEVELOPED CIMS- PLUS - WALKER	1,998	-	1,998	31	2,029	-	2,029
TOTAL	32,063	479	32,542	(9,137)	23,405	-	23,405
TAXABLE INCOME OR (LOSS)	36,655	(4,219)	32,436	2,755	35,191	0	35,191
<b>SUMMARY OF STATE INCOME TAXES</b>							
CURRENT STATE INCOME TAXES @ 7.5%	2,749	(316)	2,433	207	2,639	-	2,639
DEFERRED STATE INCOME TAXES @ 7.5%	(28)	783	755	(392)	364	-	364
TOTAL SIT (excl MTA)	2,721	467	3,188	(185)	3,003	-	3,003
MTA TAX @ 1.53%	561	-	561	(561)	-	-	-
DEFERRED STATE MTA TAXES @ 1.53%	(6)	-	(6)	6	-	-	-
NYS INCOME TAX	3,276	467	3,743	(740)	3,003	-	3,003
PRIOR PERIOD OVER / UNDER ACCRUAL	(320)	-	(320)	320	-	-	-
NYS INCOME TAX PER BOOKS	\$ 2,956	\$ 467	\$ 3,423	\$ (420)	\$ 3,003	\$ -	\$ 3,003
(Incr.) / Decr. to Rate Base - Change in Deferred SIT	\$ (28)	\$ 783	\$ 755	\$ (392)	\$ 364	\$ -	\$ 364
- FIT on SIT	10	(274)	(264)	137	(127)	-	(127)
Net Rate Base (Increase) / Decrease	\$ (18)	\$ 509	\$ 491	\$ (255)	\$ 237	\$ -	\$ 237

**ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
FEDERAL INCOME TAX - ELECTRIC  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 &  
DECEMBER 31, 2007  
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	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/06 PER BOOKS	NORMALIZING ADJUSTMENTS (Schedule 7)	TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 6/30/05 AS ADJUSTED	RATE CASE ADJUSTMENTS (Schedule 7)	RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED	PROPOSED RATE INCREASE	RATE YEAR AS ADJUSTED FOR PROPOSED RATE INCREASE
OPERATING INCOME BEFORE TAX	\$ 51,487	\$ 4,315	\$ 55,802	\$ (735)	\$ 55,067	\$ -	\$ 55,067
NYS INCOME TAX	2,956	467	3,423	(420)	3,003	-	3,003
BOOK INCOME BEFORE FIT	<u>48,531</u>	<u>3,848</u>	<u>52,379</u>	<u>(315)</u>	<u>52,064</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>52,064</u>
<b>SECTION I - FLOW THRU ITEMS</b>							
ADD ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
BOOK DEPRECIATION - CHARGED TO EXPENSE	22,045	-	22,045	1,139	23,184	-	23,184
- CHARGED TO CLEARING ACCTS.	1,200	-	1,200	298	1,498	-	1,498
CAPITALIZED INTEREST	905	-	905	384	1,289	-	1,289
GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE	(364)	-	(364)	364	-	-	-
WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION	(284)	-	(284)	284	-	-	-
AUTO LIABILITY INSURANCE	(2)	-	(2)	2	-	-	-
UNALLOWABLE BUSINESS EXPENSE	43	-	43	9	51	-	51
UNALLOWABLE COMPENSATION	415	-	415	-	415	-	415
TOTAL FLOW THRU ADDITIONS	<u>23,958</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23,958</u>	<u>2,479</u>	<u>28,437</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>26,437</u>
DEDUCT NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
INTEREST EXPENSE	14,217	(1,915)	12,302	1,737	14,039	-	14,039
STATUTORY DEPRECIATION	20,160	-	20,160	1,150	21,310	-	21,310
COST OF REMOVAL	2,037	-	2,037	(1,282)	756	-	756
MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT	1,449	-	1,449	-	1,449	-	1,449
LIEN DATE PROPERTY TAX DEDUCTION	(301)	-	(301)	403	102	-	102
AFUDC	684	-	684	(684)	-	-	-
LOSS ON DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY	719	-	719	125	844	-	844
TOTAL FLOW THRU DEDUCTIONS	<u>38,965</u>	<u>(1,915)</u>	<u>37,050</u>	<u>1,449</u>	<u>38,499</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>38,499</u>
PRETAX INCOME	33,524	5,763	39,287	715	40,002	-	40,002
<b>SECTION II - NORMALIZED ITEMS</b>							
ADD ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
INCREASE IN DEFERRED FUEL COST	19,518	-	19,518	(14,521)	(2,451)	-	(2,451)
MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT	1,519	-	1,519	(1,519)	-	-	-
AMORTIZATION OF BOND REDEMPTION COST	154	-	154	-	154	-	154
POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS EXPENSE	1,318	-	1,318	11,017	12,335	-	12,335
RESERVE FOR MEDICAL INSURANCE	510	-	510	(510)	-	-	-
DEFERRED STATE INCOME TAX NON DEDUCTIBLE	(34)	783	749	(386)	364	-	364
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION	1,374	-	1,374	-	1,374	-	1,374
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONST. - REFUNDABLES	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)
ENVIRONMENTAL RESERVE	112	-	112	-	112	-	112
BOOK AMORTIZATION COMPUTER SOFTWARE	2,846	-	2,846	(2,223)	623	-	623
REVENUE SUBJECT TO REFUND	5,809	-	5,809	(5,809)	-	-	-
UNALLOWABLE BOOK PENSION EXPENSE	8,023	-	8,023	10,792	18,815	-	18,815
SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION - NONQUALIFIED	951	-	951	(951)	-	-	-
EXCESS BOOK OVER TAX DEPR. - B.H.	(18)	-	(18)	-	(18)	-	(18)
SIT REFUND INTEREST	(1)	-	(1)	1	-	-	-
PROPERTY TAX REFUND	2,522	-	2,522	(2,522)	-	-	-
TOTAL NORMALIZED ADDITIONS	<u>44,581</u>	<u>783</u>	<u>45,364</u>	<u>(6,631)</u>	<u>31,287</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31,287</u>
DEDUCT NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:							
TAX DEPRECIATION (NORM) - ADR/ACRS/MACRS	5,196	-	5,196	1,812	7,008	-	7,008
PENSION FUNDING	16,269	-	16,269	2,484	18,753	-	18,753
OPEB FUNDING	7,075	-	7,075	153	7,228	-	7,228
R&D EXPENSE DEBITED TO RESERVE	526	-	526	(1,476)	(950)	-	(950)
COMPETITIVE ENCHANCEMENTS FUNDS	17	-	17	(17)	-	-	-
EXCESS TAX DEPR. OVER VEH. LEASE EXP.	(282)	-	(282)	(123)	(405)	-	(405)
MTA TAX DEFERRED	(479)	479	-	-	-	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL COST - QER EXPEND. SECT. 198	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270
CONSERVATION/ DSM/ LCAPS	507	-	507	416	923	-	923
AMORTIZATION - CIAC PYRAMID MALL	120	-	120	(120)	-	-	-
STRAY VOLTAGE	1,827	-	1,827	(4,376)	(2,549)	-	(2,549)
STORM DAMAGE DEFERRED ON BOOKS	3,351	-	3,351	(3,351)	-	-	-
SOFTWARE COST - DEVELOPED CIM S- PLUS - WALKER	1,998	-	1,998	31	2,029	-	2,029
CHANGE OF ACCOUNTING- SEC 263A ADJ	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)
TOTAL	<u>36,978</u>	<u>479</u>	<u>37,457</u>	<u>(4,567)</u>	<u>32,890</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>32,890</u>
TAXABLE INCOME OR (LOSS)	41,126	6,067	47,193	(1,348)	38,399	-	38,399
<b>SUMMARY OF FEDERAL INCOME TAXES</b>							
CURRENT FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	14,394	2,124	16,518	(472)	13,440	-	13,440
DEFERRED FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	(2,661)	(106)	(2,767)	722	561	-	561
AMORTIZATION OF DEFERRED FIT - SECTION 263A	(430)	-	(430)	(63)	(493)	-	(493)
TOTAL CURRENT PERIOD FIT	<u>11,303</u>	<u>2,018</u>	<u>13,321</u>	<u>187</u>	<u>13,508</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,508</u>
PRIOR YEARS (OVER)/UNDER ACCRUAL	(1,036)	-	(1,036)	1,036	-	-	-
FEDERAL INCOME TAX EXPENSE	<u>10,267</u>	<u>2,018</u>	<u>12,285</u>	<u>1,223</u>	<u>13,508</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,508</u>
(INCR.) / DECR. TO RATE BASE - CHANGE IN DEF. FIT - DEF	174	-	174	591	765	-	765
AMORTIZATION OF DEFERRED FIT	(430)	-	(430)	(63)	(493)	-	(493)
AMORTIZATION OF DEFERRED ITC	(242)	-	(242)	30	(212)	-	(212)
NET RATE BASE (INCREASE)/DECREASE	<u>\$ (498)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ (498)</u>	<u>\$ 558</u>	<u>\$ 60</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 60</u>

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SCHEDULE 10

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
INTEREST EXPENSE - ELECTRIC  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 &  
DECEMBER 31, 2007

	June 30, 2006	December 31, 2007
Average Earnings Base	<u>\$370,146</u>	<u>\$436,503</u>
(+) Interest Bearing CWIP	<u>3,344</u>	<u>3,344</u>
Total	373,490	439,847
Interest Cost Factor (LTD + STD + Customer Deposits)	<u>3.30%</u>	<u>3.19%</u>
Allowable Interest Expense Calculated From Rate Base	<u><u>\$12,325</u></u>	<u><u>\$14,039</u></u>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
Electric Operations  
Fund Requirements and Sources  
For the Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2007  
(\$000's)

	<u>Amount</u>
<u>Sources of Funds:</u>	
Internal	
Operating Income - Electric	\$ 38,556
Dividends - Electric	(20,000)
Book Depreciation	24,682
Deferred Fuel	(2,451)
Amortizations (Net of Deferrals)	8,681
Deferred Income Taxes - Federal & State	(2,174)
All Other	1,406
Total Internal Sources of Funds	48,700
External	
Long Term Debt (Electric)	42,000
Common Stock (Electric)	14,000
Total External Sources of Funds	56,000
Total Sources	\$ 104,700
<u>Application of Funds:</u>	
Construction Expenditures (Net of AFUDC)	\$ 62,700
Short Term Debt	42,000
Total Application of Funds	\$ 104,700

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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

INDEX OF SCHEDULES

Electric Operating Expenses

<u>SCHEDULE</u>	<u>TITLE OF SCHEDULE</u>	<u>WITNESS</u>
Summary	Summary of Electric Operating Expenses	Various
1	Purchased Power Costs	R. A. Kane
2	Direct Labor	K. A. Kosior
3	Shared Services	"
4	Employee & Other Insurance Costs	R. A. Kane
5	Regulatory Costs and Amortizations	"
6	Pensions and OPEBs	"
7	Uncollectible Costs	"
8	MGP Sites & Environmental Costs	"
9	Tree Trimming & Other T&D Costs	K.A. Kosior
10	Regulatory Commission Expenses	"
11	Other O&M Costs	"

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
 Electric Operating Expenses  
 Functional Distribution  
 (\$000s)

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TWELVE MONTHS ENDED

<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	259,407	39	(10,060)	56	0	0	249,442
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>259,407</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>(10,060)</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>249,442</b>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	2,631	94	158	137	100	0	3,120
Maintenance	1,961	12	44	17	58	0	2,092
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,592</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,213</b>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	11,137	270	304	390	124	0	12,225
Maintenance	19,090	365	24,831	528	574	0	45,388
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,227</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>25,135</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>57,613</b>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<b>13,334</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>(17)</b>	<b>14,470</b>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<b>7,433</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>(1,080)</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,528</b>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	35,482	211	26,864	515	357	586	64,014
Maintenance	306	2	0	2	9	0	319
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>35,788</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>26,864</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>586</b>	<b>64,333</b>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<b>350,789</b>	<b>1,289</b>	<b>41,472</b>	<b>2,074</b>	<b>1,415</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>397,607</b>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
Functional Distribution  
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TWELVE MONTHS ENDED

	Per Books 06/30/06	Normalizing Adjustments	Program Changes	Labor Escalation	General Escalation	Other Escalation	.12/31/07
<u>Operating Expenses</u>							
Sch. 1 - Purchased Power Costs	255,453	0	(9,494)	0	0	0	245,959
Sch. 2 - Direct Labor (Excl. Shared Services)	37,334	1,289	379	1,864	0	0	40,866
Sch. 3 - Shared Services	8,836	0	0	161	78	139	9,214
Sch. 4 - Employee and Other Insurance Costs	7,091	0	1,279	0	98	447	8,915
Sch. 5 - Regulatory Costs and Amortizations	4,791	0	5,684	0	93	0	10,568
Sch. 6- Pensions and OPEBS	9,518	0	23,162	49	0	0	32,729
Sch. 7 - Uncollectible Accounts	2,104	0	341	0	0	(17)	2,428
Sch. 8 - MGP Sites & West Nyack Environmental Costs	0	0	19,080	0	207	0	19,287
Sch. 9 - Tree Trimming / T&D O&M	14,202	0	604	0	520	0	15,326
Sch. 10 - Regulatory Commission Expenses	1,101	0	0	0	39	0	1,140
Sch. 11 - Other O&M Costs							
Advertising	480	0	0	0	17	0	497
Information Technology Solutions	2,203	0	225	0	85	0	2,513
Legal & Other Professional Services	189	0	212	0	14	0	415
Rents	1,000	0	0	0	35	0	1,035
Materials and Supplies	1,020	0	0	0	36	0	1,056
Corporate Fiscal	987	0	0	0	35	0	1,022
Other O&M	4,480	0	0	0	158	0	4,638
Total Other O&M	10,359	0	437	0	380	0	11,176
Total Operating Expenses	350,789	1,289	41,472	2,074	1,415	569	397,608

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
 Electric Operating Expenses  
 Purchased Power Costs  
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TWELVE MONTHS ENDED

<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	258,283	0	(9,494)	0	0	0	248,789
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>258,283</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(9,494)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>248,789</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	(2,830)	0	0	0	0	0	(2,830)
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>(2,830)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(2,830)</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>255,453</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(9,494)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>245,959</u>

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ITEM	Per Books 06/30/06	Normalizing Adjustments	Program Changes	Labor Escalation	General Escalation	Other Escalation	12/31/07
Purchased Power Expense	243,594	0	5,027	0	0	0	248,621
Borderline Purchases (NYSEG / CHGE)	55	0	0	0	0	0	55
ISO Capacity Purchases	1,648	0	0	0	0	0	1,648
Transmission Congestion Purchases	393	0	0	0	0	0	393
Load Dispatching Costs	523	0	0	0	0	0	523
Transmission Congestion Credits	(2,830)	0	0	0	0	0	(2,830)
Deferred Purchased Gas Expense	12,070	0	(14,521)	0	0	0	(2,451)
Total	<u>255,453</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(9,494)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>245,959</u>

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Account Group	Per Books 06/30/06	Normalizing Adjustments	Program Changes	Labor Escalation	General Escalation	Other Escalation	12/31/07
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	1,124	39	11	56	0	0	1,230
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>1,124</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,230</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	2,729	94	28	137	0	0	2,988
Maintenance	341	12	3	17	0	0	373
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>3,070</u>	<u>106</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,361</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	7,816	270	80	390	0	0	8,556
Maintenance	10,578	365	108	528	0	0	11,579
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>18,394</u>	<u>635</u>	<u>188</u>	<u>918</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>20,135</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>6,906</u>	<u>238</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>345</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>7,559</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>1,683</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,842</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	6,109	211	62	305	0	0	6,687
Maintenance	48	2	0	2	0	0	52
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>6,157</u>	<u>213</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>307</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,739</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>37,334</u>	<u>1,289</u>	<u>379</u>	<u>1,864</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>40,866</u>

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<u>Total Corporate</u>							
Weekly (Incl. P/T & Temps.)	56,029	113	380	2,763	0	0	59,284
Monthly	39,307	3,175	0	1,983	0	0	44,465
Total	<u>95,336</u>	<u>3,287</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>4,746</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>103,749</u>
<u>Distribution</u>							
Electric Expense	37,334	1,287	380	1,863	0	0	40,864
Gas Expense	18,729	646	0	931	0	0	20,305
Construction	13,908	480	0	691	0	0	15,079
Subsidiary Companies	13,750	474	0	683	0	0	14,907
All Other	11,615	401	0	577	0	0	12,593
Total	<u>95,336</u>	<u>3,287</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>4,746</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>103,749</u>

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<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0			0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0			0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0			0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0			0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0			0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0			0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0			0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0			0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0			0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	8,836	0	0	161	78	139	9,214
Maintenance	0			0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0			0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>8,836</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>161</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>139</u>	<u>9,214</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>8,836</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>161</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>139</u>	<u>9,214</u>

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<u>ITEM</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<u>Total Corporate</u>							
Allocated:							
Labor	7,058	0	0	338	0	0	7,396
Expense	2,569	0	0	0	90	0	2,659
Fringes	6,825	0	0	0	0	291	7,116
Direct Expense	2,090	0	0	0	74	0	2,164
 Total	<u>18,542</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>338</u>	<u>164</u>	<u>291</u>	<u>19,335</u>
 <u>O&amp;R Electric</u>							
Allocated:							
Labor	3,363	0	0	161	0	0	3,525
Expense	1,224	0	0	0	43	0	1,267
Fringes	3,252	0	0	0	0	139	3,391
Direct Expense	996	0	0	0	35	0	1,031
 Total	<u>8,836</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>161</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>139</u>	<u>9,214</u>

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<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	7,091	0	1,279	0	98	447	8,915
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>7,091</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,279</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>447</u>	<u>8,915</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>7,091</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,279</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>447</u>	<u>8,915</u>

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<u>U&amp;R Gas Expense</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
Health and Life Insurance Costs	7,972	0	0	0	0	638	8,610
Capitalized & Recovered Benefit Costs	(3,199)	0	0	0	0	(256)	(3,455)
Other Employee Benefit Costs	1,687	0	0	0	59	0	1,746
Property Insurance	164	0	0	0	6	0	170
General Liability	(349)	0	1,279	0	33	0	963
Workmen's Compensation	1,230	0	0	0	0	98	1,328
Capitalized & Recovered Workers Comp	(414)	0	0	0	0	(33)	(447)
Total	<u>7,091</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,279</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>98</u>	<u>447</u>	<u>8,915</u>

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<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	(577)	0	0	0	(577)
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(577)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(577)</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	5,434	0	60	0	5,494
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,434</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,494</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>4,808</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(1,097)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,711</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	(17)	0	1,924	0	34	0	1,941
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>(17)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,924</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,941</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>4,791</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,684</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>93</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,568</u>

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<u>O&amp;R Gas Expense</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
Research and Development Deferrals (188100) (Three Year Amortization of Def Balance)	(17)	0	967	0	0	0	950
Research and Development Current Spending	0	0	957	0	34	0	991
System Benefit Charge (182425) (Offset In revenues - Separate Surcharge)	4,808	0	(174)	0	0	0	4,634
Stray Voltage Program (182485) (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	2,549	0	0	0	2,549
Stray Voltage Program - Current Spending	0	0	1,699	0	60	0	1,759
Storm Reserve (182373) (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	2,881	0	0	0	2,881
Deferred 1st Installed Transformers (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	(1,695)	0	0	0	(1,695)
Oil Supplier Refunds (253151 / 253064) (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	(577)	0	0	0	(577)
DSM Overrecoveries (254401) (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	(923)	0	0	0	(923)
Total	<u>4,791</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>5,684</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>93</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10,568</u>

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<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books</u> <u>06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing</u> <u>Adjustments</u>	<u>Program</u> <u>Changes</u>	<u>Labor</u> <u>Escalation</u>	<u>General</u> <u>Escalation</u>	<u>Other</u> <u>Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	9,518	0	23,162	49	0	0	32,729
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>9,518</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>23,162</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>32,729</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>9,518</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>23,162</u>	<u>49</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>32,729</u>

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FAS 87 Pension Costs - Qualified Plan	17,285	0	771	0	0	0	18,056
Capitalized / Recovered Costs	(4,092)	0	730	0	0	0	(3,362)
Subtotal	13,193	0	1,501	0	0	0	14,694
Pension Deferral	(9,261)	0	9,261	0	0	0	0
Amort. Of Deferred Pension Costs (3 Yrs)	-	0	4,121	0	0	0	4,121
Net Qualified Pension Costs	3,932	0	14,883	0	0	0	18,815
Supplemental Pension Expense	1,242	0	63	0	0	0	1,305
TOL Expenses	307	0	10	0	0	0	317
401K Contributions	1,020	0	0	49	0	0	1,069
Total Pension Expense	6,501	0	14,956	49	0	0	21,506
FAS 106 OPEB Costs	9,431	0	386	0	0	0	9,817
Pay-As-You-Go	(1,761)	0	(53)	0	0	0	(1,814)
Capitalized / Recovered Costs	(2,620)	0	414	0	0	0	(2,206)
Subtotal	5,050	0	747	0	0	0	5,797
OPEB Deferral	(4,811)	0	4,811	0	0	0	0
Amort. Of Transitional Obligation	1,817	0	0	0	0	0	1,817
Amort. Of Deferred OPEB Costs (5 Yrs)	-	0	4,721	0	0	0	4,721
Net Qualified Pension Costs	2,056	0	10,279	0	0	0	12,335
Medicare Part D Tax Benefit - Deferral	961	0	(961)	0	0	0	0
- Amortization	-	0	(1,112)	0	0	0	(1,112)
Total OPEB Expense	3,017	0	8,206	0	0	0	11,223
Total	9,518	0	23,162	49	0	0	32,729

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<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>2,104</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>341</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(17)</u>	<u>2,428</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>2,104</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>341</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(17)</u>	<u>2,428</u>

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Customer Uncollectables	2,100	0	(97)	2,003	0	0	(17)	1,986
Customer Uncollectables - Reg Surcharge	0	0	165	165	0	0	0	165
Marketer Billing Adjustments	(182)	0	182	0	0	0	0	0
Sundry Uncollectables	186	0	91	277	0	0	0	277
Uncollectible Account Expense	<u>2,104</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>341</u>	<u>2,445</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(17)</u>	<u>2,428</u>
Net Uncollectible Write-Offs (3 Yr Avg)	5,331							
Sales to Customers (3Yr Total)	1,108,154							
Percent	0.48%							

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<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	19,080	0	207	0	19,287
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,080</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>207</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,287</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,080</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>207</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,287</u>

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Amortization of Site Investigation and Remediation Costs:							
MGP Sites - Recovery of Deferrals (182376/ (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	12,739	0	0	0	12,739
MGP Sites - 2007 Spending	0	0	5,589	0	197	0	5,786
West Nyack & Other Environmental Sites (Netting of Deferrals)	0	0	452	0	0	0	452
West Nyack 2007 - Estimated Spending	0	0	200	0	7	0	207
Other Environmental Sites	0	0	100	0	4	0	104
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,080</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>207</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>19,287</u>

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<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	1,788	0	130	0	67	0	1,985
Maintenance	1,466	0	41	0	53	0	1,560
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>3,254</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>171</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,545</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	3,085	0	224	0	116	0	3,425
Maintenance	7,863	0	209	0	284	0	8,356
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>10,948</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>433</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,781</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>14,202</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>604</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>520</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>15,326</u>

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Tree Trimming and Other T&D O&M Expenses							
Contractor Tree Trimming	5,880	0	0	0	207	0	6,087
Other T&D O&M	8,322	0	603	0	314	0	9,239
Total	<u>14,202</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>603</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>521</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>15,326</u>

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<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books 06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Accounts</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Customer Service</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Sales Promotion</b>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	1,101	0	0	0	39	0	1,140
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>1,101</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,140</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>1,101</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,140</u>

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<u>O&amp;R Electric Expense</u>	<u>Per Books 6/30/2006</u>	<u>Normalizing Adjustments</u>	<u>Program Changes</u>	<u>Labor Escalation</u>	<u>General Escalation</u>	<u>Other Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/2007</u>
NYSPC Assessment	1,067	0	0	0	38	0	1,104
NYS Office of Real Property	35	0	0	0	1	0	36
Total	<u>1,101</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,140</u>

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<u>Account Group</u>	<u>Per Books</u> <u>06/30/06</u>	<u>Normalizing</u> <u>Adjustments</u>	<u>Program</u> <u>Changes</u>	<u>Labor</u> <u>Escalation</u>	<u>General</u> <u>Escalation</u>	<u>Other</u> <u>Escalation</u>	<u>12/31/07</u>
<b>Production &amp; Purchases</b>							
Operation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maintenance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Transmission</b>							
Operation	944	0	0	0	33	0	977
Maintenance	154	0	0	0	5	0	159
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>1,098</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,137</u>
<b>Distribution</b>							
Operation	236	0	0	0	8	0	244
Maintenance	649	0	0	0	23	0	672
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>885</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>916</u>
Customer Accounts	<u>4,324</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>159</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>4,483</u>
Customer Service	<u>942</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>975</u>
Sales Promotion	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>8</u>
<b>Administrative &amp; General</b>							
Operation	2,844	0	437	0	108	0	3,390
Maintenance	258	0	0	0	9	0	267
Joint Expense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	<u>3,102</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>437</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>118</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,657</u>
<b>Total Electric Operating Expenses</b>	<u>10,359</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>437</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,176</u>

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Advertising	* 480	0	0	0	17	0	497
Information Technology Solutions	* 2,203	0	225	0	85	0	2,513
Legal & Other Professional Services	* 189	0	212	0	14	0	415
Rents	* 1,000	0	0	0	35	0	1,035
Materials and Supplies	* 1,020	0	0	0	36	0	1,056
Corporate Fiscal	* 987	0	0	0	35	0	1,022
Other Expense - Customer & Admin.	* 4,480	0	0	0	158	0	4,638
Total	<u>10,359</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>437</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>380</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11,176</u>

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<u>Project Description</u>	<u>In Service Date</u>	<u>Jul to Dec</u>			
		<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2009</u>
<b>Electric Plant Additions:</b>					
Blankets	Various	9,067.3	23,879.7	21,876.7	23,106.0
Regular Projects Under \$1 Million	Various	8,109.3	8,712.5	5,956.7	5,249.4
<b>Regular Projects Over \$1 Million</b>					
Electric Meters 1st Install Bkt	Various	1,116.0	-	-	-
NY Pole Parity Pole Sale - Verizon	2006 Feb	(2,352.8)	-	-	-
Silver Lakes Substation Upgrade and UG Exits	2006 May	3,790.8	-	-	-
Transmission Line 60 Upgrade	2007 May	-	9,023.3	-	-
Tallman Substation Upgrade and UG Exits	2007 May	-	6,061.4	-	-
Transmission Line 11 Upgrade Part 1	2006 Dec	4,922.1	-	-	-
Transmission Line 11 Upgrade Part 2	2008 Jun	-	-	15,364.1	-
New Little Tor Road Substation and UG Exits	2008 Aug	-	-	7,629.9	-
New Snake Hill Road Substation and UG Exits	2008 May	-	-	8,918.9	-
Monroe Substation Upgrade and UG Exits	2008 May	-	-	6,419.1	-
New Transmission Line 77A - Ramapo to Sugarloaf	2008 Dec	-	-	10,366.6	-
New Sugarloaf 138kV Substation Yard	2008 Dec	-	-	4,081.7	-
New Shoemaker 138-69kV Bank 811	2008 Dec	-	-	2,782.5	-
Port Jervis Substation Upgrade and UG Exits	2008 Dec	758.2	-	7,568.8	-
Transmission Line 18 Upgrade and Terminals	2008 Dec	-	-	1,338.1	-
New Hempstead UG Exits Replacement	2009 May	-	-	-	1,057.6
Hunt Substation Upgrade and UG Exits	2009 Jun	-	-	-	2,055.1
Sterling Forest Line 26 Transmission Tap	2009 Dec	-	-	-	2,682.4
Transmission Line 31 Upgrade	2009 Dec	-	-	-	1,564.1
New Pocatello Transmission Interconnection	2009 Dec	-	-	-	1,467.5
New Pocatello Substation and UG Exits	2009 Dec	-	-	-	6,020.4
<b>Total Electric Plant Additions</b>		<b>25,410.9</b>	<b>47,676.9</b>	<b>92,303.1</b>	<b>43,970.8</b>

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<b><u>Common Plant Additions:</u></b>					
Blankets	Various	2,225.1	9,049.2	6,160.9	7,160.8
Regular Projects Under \$1 Million	Various	2,404.3	2,189.3	4,330.0	1,091.9
<b>Regular Projects Over \$1 Million</b>					
ECC Generator	2007 May	-	1,264.0	-	-
Alternate Data Center	2008 May	-	-	6,514.3	-
Purchase Two Payment Processing Servers	2009 Oct	-	-	-	3,212.2
<b>Total Common Plant Additions</b>		<b>4,629.5</b>	<b>12,502.5</b>	<b>17,005.1</b>	<b>11,464.9</b>

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Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
Electric Department  
Operating Income, Rate Base & Rate of Return  
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TWELVE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008

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	Exhibit E-4 and E-5	Sched.	Adjustments	2008	Changes	Adjusted
<b>Operating Revenues</b>						
Sales Revenues	\$413,816	[3]	\$17,931	\$431,747	\$0	\$431,747
Surcharge for Reg. True Ups / Deferrals	34,687		-	34,687	-	34,687
Sales For Resale	28,490	[3]	919	29,409	-	29,409
Other Operating Revenues	14,607	[4]	(6,713)	7,894	-	7,894
<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	<b>491,600</b>		<b>12,137</b>	<b>503,737</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>503,737</b>
<b>Operating Revenue Deductions</b>						
Purchased Power Costs	248,410		13,816	262,226	-	262,226
Deferred Purchased Power	(2,451)		2,540	89	-	89
Other Operations & Maintenance (excl. Pensions)	99,633	[5]	516	100,149	-	100,149
Pension / OPEBs	32,729	[5]	(1,439)	31,290	-	31,290
MGP	19,287	[5]	(13,051)	6,236	-	6,236
Depreciation	23,184	[6]	1,207	24,391	-	24,391
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	15,741	[7]	8,555	24,296	-	24,296
<b>Total Operating Revenue Deductions</b>	<b>436,533</b>		<b>12,144</b>	<b>448,677</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>448,677</b>
Operating Income Before Income Taxes	55,067		(8)	55,060	0	55,060
<b>Income Taxes</b>						
New York State Income Taxes	3,003	[8]	(90)	2,913	0	2,913
Federal Income Tax	13,508	[9]	(302)	13,206	0	13,206
<b>Total Income Taxes</b>	<b>16,511</b>		<b>(392)</b>	<b>16,119</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16,119</b>
Operating Income After Income Taxes	\$38,556		\$384	\$38,941	\$0	\$38,941
Rate Base	459,146		37,254	496,400		496,400
EB-Cap Adjustment to Rate Base	(22,642)		-	(22,642)		(22,642)
<b>Total Rate Base</b>	<b>\$436,504</b>	[10]	<b>\$37,254</b>	<b>\$473,758</b>		<b>\$473,758</b>
Overall Rate of Return	8.83%			8.22%		8.22%
Rate on Equity	11.62%			10.37%		10.37%

TWELVE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2009

	2008	Sched.	Adjustments	2009	Changes	Adjusted
<b>Operating Revenues</b>						
Sales Revenues	\$431,747	[3]	(\$13,136)	\$418,611	\$0	\$418,611
Surcharge for Reg. True Ups / Deferrals	34,687		-	34,687	-	34,687
Sales For Resale	29,409	[3]	(276)	29,133	-	29,133
Other Operating Revenues	7,894	[4]	98	7,992	-	7,992
<b>Total Operating Revenues</b>	<b>503,737</b>		<b>(13,314)</b>	<b>490,423</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>490,423</b>
<b>Operating Revenue Deductions</b>						
Purchased Power Costs	262,226		(15,878)	246,348	-	246,348
Deferred Purchased Power	89		(54)	35	-	35
Other Operations & Maintenance (excl. Pensions)	100,149	[5]	2,404	102,553	-	102,553
Pension / OPEBs	31,290	[5]	(1,152)	30,138	-	30,138
MGP	6,236	[5]	137	6,374	-	6,374
Depreciation	24,391	[6]	1,549	25,940	-	25,940
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	24,296	[7]	262	24,558	-	24,558
<b>Total Operating Revenue Deductions</b>	<b>448,677</b>		<b>3,200</b>	<b>435,945</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>435,945</b>
Operating Income Before Income Taxes	55,060		(16,514)	54,477	-	54,477
<b>Income Taxes</b>						
New York State Income Taxes	2,913	[8]	(1,328)	1,585	-	1,585
Federal Income Tax	13,206	[9]	(254)	12,952	-	12,952
<b>Total Income Taxes</b>	<b>16,119</b>		<b>(1,582)</b>	<b>14,537</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14,537</b>
Operating Income After Income Taxes	\$38,941		(\$14,932)	\$39,940	\$0	\$39,940
Rate Base	496,400		51,898	548,298		548,298
EB-Cap Adjustment to Rate Base	(22,642)		-	(22,642)		(22,642)
<b>Total Rate Base</b>	<b>\$473,758</b>	[10]	<b>\$51,898</b>	<b>\$525,656</b>		<b>\$525,656</b>
Overall Rate of Return	8.22%			7.60%		7.60%
Rate on Equity	10.37%			9.09%		9.09%

Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
 Electric Department  
 Revenue Calculation  
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	Twelve Months Ended December 31,	
	2008	2009
Rate Base (Exhibit E-6, Schedule 10)	\$473,758	\$525,656
Rate of Return (Exhibit-7, Schedule 1)	8.22%	7.60%
Required Return	38,941	39,940
Income Available (Exhibit E-6, Schedule 1)	38,941	39,940
Deficiency	0	0
Retention Factor	59.1%	59.1%
Additional Revenue Requirement	\$0	\$0

<u>Proof</u>			
Revenues	100.00%	\$0	\$0
Less:			
Revenue Taxes	1.20%	0	0
Uncollectibles	0.48%	0	0
	98.320%	0	0
New York State Income Tax @ 7.5%	7.374%	0	0
Federal Income Tax @ 35%	90.946%	0	0
	31.831%	0	0
Retention Factor	59.115%	\$0	\$0

ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
RATE OF RETURN EARNED FOR THE  
TWELVE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND 2009  
(Thousands of Dollars)

<u>2008</u>	<u>CAPITAL</u>	<u>RATIO</u>	<u>WEIGHTED COST RATES</u>	<u>RATE OF RETURN</u>
LONG-TERM DEBT	\$ 413,736,337	49.80%	6.28%	3.13%
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	13,983,000	1.68%	3.81%	0.06%
SUB TOTAL	<u>427,719,337</u>	<u>51.49%</u>		<u>3.19%</u>
COMMON EQUITY	<u>403,001,400</u>	<u>48.51%</u>	10.37%	<u>5.03%</u>
TOTAL CAPITALIZATION	<u>\$ 830,720,737</u>	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>8.22%</u>
<u>2009</u>	<u>CAPITAL</u>	<u>RATIO</u>	<u>WEIGHTED COST RATES</u>	<u>RATE OF RETURN</u>
LONG-TERM DEBT	\$ 413,736,337	49.80%	6.28%	3.13%
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	13,983,000	1.68%	3.81%	0.06%
SUB TOTAL	<u>427,719,337</u>	<u>51.49%</u>		<u>3.19%</u>
COMMON EQUITY	<u>403,001,400</u>	<u>48.51%</u>	9.09%	<u>4.41%</u>
TOTAL CAPITALIZATION	<u>\$ 830,720,737</u>	<u>100.00%</u>		<u>7.60%</u>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.  
SALES, DELIVERIES AND NET REVENUE MARGINS  
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007, 2008 & 2009  
(\$000s)

	2007	2008	2009
<b>Delivery Revenue</b>			
Residential	\$ 100,041	\$ 102,027	\$ 101,643
Secondary	48,129	49,130	49,075
Primary	25,760	26,040	25,555
Lighting	4,165	4,165	4,162
Public Authority	2,286	1,904	1,897
Unbilled	372	(843)	2,276
Total	<u>180,753</u>	<u>182,423</u>	<u>184,608</u>
<b>Market Supply Charge</b>			
Residential	102,159	112,863	106,149
Secondary	52,070	57,294	54,143
Primary	62,177	60,971	51,787
Lighting	1,521	1,533	1,385
Public Authority	8,076	8,871	8,441
Unbilled	298	(1,734)	2,634
Total	<u>226,301</u>	<u>239,798</u>	<u>224,539</u>
<b>Energy Cost Adjustment</b>			
Residential	(975)	35	14
Secondary	(563)	21	8
Primary	(851)	32	13
Lighting	(23)	1	-
Public Authority	(31)	1	-
Unbilled	(8)	(1)	-
Total	<u>(2,451)</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>35</u>
<b>SBC Revenue</b>			
Residential	1,823	1,885	1,873
Secondary	1,052	1,085	1,085
Primary	1,591	1,605	1,588
Lighting	44	44	46
Public Authority	111	113	114
Unbilled	13	(23)	72
Total	<u>4,634</u>	<u>4,709</u>	<u>4,778</u>
<b>Tax Recovery Revenue</b>			
Residential	3,420	3,544	3,495
Secondary	568	607	589
Primary	499	499	445
Lighting	31	33	31
Public Authority	56	60	59
Unbilled	5	(15)	32
Total	<u>4,579</u>	<u>4,728</u>	<u>4,651</u>
<b>Sales and Deliveries To Public</b>	<u>413,816</u>	<u>431,747</u>	<u>418,611</u>
<b>Intercompany Fuel &amp; PSA Bill</b>			
Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill	31,936	32,855	32,579
Total	<u>31,936</u>	<u>32,855</u>	<u>32,579</u>
<b>Total Revenue (excluding Surcharge)</b>	<u>\$ 445,752</u>	<u>\$ 464,602</u>	<u>\$ 451,190</u>
<b>Current Power Costs</b>			
MSC Costs	226,301	239,798	224,539
ECA Costs	-	-	-
Company Use Costs	1,202	1,298	1,238
Intercompany Fuel & PSA Bill	20,907	21,130	20,571
Total	<u>248,410</u>	<u>262,226</u>	<u>246,348</u>
<b>Deferred Power Costs</b>			
MSC Costs	-	-	-
ECA Costs	(2,451)	89	35
Total	<u>(2,451)</u>	<u>89</u>	<u>35</u>
<b>Total Purchased Power Expense</b>	<u>245,959</u>	<u>262,315</u>	<u>246,383</u>
<b>Total Net Revenue</b>	<u>\$ 180,753</u>	<u>\$ 182,423</u>	<u>\$ 184,608</u>
<b>Mwh Sales Excl Company Use</b>	<u>4,101,254</u>	<u>4,167,861</u>	<u>4,227,237</u>
<b>Avg Margin per Mwh</b>	<u>\$ 0.04407</u>	<u>\$ 0.04377</u>	<u>\$ 0.04367</u>
<b>Sales for Resale</b>	31,936	32,855	32,579
Less: Purchased Power Costs - Resales	(20,907)	(21,130)	(20,571)
Joint Use Rents (See E-4, Sched 5)	(3,446)	(3,446)	(3,446)
Power Supply Fixed Charges	(7,583)	(8,278)	(8,561)
	<u>(0)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
Other Operating Revenues - Electric  
(Thousands of Dollars)

Line No.	Item	Rate Year 1 As Reflected in Exhibit E-4 and E-5	Subject to Inflation @ 2.30%	Rate Year 2 Adjustments	Escalation for 12 Months Ending Dec. 31, 2008	Rate Year 2 As Adjusted	Subject to Inflation @ 2.20%	Escalation for 12 Months Ending Dec. 31, 2009	Rate Year 3 As Adjusted	Line No.
<u>MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE &amp; OTHER REVENUES</u>										
1	Late Payment Charges	\$ 2,136	Y		\$ 49	\$ 2,185	Y	\$ 48	\$ 2,233	1
2	Carrying Charge Joint Use Facilities	185	Y		4	189	Y	4	193	2
3	Customer Reconnect Fees	60	Y		1	61	Y	1	63	3
4	Bad Check Charge	35	Y		1	36	Y	1	37	4
<u>RENTS</u>										
5	Rent from Electric Property - Pole Attachments	1,192	Y		27	1,219	Y	27	1,246	5
6	- Cell Towers	739	Y		17	756	Y	17	773	6
7	- Transformers	1	Y		-	1	Y	-	1	7
8	Intercompany Billing - Joint Use Rents	3,446	N		-	3,446	N	-	3,446	8
<u>REVENUE SUBJECT TO REFUND</u>										
9	2000 S.I.T. Transitional Tax Benefits	6,973	N	(6,973)	-	-	N	-	-	9
10	Deferred SIT Rate Changes	630	N	(630)	-	-	N	-	-	10
11	Interest on IRS disallowance of SSCM Deduction	(1,472)	N	1,472	-	-	N	-	-	11
12	Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2001 Electric Restoration Goal	97	N	(97)	-	-	N	-	-	12
13	Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2004 Electric Restoration Goal	115	N	(115)	-	-	N	-	-	13
14	Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2005 Electric Restoration Goal	130	N	(130)	-	-	N	-	-	14
15	Accum Prov For Rate Refund: 2006 Electric Restoration Goal	246	N	(246)	-	-	N	-	-	15
16	Accum Prov For Rate Refund: Overearnings Accrual	94	N	(94)	-	-	N	-	-	16
17	Total Other Operating Revenues	<u>\$ 14,607</u>		<u>\$ (6,813)</u>	<u>\$ 100</u>	<u>\$ 7,894</u>		<u>\$ 98</u>	<u>\$ 7,992</u>	17

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
ELECTRIC OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES (excl. Purchased Gas Costs)  
FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND DECEMBER 31, 2009  
(\$000s)

LINE NO.	12 Months			Escalation for 12 Months		12 Months			Escalation for 12 Months		12 Months
	Ending Dec. 31, 2007	Payroll Escl. @ 3.61%	Subject to Inflation @ 2.30%	Ending Dec. 31, 2008	Rate Year 2 Adjustments	Ending Dec. 31, 2008	Payroll Escl. @ 3.09%	Subject to Inflation @ 2.20%	Ending Dec. 31, 2009	Ending Dec. 31, 2009	
1	40,866	Y	N	1,474	-	42,340	Y	N	1,306	43,646	
2	9,213	N	Y	212	-	9,425	N	Y	207	9,632	
3	8,915	N	Y	205	-	9,120	N	Y	201	9,321	
4	Regulatory Costs and Amortizations:										
	- Amort. Research and Development Deferrals	950	N	N	-	-	950	N	N	-	950
	- Research and Development Current Spending	991	N	Y	23	-	1,014	N	Y	22	1,036
	- System Benefit Charge	4,634	N	N	-	75	4,709	N	N	69	4,778
	- Amort. Stray Voltage Program	2,549	N	N	-	(2,549)	-	N	N	-	-
	- Stray Voltage Program - Current Spending	1,759	N	Y	40	-	1,799	N	Y	40	1,839
	- Amort. Storm Reserve Deferrals	2,881	N	N	-	(2,881)	-	N	N	-	-
	- Amort. Deferred 1st Installed Transformers	(1,695)	N	N	-	1,695	-	N	N	-	-
	- Amort. Oil Supplier Refunds	(577)	N	N	-	577	-	N	N	-	-
	- Amort DSM Overrecoveries	(923)	N	N	-	923	-	N	N	-	-
5	Uncollectible Accounts	2,428	N	N	-	86	2,514	N	N	(63)	2,451
6	Tree Trimming / T&D O&M	15,326	N	Y	352	-	15,678	N	Y	345	16,023
7	Regulatory Commission Expenses	1,140	N	Y	26	-	1,166	N	Y	26	1,192
	Other O&M Costs										
8	Advertising	497	N	Y	11	-	508	N	Y	11	520
9	Information Technology Solutions	2,513	N	Y	58	-	2,571	N	Y	57	2,627
10	Legal & Other Professional Services	415	N	Y	10	-	425	N	Y	9	434
11	Rents	1,035	N	Y	24	-	1,059	N	Y	23	1,082
12	Materials and Supplies	1,056	N	Y	24	-	1,080	N	Y	24	1,104
13	Corporate Fiscal	1,022	N	Y	24	-	1,046	N	Y	23	1,069
14	Other O&M	4,638	N	Y	107	-	4,745	N	Y	104	4,849
	<b>Total O&amp;M Expenses*</b>	<b>\$ 99,633</b>			<b>\$ 2,590</b>	<b>\$ (2,074)</b>	<b>\$ 100,149</b>			<b>\$ 2,404</b>	<b>\$ 102,553</b>

\*Exc. Purchased Power, Pensions/OPEBs, MGP

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
**ELECTRIC PENSION / OPEBs EXPENSE**  
**FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND DECEMBER 31, 2009**  
(\$000s)

<u>Electric Expense</u>	12 Months Ending Dec 31, 2007	Program Changes	12 Months Ending Dec 31, 2008
FAS 87 Pension Costs - Qualified Plan	\$ 18,056	\$ (1,696)	\$ 16,360
Capitalized / Recovered Costs	(3,362)	315	(3,047)
Subtotal	14,694	(1,381)	13,313
Amort. Of Deferred Pension Costs	4,121	-	4,121
Net Qualified Pension Costs	18,815	(1,381)	17,434
Supplemental Pension Expense	1,305	(8)	1,297
TOLI Expenses	317	8	325
401K Contributions	1,069	38	1,107
Total Pension Expense	21,506	(1,343)	20,163
FAS 106 OPEB Costs	9,817	(162)	9,655
Pay-As-You-Go	(1,814)	30	(1,784)
Capitalized / Recovered Costs	(2,206)	36	(2,170)
Subtotal	5,797	(96)	5,701
Amort. Of Transitional Obligation	1,817	-	1,817
Amort. Of Deferred OPEB Costs	4,721	-	4,721
Net Qualified Pension Costs	12,335	(96)	12,239
Medicare Part D Tax Benefit - Deferral	-	-	-
- Amortization	(1,112)	-	(1,112)
Total OPEB Expense	11,223	(96)	11,127
Total	32,729	(1,439)	31,290

<u>Electric Expense</u>	12 Months Ending Dec 31, 2008	Program Changes	12 Months Ending Dec 31, 2009
FAS 87 Pension Costs - Qualified Plan	16,360	(1,273)	15,087
Capitalized / Recovered Costs	(3,047)	238	(2,809)
Subtotal	13,313	(1,035)	12,278
Amort. Of Deferred Pension Costs (5 Yrs)	4,121	-	4,121
Net Qualified Pension Costs	17,434	(1,035)	16,399
Supplemental Pension Expense	1,297	(3)	1,294
TOLI Expenses	325	6	331
401K Contributions	1,107	39	1,146
Total Pension Expense	20,163	(993)	19,170
FAS 106 OPEB Costs	9,655	(269)	9,386
Pay-As-You-Go	(1,784)	50	(1,734)
Capitalized / Recovered Costs	(2,170)	60	(2,110)
Subtotal	5,701	(159)	5,542
OPEB Deferral	-	-	-
Amort. Of Transitional Obligation	1,817	-	1,817
Amort. Of Deferred OPEB Costs (5 Yrs)	4,721	-	4,721
Net Qualified Pension Costs	12,239	(159)	12,080
Medicare Part D Tax Benefit - Deferral	-	-	-
- Amortization	(1,112)	-	(1,112)
Total OPEB Expense	11,127	(159)	10,968
Total	31,290	(1,152)	30,138

**ORANGE & ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.**  
**MGP SITES & OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS (\$ ,000s)**  
**FOR THE YEARS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2008 AND DECEMBER 31, 2009**

LINE NO.	12 Months	Subject to Inflation @ <u>2.30%</u>	Escalation for 12 Months	Rate Year 2 Adjustments	12 Months	Subject to Inflation @ <u>2.20%</u>	Escalation for 12 Months	12 Months	
	Ending Dec. 31, <u>2007</u>		Ending Dec. 31, <u>2008</u>		Ending Dec. 31, <u>2008</u>		Ending Dec. 31, <u>2009</u>	Ending Dec. 31, <u>2009</u>	
1	MGP Sites - Recovery of Deferrals	\$ 12,739	N	-	(12,739)	-	N	-	-
2	MGP Sites - Current Spending	5,786	Y	133	-	5,919	Y	130	6,049
3	West Nyack & Other Environmental Sites	452	N	-	(452)	-	N	-	-
4	West Nyack 2007 - Estimated Spending	207	Y	5	-	212	Y	5	216
5	Other Environmental Sites	104	Y	2	-	106	Y	2	108
	<b>Total Environmental Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 19,287</b>		<b>\$ 140</b>	<b>\$ (13,191)</b>	<b>\$ 6,236</b>		<b>\$ 137</b>	<b>\$ 6,374</b>





	Jan-07	Feb-07	Mar-07	Apr-07	May-07	Jun-07	Jul-07	Aug-07	Sep-07	Oct-07	Nov-07	Dec-07
Office Buildings	42,160.3	42,200.6	42,181.7	42,175.4	43,314.2	43,427.0	43,480.7	43,459.0	43,437.2	44,082.1	44,205.4	44,225.0
Office Furniture	3,526.3	3,508.3	3,490.2	3,466.9	3,448.8	3,430.7	3,407.4	3,389.3	3,371.2	3,347.9	3,324.6	3,301.3
Automobiles	360.8	360.8	360.8	411.3	512.6	512.6	512.6	512.6	512.6	593.7	593.7	593.7
Light Trucks	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1	1,707.1
Heavy Trucks	2,558.7	2,660.0	2,761.3	3,004.5	3,267.9	3,571.9	4,666.0	4,969.9	5,172.6	5,172.6	5,172.6	5,172.6
General Equipment	1,111.5	1,122.1	1,163.7	1,299.5	1,364.8	1,654.2	1,663.6	1,727.9	1,778.9	1,824.2	1,844.2	1,888.0
Data Handling Equipment	12,517.2	12,452.4	12,387.6	12,322.8	12,258.0	12,193.2	12,128.4	12,063.6	11,998.8	11,934.0	11,869.2	11,804.4
Essements	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0	786.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>127,212.6</b>	<b>127,161.5</b>	<b>127,590.0</b>	<b>127,789.4</b>	<b>129,139.3</b>	<b>130,150.0</b>	<b>131,453.7</b>	<b>131,924.6</b>	<b>132,460.1</b>	<b>133,007.6</b>	<b>134,314.0</b>	<b>135,559.1</b>

**Common Plant Depreciation Rates:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832
Office Furniture	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640
Automobiles	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043
Light Trucks	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134
Heavy Trucks	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464
General Equipment	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358
Data Handling Equipment	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438
Essements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	120.2	118.8	117.6	121.6	120.2	118.8	122.8	125.3	127.4	131.4	130.0	143.1
Intangible Plant - Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4
Plant Field Order Route Design	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Software New Bus Proj Management	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Software Data Pipe	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Blue Hill	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
<b>Total Amortizations</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>	<b>222.5</b>
Office Buildings	77.3	77.2	77.3	77.3	77.3	79.4	79.6	79.7	79.6	79.6	80.8	81.0
Office Furniture	16.5	16.4	16.3	16.2	16.1	16.0	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4
Automobiles	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	6.0	6.0
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	11.2	19.1	19.9	20.6	22.4	24.4	26.7	34.8	37.1	38.6	38.6	38.6
General Equipment	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.7	5.9	7.2	7.3	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.0
Data Handling Equipment	81.0	80.6	80.2	79.8	79.3	78.9	78.5	78.1	77.7	77.2	76.8	76.4
Essements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>554.4</b>	<b>560.3</b>	<b>559.6</b>	<b>564.0</b>	<b>564.9</b>	<b>568.3</b>	<b>575.6</b>	<b>585.9</b>	<b>589.9</b>	<b>595.1</b>	<b>595.4</b>	<b>608.3</b>

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to Clearing Accounts:**

Information System	120.2	118.8	117.6	121.6	120.2	118.8	122.8	125.3	127.4	131.4	130.0	143.1
Automobiles	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	6.0	6.0
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	11.2	19.1	19.9	20.6	22.4	24.4	26.7	34.8	37.1	38.6	38.6	38.6
General Equipment	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.1	5.7	5.9	7.2	7.3	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>157.1</b>	<b>163.6</b>	<b>163.3</b>	<b>168.2</b>	<b>169.7</b>	<b>171.5</b>	<b>179.1</b>	<b>189.8</b>	<b>194.4</b>	<b>200.2</b>	<b>199.8</b>	<b>213.0</b>

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Allocated:**

Unallocated @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant - Amortizations @ 75.97%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5
Plant Field Order Route Design	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Software New Bus Proj Management	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Software Data Pipe	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Blue Hill	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
<b>Total Amortizations</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>	<b>169.0</b>
Office Buildings @ 70.75%	54.7	54.6	54.7	54.7	54.7	56.2	56.3	56.4	56.3	56.3	57.2	57.3
Office Furniture @ 70.75%	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.1	11.0	11.0	10.9
Data Handling Equipment @ 70.75%	57.3	57.0	56.7	56.5	56.1	55.8	55.5	55.3	55.0	54.6	54.3	54.1
Essements @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Common Depreciation Allocated</b>	<b>292.7</b>	<b>292.2</b>	<b>291.9</b>	<b>291.7</b>	<b>291.2</b>	<b>292.3</b>	<b>292.0</b>	<b>291.9</b>	<b>291.4</b>	<b>290.9</b>	<b>291.5</b>	<b>291.3</b>

Total Electric Depreciation On Income Statement	1,598.2	1,602.3	1,605.6	1,610.6	1,613.8	1,650.8	1,654.1	1,659.5	1,664.9	1,670.2	1,674.1	1,678.6
Total Common Depreciation Alloc On Income St	292.7	292.2	291.9	291.7	291.2	292.3	292.0	291.9	291.4	290.9	291.5	291.3
<b>Total Electric Depreciation On Income Stat</b>	<b>1,890.9</b>	<b>1,894.5</b>	<b>1,897.5</b>	<b>1,902.3</b>	<b>1,905.0</b>	<b>1,943.1</b>	<b>1,946.1</b>	<b>1,951.4</b>	<b>1,956.3</b>	<b>1,961.1</b>	<b>1,965.6</b>	<b>1,969.9</b>

12 Months Ended Dec. 2007 23,183.7

Total Electric Depreciation Charged to Clearing	114.4	115.4	116.7	118.0	120.0	124.2	128.9	128.8	130.3	132.5	134.3	136.2
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12 Months Ended Dec. 2007 1,497.5

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	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08	Sep-08	Oct-08	Nov-08	Dec-08
<b>Electric Plant In Service Beginning Balances:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	534,730.0	535,859.6	536,934.4	538,231.6	539,212.3	556,182.0	558,555.2	560,073.5	568,221.2	569,579.5	570,977.6	575,181.3
Transmission	148,130.9	146,065.0	145,996.0	145,926.7	145,909.0	145,964.6	156,954.3	158,170.5	158,106.1	158,042.2	157,998.6	157,953.5
Trans And Distr Future	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1
Information System	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6
Intangible Plant	1,163.7	1,158.0	1,152.3	1,148.6	1,140.9	1,135.2	1,129.5	1,123.8	1,118.1	1,112.4	1,106.7	1,101.0
Office Buildings	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0
Office Furniture	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3
Automobiles	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6
Light Trucks	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6
Heavy Trucks	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9
General Equipment	6,168.4	6,278.5	6,438.2	6,608.2	6,868.9	7,457.7	8,208.8	8,239.9	8,512.6	8,743.6	8,991.0	8,991.0
Data Handling Equipment	8,887.1	8,862.3	8,837.5	8,812.7	8,787.9	8,763.1	8,738.3	8,714.7	8,728.1	8,738.9	8,720.9	8,703.3
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>723,374.1</b>	<b>724,515.5</b>	<b>725,650.4</b>	<b>727,017.9</b>	<b>728,211.0</b>	<b>745,816.7</b>	<b>759,492.2</b>	<b>762,401.9</b>	<b>770,707.5</b>	<b>772,280.7</b>	<b>773,841.5</b>	<b>778,224.2</b>

<b>Electric Plant Additions:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	1,450.8	1,395.9	1,818.4	1,301.9	17,280.9	2,694.4	1,839.5	8,468.9	1,678.5	1,719.2	4,524.9	9,198.1
Transmission	18.5	15.4	15.1	66.7	160.0	11,054.1	1,300.6	20.0	20.5	40.6	39.3	18,806.1
Trans And Distr Future	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	108.1	159.7	170.0	260.7	590.8	363.1	204.5	214.6	272.7	231.0	247.4	247.4
Data Handling Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	38.2	36.6	5.8	7.2	2.4
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,577.4</b>	<b>1,571.0</b>	<b>1,803.5</b>	<b>1,629.3</b>	<b>18,041.7</b>	<b>14,111.7</b>	<b>3,345.8</b>	<b>8,741.7</b>	<b>2,009.3</b>	<b>1,998.8</b>	<b>4,818.8</b>	<b>28,258.0</b>

<b>Electric Plant Retirements:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2
Transmission	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
Trans And Distr Future	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
Office Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Data Handling Equipment	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>

<b>Electric Plant Ending Balances:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	535,859.6	536,934.4	538,231.6	539,212.3	556,182.0	558,555.2	560,073.5	568,221.2	569,579.5	570,977.6	575,181.3	584,058.1
Transmission	148,065.0	145,996.0	145,926.7	145,909.0	145,964.6	156,954.3	158,170.5	158,106.1	158,042.2	157,998.6	157,953.5	176,677.2
Trans And Distr Future	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1
Information System	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6
Intangible Plant	1,158.0	1,152.3	1,148.6	1,140.9	1,135.2	1,129.5	1,123.8	1,118.1	1,112.4	1,106.7	1,101.0	1,095.3
Office Buildings	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0
Office Furniture	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3
Automobiles	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6
Light Trucks	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6
Heavy Trucks	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9
General Equipment	6,278.5	6,438.2	6,608.2	6,868.9	7,457.7	8,208.8	8,239.9	8,512.6	8,743.6	8,991.0	9,238.4	9,238.4
Data Handling Equipment	8,862.3	8,837.5	8,812.7	8,787.9	8,763.1	8,738.3	8,714.7	8,728.1	8,738.9	8,720.9	8,703.3	8,680.9
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>724,515.5</b>	<b>725,650.4</b>	<b>727,017.9</b>	<b>728,211.0</b>	<b>745,816.7</b>	<b>759,492.2</b>	<b>762,401.9</b>	<b>770,707.5</b>	<b>772,280.7</b>	<b>773,841.5</b>	<b>778,224.2</b>	<b>806,044.0</b>

<b>Electric Plant Depreciation Rates:</b>												
Unallocated	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040
Distribution	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090
Transmission	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530
Trans And Distr Future	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890	0.0168890
Information System	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540
Intangible Plant	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770
Office Buildings	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340	0.0080340
Office Furniture	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310
Automobiles	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950
Light Trucks	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920
Heavy Trucks	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190
General Equipment	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760
Data Handling Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Electric Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:



Total	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08	Sep-08	Oct-08	Nov-08	Dec-08
	135,329.2	135,142.6	135,959.3	137,341.4	144,052.4	145,530.3	145,668.3	145,814.6	146,435.9	146,787.6	146,825.6	149,181.5

**Common Plant Depreciation Rates:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	0.010418	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832
Office Furniture	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640
Automobiles	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043
Light Trucks	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134
Heavy Trucks	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464
General Equipment	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358
Data Handling Equipment	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438
Esasements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	156.3	155.4	154.5	161.4	160.5	159.6	170.0	169.7	168.8	174.3	173.4	172.5
Intangible Plant - Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4	20.4
Plant Field Order Route Design	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Software New Bus Proj Management	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5	8.5
Software Data Pipe	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Blue Hill	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Total Amortizations	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	222.5	214.0	214.0	214.0	214.0	214.0	214.0	214.0
Office Buildings	81.0	80.9	80.9	80.8	81.1	93.1	93.5	93.7	93.7	93.8	94.3	94.4
Office Furniture	15.3	15.2	15.1	15.0	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.7	14.6	14.5	14.4	14.3
Automobiles	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.1	9.4	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	11.3	11.3
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	38.6	38.6	38.6	39.4	47.0	47.8	48.6	49.5	51.2	52.0	52.8	53.7
General Equipment	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.5	9.3	9.6	10.7	10.8	11.1	11.3	11.6	11.7
Data Handling Equipment	76.0	75.6	75.2	74.7	74.3	73.9	73.5	73.1	72.7	72.2	71.8	71.4
Esasements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	621.2	619.7	618.4	626.7	636.3	640.6	652.9	653.3	653.9	659.9	660.9	660.6

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to**

Clearing Accounts:	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08	Sep-08	Oct-08	Nov-08	Dec-08
Information System	156.3	155.4	154.5	161.4	160.5	159.6	170.0	169.7	168.8	174.3	173.4	172.5
Automobiles	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.1	9.4	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5	11.3	11.3
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	38.6	38.6	38.6	39.4	47.0	47.8	48.6	49.5	51.2	52.0	52.8	53.7
General Equipment	8.2	8.2	8.3	8.5	9.3	9.6	10.7	10.8	11.1	11.3	11.6	11.7
Total	226.4	225.5	224.7	233.7	243.5	244.8	257.1	257.8	258.9	265.4	266.4	266.5

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Allocated:**

Unallocated @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant - Amortizations @ 75.97%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5
Plant Field Order Route Design	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Software New Bus Proj Management	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Software Data Pipe	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Blue Hill	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Total Amortizations	169.0	169.0	169.0	169.0	169.0	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5	162.5
Office Buildings @ 70.75%	57.3	57.2	57.2	57.2	57.4	65.9	66.2	66.3	66.3	66.4	66.7	66.8
Office Furniture @ 70.75%	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.1
Data Handling Equipment @ 70.75%	53.8	53.5	53.2	52.9	52.6	52.3	52.0	51.7	51.4	51.1	50.8	50.5
Esasements @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Common Depreciation Allocated	290.9	290.5	290.1	289.7	289.5	291.2	291.2	290.9	290.5	290.3	290.2	289.9

Total Electric Depreciation On Income Statement	1,688.3	1,688.7	1,691.0	1,693.9	1,696.1	1,736.9	1,763.4	1,769.2	1,788.8	1,791.9	1,795.1	1,805.0
Total Common Depreciation Alloc On Income Stat	290.9	290.5	290.1	289.7	289.5	291.2	291.2	290.9	290.5	290.3	290.2	289.9
Total Electric Depreciation On Income State	1,977.2	1,979.2	1,981.1	1,983.6	1,985.6	2,028.1	2,054.6	2,060.1	2,079.3	2,082.2	2,085.3	2,094.9

12 Months Ended Dec. 2008

24,331.2

Total Electric Depreciation Charged to Clearing

138.1	138.8	139.9	141.0	142.8	148.9	149.3	150.7	152.2	154.0	155.6	157.3
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12 Months Ended Dec. 2008

1,766.6

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
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	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09
<b>Electric Plant In Service Beginning Balance:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	584,056.1	565,196.5	586,279.3	587,588.1	588,501.0	591,300.9	594,461.0	595,680.0	597,060.1	604,425.5	605,837.6	610,471.5
Transmission	176,677.2	176,981.6	176,816.6	176,851.3	176,837.3	177,388.9	177,398.8	177,335.2	177,275.6	177,215.8	177,480.3	177,942.5
Trans And Distr Future	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1
Information System	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6
Intangible Plant	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6
Office Buildings	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0
Office Furniture	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3
Automobiles	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6
Light Trucks	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6
Heavy Trucks	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9
General Equipment	9,238.4	9,349.9	9,514.5	9,689.8	9,868.9	10,569.3	10,944.5	11,156.1	11,377.8	11,659.5	11,898.8	12,154.0
Data Handling Equipment	8,650.9	8,656.1	8,631.3	8,606.5	8,581.7	8,556.9	8,532.1	8,508.5	8,521.9	8,534.5	8,515.8	8,495.3
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>806,044.0</b>	<b>807,567.8</b>	<b>806,719.7</b>	<b>810,108.0</b>	<b>811,245.1</b>	<b>815,174.8</b>	<b>818,691.5</b>	<b>820,029.2</b>	<b>821,579.1</b>	<b>829,173.4</b>	<b>831,064.9</b>	<b>836,390.0</b>

	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09
<b>Electric Plant Additions:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	1,459.6	1,404.0	1,630.0	1,234.1	3,121.0	3,481.3	1,540.2	1,701.3	7,686.6	1,733.3	4,955.1	4,248.2
Transmission	388.8	19.4	19.1	70.4	634.0	96.3	20.8	24.8	24.6	348.9	546.6	4,323.9
Trans And Distr Future	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	111.5	164.6	175.3	268.7	610.6	375.2	211.6	221.7	281.7	239.3	255.2	255.2
Data Handling Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.2	38.2	37.4	6.1	4.3	2.4
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,959.9</b>	<b>1,588.0</b>	<b>1,824.4</b>	<b>1,573.2</b>	<b>4,365.6</b>	<b>3,952.8</b>	<b>1,773.8</b>	<b>1,986.0</b>	<b>8,030.3</b>	<b>2,327.6</b>	<b>5,761.2</b>	<b>8,627.7</b>

	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09
<b>Electric Plant Retirements:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2	321.2
Transmission	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4	84.4
Trans And Distr Future	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7
Office Buildings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Furniture	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Automobiles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Light Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heavy Trucks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
General Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Data Handling Equipment	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8	24.8
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>	<b>436.1</b>

	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09
<b>Electric Plant Ending Balance:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	585,196.5	586,279.3	587,588.1	588,501.0	591,300.9	594,461.0	595,680.0	597,060.1	604,425.5	605,837.6	610,471.5	614,396.5
Transmission	176,981.6	176,916.6	176,851.3	176,837.3	177,388.9	177,398.8	177,335.2	177,275.6	177,215.8	177,480.3	177,942.5	182,182.0
Trans And Distr Future	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1	3,786.1
Information System	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6	1,048.6
Intangible Plant	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6	1,089.6
Office Buildings	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0	2,020.0
Office Furniture	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3	9,758.3
Automobiles	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6	144.6
Light Trucks	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6	1,941.6
Heavy Trucks	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9	7,594.9
General Equipment	9,349.9	9,514.5	9,689.8	9,868.9	10,569.3	10,944.5	11,156.1	11,377.8	11,659.5	11,898.8	12,154.0	12,409.2
Data Handling Equipment	8,656.1	8,631.3	8,606.5	8,581.7	8,556.9	8,532.1	8,508.5	8,521.9	8,534.5	8,515.8	8,495.3	8,472.9
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trailers	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>807,567.8</b>	<b>806,719.7</b>	<b>810,108.0</b>	<b>811,245.1</b>	<b>815,174.8</b>	<b>818,691.5</b>	<b>820,029.2</b>	<b>821,579.1</b>	<b>829,173.4</b>	<b>831,064.9</b>	<b>836,390.0</b>	<b>844,781.6</b>

	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09
<b>Electric Plant Depreciation Rates:</b>												
Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040	0.0024040
Transmission	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090	0.0019090
Trans And Distr Future	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530	0.0000530
Information System	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890	0.0166890
Intangible Plant	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540	0.0050540
Office Buildings	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770	0.0022770
Office Furniture	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340	0.0060340
Automobiles	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310	0.0138310
Light Trucks	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950	0.0100950
Heavy Trucks	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920	0.0074920
General Equipment	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190	0.0068190
Data Handling Equipment	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.0036760	0.00367								



Total	Jan-08	Feb-08	Mar-08	Apr-08	May-08	Jun-08	Jul-08	Aug-08	Sep-08	Oct-08	Nov-08	Dec-08
	148,901.0	148,665.7	149,305.0	150,701.0	150,845.8	151,838.6	151,738.1	151,688.8	153,144.7	156,473.7	156,230.6	157,263.6

**Common Plant Depreciation Rates:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416	0.010416
Intangible Plant	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office Buildings	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832	0.001832
Office Furniture	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640	0.004640
Automobiles	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043	0.010043
Light Trucks	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134	0.010134
Heavy Trucks	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464	0.007464
General Equipment	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358	0.004358
Data Handling Equipment	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438	0.006438
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense @ 100%:**

Unallocated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Information System	198.9	195.4	194.0	201.3	199.9	201.3	207.2	205.8	204.4	210.4	244.3	242.9
Intangible Plant - Amortizations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2	182.2
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	20.4	20.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plant Field Order Route Design	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Software New Bus Proj Management	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Software Data Pipe	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
Blue Hill	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Total Amortizations	214.0	214.0	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6	193.6
Office Buildings	94.4	94.3	94.3	94.2	94.2	94.4	94.7	94.9	94.9	95.3	95.4	95.3
Office Furniture	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1
Automobiles	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1
General Equipment	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.1	13.2	13.2	14.6	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.2	15.2
Data Handling Equipment	71.0	70.6	70.2	69.7	69.3	68.9	68.5	68.1	67.7	67.2	66.8	66.4
Easements	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	685.1	683.0	660.7	667.5	677.8	678.9	686.0	684.4	683.7	694.5	729.2	727.2

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Charged to Clearing Accounts:**

Information System	196.9	195.4	194.0	201.3	199.9	201.3	207.2	205.8	204.4	210.4	244.3	242.9
Automobiles	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3	11.3
Light Trucks	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3
Heavy Trucks	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1	54.1
General Equipment	11.9	11.9	11.9	12.1	13.2	13.2	14.6	14.7	14.9	15.1	15.2	15.2
Total	291.5	290.0	288.6	296.1	308.9	308.3	315.6	314.3	314.1	325.1	360.2	358.8

**Common Plant Depreciation Expense Allocated:**

Unallocated @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intangible Plant - Amortizations @ 75.97%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CIMS	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4	138.4
Retail Access Ph 3 & 4	15.5	15.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plant Field Order Route Design	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Software New Bus Proj Management	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Software Data Pipe	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
Blue Hill	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Total Amortizations	162.5	162.5	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0	147.0
Office Buildings @ 70.75%	66.8	66.7	66.7	66.6	66.6	66.8	67.0	67.1	67.1	67.4	67.5	67.4
Office Furniture @ 70.75%	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.3
Data Handling Equipment @ 70.75%	50.2	49.9	49.7	49.3	49.0	48.7	48.5	48.2	47.9	47.5	47.3	47.0
Easements @ 70.75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Common Depreciation Allocated	289.5	289.1	273.3	272.7	272.4	272.2	272.1	271.9	271.5	271.3	271.1	270.7

Total Electric Depreciation On Income Statement	1,862.0	1,865.2	1,867.5	1,870.4	1,872.5	1,880.2	1,887.8	1,890.3	1,893.5	1,911.2	1,914.9	1,926.9
Total Common Depreciation Alloc On Income Stat	289.5	289.1	273.3	272.7	272.4	272.2	272.1	271.9	271.5	271.3	271.1	270.7
Total Electric Depreciation On Income State	2,151.5	2,154.3	2,140.8	2,143.1	2,144.9	2,152.4	2,159.9	2,162.2	2,165.0	2,182.5	2,186.0	2,197.6

12 Months Ended Dec. 2009

25,940.2

Total Electric Depreciation Charged to Clearing	159.0	159.8	160.9	162.1	163.9	168.1	170.6	172.1	173.6	175.5	177.1	178.9
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12 Months Ended Dec. 2009

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Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.  
 Electric Department  
 Taxes Other than Income Taxes  
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	2007 As Reflected in Exhibit E-4 and E-5	2008 Adjustments	2008 As Adjusted	Changes	Adjusted
Revenue Taxes	\$4,949	(\$232)	\$4,717	\$0	\$4,717
Property Taxes					
Expense	16,844	98	16,942		16,942
Prior Period Overcollection	(5,279)	5,279	-		-
Property Tax Refunds	(3,334)	3,334	-		-
Payroll Taxes	2,561	76	2,637		2,637
All Other	-	-	-		-
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	<u>\$15,741</u>	<u>\$8,555</u>	<u>\$24,296</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$24,296</u>
Less: Gross Receipts Taxes	<u>(4,949)</u>	<u>232</u>	<u>(4,717)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(4,717)</u>
Total Excluding GRT	<u>\$10,792</u>	<u>\$8,787</u>	<u>\$19,579</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$19,579</u>

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	2008 As Reflected in Exhibit E-6	2009 Adjustments	2009 As Adjusted	Changes	Adjusted
Revenue Taxes	\$4,717	(\$78)	\$4,639	\$0	\$4,639
Property Taxes	16,942	254	17,197		17,197
Payroll Taxes	2,637	86	2,723		2,723
All Other	<u>0</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
Taxes Other Than Income Taxes	<u>\$24,296</u>	<u>\$262</u>	<u>\$24,558</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$24,558</u>
Less: Gross Receipts Taxes	<u>(4,717)</u>	<u>78</u>	<u>(4,639)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(4,639)</u>
Total Excluding GRT	<u>\$19,579</u>	<u>\$340</u>	<u>\$19,919</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$19,919</u>

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	2007 As Reflected in Exhibit E-4 and E-5	2008 Adjustments	2008 As Adjusted	Changes	Adjusted
Operating Income Before Income Taxes	\$55,067	-\$8	\$55,060	\$0	\$55,060
<b>Additions: Taxable Income &amp; Unallowable Deductions</b>					
UNALLOWABLE BUSINESS EXPENSE	51	-	51		51
NON TAXABLE INCOME, UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS	415	-	415		415
Total Deductions	466	-	466	-	466
<b>Deduct: Non Taxable Inc. &amp; Add'l Deductions</b>					
INTEREST EXPENSE	14,039	1,189	15,228		15,228
MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT	1,449	-	1,449		1,449
Total Deductions	15,488	1,189	16,677	-	16,677
Pre Tax Income	40,045	(1,197)	38,849	-	38,849
<b>Normalized Items:</b>					
<b>Add: Add'l Income &amp; Unallowable Deducts Normal</b>					
BOOK DEPRECIATION - CHARGED TO EXPENSE	23,184	1,207	24,391	-	24,391
- CHARGED TO CLEARING	1,498	269	1,767	-	1,767
CAPITALIZED INTEREST	1,289	-	1,289	-	1,289
TOTAL	25,971	1,476	27,447	-	27,447
<b>Deduct: Non Taxable Inc. &amp; Add'l Deductions</b>					
NYS TAX DEPRECIATION - EXISTING BOOK RATES	36,833	4,385	41,218	-	41,218
COST OF REMOVAL	756	51	806	-	806
LIEN DATE PROPERTY TAX DEDUCTION	102	2	104	-	104
LOSS ON DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY	844	-	844	-	844
TOTAL	38,535	4,438	42,972	-	42,972
<b>SECTION II - NORMALIZED ITEMS</b>					
<b>ADD: ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:</b>					
POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS CAPIT. / EXP. (FASB 106)	12,335	(96)	12,239	-	12,239
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION	1,375	-	1,375	-	1,375
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONST. - REFUNDABLE	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)
INCREASE IN DEFERRED FUEL COST	(2,451)	2,540	89	-	89
ENVIRONMENTAL RESERVE	112	-	112	-	112
SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION - NONQUALIFIED	951	-	951	-	951
UNALLOWABLE BOOK PENSION EXPENSE	18,815	(1,381)	17,434	-	17,434
TOTAL	31,114	1,063	32,177	0	32,177
<b>DEDUCT: NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:</b>					
R&D EXPENSE DEBITED TO RESERVE	(950)	-	(950)	-	(950)
OPEB FUNDING	7,228	(162)	7,066	-	7,066
ENVIRONMENTAL COST - QER EXPEND. SECTION 198	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270
STORM DAMAGE DEFERRED ON BOOKS	(2,881)	2,881	-	-	-
PENSION FUNDING	18,753	(697)	18,056	-	18,056
CONSERVATION/ DSM	923	(923)	-	-	-
STRAY VOLTAGE	(2,549)	2,549	-	-	-
CHANGE OF ACCOUNTING- SEC 263A ADJ	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)
SOFTWARE COST - DEVELOPED CIMS- PLUS - WALKER	2,029	-	2,029	-	2,029
TOTAL	23,405	3,648	27,053	0	27,053
TAXABLE INCOME OR (LOSS)	35,191	(6,743)	28,447	0	28,447
<b>SUMMARY OF STATE INCOME TAXES</b>					
CURRENT STATE INCOME TAXES @ 7.5%	2,639	(506)	2,134	-	2,134
DEFERRED STATE INCOME TAXES @ 7.5%	364	416	780	-	780
NYS INCOME TAX	\$ 3,003	\$ (90)	\$ 2,914	\$ -	\$ 2,914
(Incr.) / Decr. to Rate Base - Change in Deferred SIT	\$ 364	\$ 416	\$ 780	\$ -	\$ 780
- FIT on SIT	(127)	(146)	(273)	-	(273)
Increase) / Decrease	\$ 237	\$ 270	\$ 507	\$ -	\$ 507

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	2008 As Reflected in Exhibit E-7	2009 Adjustments	2009 As Adjusted	Changes	Adjusted
Operating Income Before Income Taxes	\$55,060	-\$16,514	\$38,545	\$0	\$38,545
<b>Additions: Taxable Income &amp; Unallowable Deductions</b>					
UNALLOWABLE BUSINESS EXPENSE	51	-	51		51
NON TAXABLE INCOME, UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS	415	-	415		415
Total Deductions	466	-	466	-	466
<b>Deduct: Non Taxable Inc. &amp; Add'l Deductions</b>					
INTEREST EXPENSE	15,228	1,189	16,417		16,417
MEDICARE REIMBURSEMENT	1,449	-	1,449		1,449
Total Deductions	16,677	1,189	17,866	-	17,866
Pre Tax Income	38,849	(17,703)	21,145	-	21,145
<b>Normalized Items:</b>					
<b>Add: Add'l Income &amp; Unallowable Deducts Normal</b>					
BOOK DEPRECIATION - CHARGED TO EXPENSE	24,391	1,549	25,940	-	25,940
- CHARGED TO CLEARING	1,767	255	2,022	-	2,022
CAPITALIZED INTEREST	1,289	-	1,289	-	1,289
TOTAL	27,447	1,804	29,251	-	29,251
<b>Deduct: Non Taxable Inc. &amp; Add'l Deductions</b>					
NYS TAX DEPRECIATION - EXISTING BOOK RATES	41,218	3,530	44,748	-	44,748
COST OF REMOVAL	806	(21)	785	-	785
LIEN DATE PROPERTY TAX DEDUCTION	104	1	106	-	106
LOSS ON DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY	844	-	844	-	844
TOTAL	42,972	3,511	46,483	-	46,483
<b>SECTION II - NORMALIZED ITEMS</b>					
<b>ADD: ADDITIONAL TAXABLE INCOME AND UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:</b>					
POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS CAPIT. / EXP. (FASB 106)	12,239	(159)	12,080	-	12,080
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION	1,375	-	1,375	-	1,375
CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONST. - REFUNDABLE	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)
INCREASE IN DEFERRED FUEL COST	89	(54)	35	-	35
ENVIRONMENTAL RESERVE	112	-	112	-	112
SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION - NONQUALIFIED	951	-	951	-	951
UNALLOWABLE BOOK PENSION EXPENSE	17,434	(1,035)	16,399	-	16,399
TOTAL	32,177	(1,248)	30,929	0	30,929
<b>DEDUCT: NONTAXABLE INCOME AND ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS:</b>					
R&D EXPENSE DEBITED TO RESERVE	(950)	-	(950)	-	(950)
OPEB FUNDING	7,066	(216)	6,850	-	6,850
ENVIRONMENTAL COST - QER EXPEND. SECTION 198	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270
STORM DAMAGE DEFERRED ON BOOKS	-	-	-	-	-
PENSION FUNDING	18,056	(1,696)	16,360	-	16,360
CONSERVATION/ DSM/ LCAPS	-	-	-	-	-
STRAY VOLTAGE	-	-	-	-	-
CHANGE OF ACCOUNTING- SEC 263A ADJ	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)
SOFTWARE COST - DEVELOPED CIMS- PLUS - WALKER	2,029	-	2,029	-	2,029
TOTAL	27,053	(1,912)	25,141	0	25,141
TAXABLE INCOME OR (LOSS)	28,447	(18,746)	9,701	0	9,701
<b>SUMMARY OF STATE INCOME TAXES</b>					
CURRENT STATE INCOME TAXES @ 7.5%	2,134	(1,406)	728	-	728
DEFERRED STATE INCOME TAXES @ 7.5%	780	78	858	-	858
COME TAX	\$ 2,914	\$ (1,328)	\$ 1,586	\$ -	\$ 1,586
<b>(Incr.) / Decr. to Rate Base - Change in Deferred SIT</b>					
- FIT on SIT	\$ 780	\$ 78	\$ 858	\$ -	\$ 858
increase) / Decrease	(273)	(27)	(300)	-	(300)
	\$ 507	\$ 51	\$ 558	\$ -	\$ 558

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	2007 As Reflected in Exhibit E-4 and E-5	2008 Adjustments	2008 As Adjusted	Changes	Adjusted
Operating Income Before Income Taxes	\$55,067	\$ (8)	\$ 55,060	\$0	\$55,060
New York State Income Taxes	3,003	(90)	2,913	-	2,913
Book Operating Income before FIT	<u>52,064</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>52,147</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>52,147</u>
<b>Flow Through Items</b>					
<b>Add: Additional Income and Unallowable Deductions</b>					
BOOK DEPRECIATION - CHARGED TO EXPENSE	23,184	1,207	24,391	-	24,391
- CHARGED TO CLEARING	1,498	269	1,767	-	1,767
Capitalized Interest	1,289	-	1,289	-	1,289
UNALLOWABLE BUSINESS EXPENSE	51	-	51	-	51
NON TAXABLE INCOME, UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS	415	-	415	-	415
Total Additions	<u>26,437</u>	<u>1,476</u>	<u>27,913</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>27,913</u>
<b>Deduct: Non-Taxable Income and Additional Deductions</b>					
Interest on Debt	14,039	1,189	15,228	-	15,228
Statutory Depreciation	21,309	1,181	22,490	-	22,490
Removal Costs	756	51	806	-	806
Medicare Reimbursement	1,449	-	1,449	-	1,449
Lien Date Property Tax Deduction	102	2	104	-	104
Loss on Disposition of Property	844	-	844	-	844
Total Deductions	<u>38,499</u>	<u>2,423</u>	<u>40,921</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>40,921</u>
Pretax Income	<u>40,003</u>	<u>(864)</u>	<u>39,138</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>39,138</u>
<b>Normalized Items:</b>					
<b>Add: Additional Income &amp; Unallowable Deductions:</b>					
Increase in Deferred Fuel Cost	(2,451)	2,540	89	-	89
Amortization of Bond Redemption Cost	154	-	154	-	154
Post Employment Benefits Expense	12,335	(96)	12,239	-	12,239
Deferred State Income Tax Non Deductible	364	416	780	-	780
Contributions in Aid of Construction	1,374	-	1,374	-	1,374
Contributions in Aid of Const. - Refundable	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)
Environmental Reserve	112	-	112	-	112
Book Amortization Computer Software	623	-	623	-	623
Unallowable Book Pension Expense	18,815	(1,381)	17,434	-	17,434
Excess Book Over Tax Depr. - B.H.	(18)	-	(18)	-	(18)
Total Additions	<u>31,286</u>	<u>1,479</u>	<u>32,765</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>32,765</u>
<b>Deduct: Non-Taxable Income &amp; Other Deductions:</b>					
Tax Depreciation (Norm) - ADR / ACRS / MACRS	7,008	2,099	9,107	-	9,107
Pension Funding	18,753	(697)	18,056	-	18,056
OPEB Funding	7,228	(162)	7,066	-	7,066
R&D Expense Debited to Reserve	(950)	-	(950)	-	(950)
Excess Tax Depr. Over Veh. Lease Exp.	(405)	(62)	(467)	-	(467)
Environmental Cost - Qer Expend. Sect. 198	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270
Conservation/ DSM / LCAPS	923	(923)	-	-	-
Stray Voltage	(2,549)	2,549	-	-	-
Software Cost - Developed CIMS- Plus - Walker	2,029	-	2,029	-	2,029
Change Of Accounting- Sec 263A Adj	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)
Total Deductions	<u>32,890</u>	<u>2,804</u>	<u>35,693</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>35,693</u>
Taxable Income or (Loss)	<u>38,399</u>	<u>(2,189)</u>	<u>36,210</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>36,210</u>
<b>Summary of Federal Income Taxes</b>					
Current Federal Income Taxes	13,440	(766)	12,674	-	12,674
Deferred Federal Income Taxes	561	464	1,025	-	1,025
Amortization of Deferred FIT - Section 263A	(493)	-	(493)	-	(493)
Total Federal Income Tax	<u>13,508</u>	<u>(302)</u>	<u>13,206</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,206</u>
(Incr) / Decr to Rate Base - Change in Def. Fit	\$ 765	\$ 713	\$ 1,478	\$ -	\$ 1,478
Amortization of Deferred FIT	(493)	-	(493)	-	(493)
Amortization of Deferred ITC	(212)	-	(242)	-	(242)
Net Rate Base (Increase) / Decrease	<u>\$ 60</u>	<u>\$ 713</u>	<u>\$ 743</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 743</u>

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	2008 As Reflected in Exhibit E-7	2009 Adjustments	2009 As Adjusted	Changes	Adjusted
Operating Income Before Income Taxes	\$55,060	\$ (8)	\$ 55,052	\$0	\$55,052
New York State Income Taxes	2,913	(90)	2,823	-	2,823
Book Operating Income before FIT	<u>52,147</u>	<u>82</u>	<u>52,229</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>52,229</u>
<b>Flow Through Items</b>					
<b>Add: Additional Income and Unallowable Deductions</b>					
BOOK DEPRECIATION - CHARGED TO EXPENSE	24,391	1,549	25,940	-	25,940
- CHARGED TO CLEARING	1,767	255	-	-	-
Capitalized Interest	1,289	-	1,289	-	1,289
UNALLOWABLE BUSINESS EXPENSE	51	-	51	-	51
NON TAXABLE INCOME, UNALLOWABLE DEDUCTIONS	415	-	415	-	415
Total Additions	<u>27,913</u>	<u>1,804</u>	<u>27,695</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>27,695</u>
<b>Deduct: Non-Taxable Income and Additional Deductions</b>					
Interest on Debt	15,228	1,189	16,417	-	16,417
Statutory Depreciation	22,490	1,442	23,932	-	23,932
Removal Costs	806	(21)	785	-	785
Medicare Reimbursement	1,449	-	1,449	-	1,449
Lien Date Property Tax Deduction	104	1	106	-	106
Loss on Disposition of Property	844	-	844	-	844
Total Deductions	<u>40,921</u>	<u>2,612</u>	<u>43,533</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>43,533</u>
Pretax Income	<u>39,138</u>	<u>(726)</u>	<u>36,391</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>36,391</u>
<b>Normalized Items:</b>					
<b>Add: Additional Income &amp; Unallowable Deductions:</b>					
Increase in Deferred Fuel Cost	89	(54)	35	-	35
Amortization of Bond Redemption Cost	154	-	154	-	154
Post Employment Benefits Expense	12,239	(159)	12,080	-	12,080
Deferred State Income Tax Non Deductible	780	416	1,196	-	1,196
Contributions in Aid of Construction	1,374	-	1,374	-	1,374
Contributions in Aid of Const. - Refundable	(23)	-	(23)	-	(23)
Environmental Reserve	112	-	112	-	112
Book Amortization Computer Software	623	-	623	-	623
Unallowable Book Pension Expense	17,434	(1,035)	16,399	-	16,399
Excess Book Over Tax Depr. - B.H.	(18)	-	(18)	-	(18)
Total Additions	<u>32,765</u>	<u>(832)</u>	<u>31,933</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31,933</u>
<b>Deduct: Non-Taxable Income &amp; Other Deductions:</b>					
Tax Depreciation (Norm) - ADR / ACRS / MACRS	9,107	1,045	10,152	-	10,152
Pension Funding	18,056	(1,696)	16,360	-	16,360
OPEB Funding	7,066	(216)	6,850	-	6,850
R&D Expense Debited to Reserve	(950)	-	(950)	-	(950)
Excess Tax Depr. Over Veh. Lease Exp.	(467)	126	(341)	-	(341)
Environmental Cost - Qer Expend. Sect. 198	5,270	-	5,270	-	5,270
Conservation/ DSM / LCAPS	-	-	-	-	-
Stray Voltage	-	-	-	-	-
Software Cost - Developed CIMS- Plus - Walker	2,029	-	2,029	-	2,029
Change Of Accounting- Sec 263A Adj	(4,418)	-	(4,418)	-	(4,418)
Total Deductions	<u>35,693</u>	<u>(740)</u>	<u>34,953</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>34,953</u>
Taxable Income or (Loss)	<u>36,210</u>	<u>(817)</u>	<u>33,371</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>33,371</u>
<b>Summary of Federal Income Taxes</b>					
Current Federal Income Taxes	12,674	(286)	12,388	-	12,388
Deferred Federal Income Taxes	1,025	32	1,057	-	1,057
Amortization of Deferred FIT - Section 263A	(493)	-	(493)	-	(493)
Total Federal Income Tax	<u>13,206</u>	<u>(254)</u>	<u>12,952</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>12,952</u>
(Incr) / Decr to Rate Base - Change in Def. Fit	\$ 1,478	\$ 410	\$ 1,888	\$ -	\$ 1,888
Amortization of Deferred FIT	(493)	-	(493)	-	(493)
Amortization of Deferred ITC	(242)	-	(242)	-	(242)
Net Rate Base (Increase) / Decrease	<u>\$ 743</u>	<u>\$ 410</u>	<u>\$ 1,153</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,153</u>

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	2007 As Reflected in <u>Exhibit E-2</u>	2008 <u>Adjustments</u>	2008 <u>As Adjusted</u>
<b>Utility Plant:</b>			
Book Cost of Plant	\$793,311	\$60,736	\$854,047
Accumulated Reserve for Depreciation	(280,855)	(19,564)	(300,419)
Net Plant	<u>512,456</u>	<u>41,172</u>	<u>553,628</u>
Non-Interest Bearing CWIP	8,046	-	8,046
Working Capital	27,831	(1,011)	26,820
<b><u>Regulatory Assets / (Liabilities):</u></b>			
Deferred R& D Expenditures (Net of FIT)	1,544	(617)	927
Deferred Purchased Power (Net of FIT)	5,647	(2,540)	3,107
Deferred M.T.A. Surtax - (Net of Fit)	(236)	-	(236)
Deferred Low Income Program (Net of FIT)	(362)	362	-
Deferred Storm Reserve Expenditures (Net of FIT)	(1,138)	1,138	-
Deferred Environmental Expenditures (Net of Tax)	325	-	325
Accrued Pension Liability - Rate Base Imputation	(6,403)	-	(6,403)
Customer Advances for Construction (Net of FIT)	(161)	-	(161)
<b><u>Accumulated Deferred FIT</u></b>			
Accum. Deferred FIT - ACRS / ADR	(69,253)	(1,478)	(70,731)
Accum. Deferred FIT - 263(A) Capitalized Overheads	(13,735)	493	(13,242)
Accum. Deferred SIT	(4,190)	(507)	(4,697)
SIT Benefit - Pre 2000	379	-	379
Accum. Deferred MTA	206	-	206
Accumulated Deferred Investment Tax Credits	(1,810)	242	(1,568)
Rate Base - Total	<u>459,146</u>	<u>\$37,254</u>	<u>\$496,400</u>

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	2007 As Reflected in <u>Exhibit E-2</u>	2008 <u>Adjustments</u>	2008 <u>As Adjusted</u>
<u>M &amp; S</u>			
General & Common (Electric)	\$3,983	\$92	\$4,075
Total Materials and Supplies	3,983	92	4,075
<u>Prepayments</u>			
Insurance	84	2	86
Property Taxes	5,708	49	5,757
PSC Assessment	494	11	505
Other	(503)	(12)	(514)
Total Prepayments	5,783	51	5,834
<u>Cash Working Capital</u>			
OPERATION & MAINTENANCE EXP.	397,608	2,382	399,990
LESS:			
PURCHASED POWER	248,410	13,816	262,226
UNCOLLECTIBLES	2,428	86	2,514
REGULATORY ITEMS (DEFERRED CHARGES)			
DEFERRED PURCHASED POWER	(2,451)	(54)	(2,505)
RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT AMORTIZATION	950	-	950
STRAY VOLTAGE AMORTIZATION	2,549	(2,549)	-
STORM RESERVE AMORTIZATION	2,881	(2,881)	-
ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION			
MGP AMORTIZATION DEFERRALS	2,540		2,540
WEST NYACK AMORTIZATION	90		90
REGULATORY ITEMS (DEFERRED CREDITS)			
MEDICARE PART D	(1,112)		(1,112)
1ST INSTALLS - TRANSFORMERS	(1,695)	1,695	-
OIL SUPPLIER REFUNDS	(577)	577	-
DSM OVERRECOVERIES	(923)	923	-

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	2008 As Reflected in <u>Exhibit E-6</u>	2009 <u>Adjustments</u>	2009 <u>As Adjusted</u>
Utility Plant:			
Book Cost of Plant	\$854,047	\$75,684	\$929,731
Accumulated Reserve for Depreciation	<u>(300,419)</u>	<u>(21,903)</u>	<u>(322,322)</u>
Net Plant	<u>553,628</u>	<u>53,781</u>	<u>607,409</u>
Non-Interest Bearing CWIP	8,046	-	8,046
Working Capital	26,820	392	27,212
<u>Regulatory Assets / (Liabilities):</u>			
Deferred R& D Expenditures (Net of FIT)	927	(618)	309
Deferred Purchased Power (Net of FIT)	3,107	54	3,161
Deferred M.T.A. Surtax - (Net of Fit)	(236)	-	(236)
Deferred Low Income Program (Net of FIT)	-	-	-
Deferred Storm Reserve Expenditures (Net of FIT)	-	-	-
Deferred Environmental Expenditures (Net of Tax)	325	-	325
Accrued Pension Liability - Rate Base Imputation	(6,403)	-	(6,403)
Customer Advances for Construction (Net of FIT)	(161)	-	(161)
<u>Accumulated Deferred FIT</u>			
Accum. Deferred FIT - ACRS / ADR	(70,731)	(1,888)	(72,619)
Accum. Deferred FIT - 263(A) Capitalized Overheads	(13,242)	493	(12,749)
Accum. Deferred SIT	(4,697)	(558)	(5,255)
SIT Benefit - Pre 2000	379	-	379
Accum. Deferred MTA	206	-	206
Accumulated Deferred Investment Tax Credits	<u>(1,568)</u>	<u>242</u>	<u>(1,326)</u>
Rate Base - Total	<u>496,400</u>	<u>51,898</u>	<u>548,298</u>

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	2008 As Reflected in <u>Exhibit E-6</u>	2009 <u>Adjustments</u>	2009 <u>As Adjusted</u>
<u>M &amp; S</u>			
General & Common (Electric)	\$4,075	\$90	\$4,164
Total Materials and Supplies	4,075	90	4,164
<u>Prepayments</u>			
Insurance	86	2	88
Property Taxes	5,757	127	5,884
PSC Assessment	505	11	516
Other	(514)	(11)	(526)
Total Prepayments	5,834	129	5,963
<u>Cash Working Capital</u>			
Total Operation & Maintenance Expenses	399,990	(14,543)	385,448
LESS:			
PURCHASED POWER	262,226	(15,878)	246,348
UNCOLLECTIBLES	2,514	-	2,514
REGULATORY ITEMS (DEFERRED CHARGES)			
DEFERRED PURCHASED POWER	(2,505)	(54)	(2,559)
RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT AMORTIZATION	950	-	950
STRAY VOLTAGE AMORTIZATION	-	-	-
STORM RESERVE AMORTIZATION	-	-	-
ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION	-	-	-
MGP AMORTIZATION DEFERRALS	2,540	-	2,540
WEST NYACK AMORTIZATION	90	-	90
REGULATORY ITEMS (DEFERRED CREDITS)			
MEDICARE PART D	(1,112)	-	(1,112)
1ST INSTALLS - TRANSFORMERS	-	-	-
OIL SUPPLIER REFUNDS	-	-	-
DSM OVERRECOVERIES	-	-	-
WORKING CAPITAL Net	135,287	1,389	136,677
Cash Working Capital @ 1/8th	16,911	174	17,085
Total Working Capital	\$ 26,819	\$ 392	\$ 27,212

**Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.**  
**Electric Department**  
**Interest Synchronization**  
**For the Twelve Months Ending December 31, 2008**  
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	2007 As Reflected in <u>Exhibit E-4 and E-5</u>	2008 <u>Adjustments</u>	2008 <u>As Adjusted</u>
Rate Base	\$436,504	\$37,254	\$473,758
Interest Bearing CWIP (+)	<u>3,344</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,344</u>
Earnings Base	439,848	37,254	477,102
Embedded Cost of Debt	<u>3.19%</u>	<u>3.19%</u>	<u>3.19%</u>
Interest Deduction	<u>\$14,039</u>	<u>\$1,189</u>	<u>\$15,228</u>

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	2008 As Reflected in <u>Exhibit E-6</u>	2009 <u>Adjustments</u>	2009 <u>As Adjusted</u>
Rate Base	\$473,758	\$51,898	\$525,656
Interest Bearing CWIP (+)	<u>3,344</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,344</u>
Earnings Base	477,102	51,898	529,000
Embedded Cost of Debt	<u>3.19%</u>	<u>3.19%</u>	<u>3.19%</u>
Interest Deduction	<u>\$15,228</u>	<u>\$1,657</u>	<u>\$16,885</u>

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ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC. & SUBSIDIARIES  
FORECASTED CONSOLIDATED CAPITALIZATION AND COST RATES

Forecasted for the Thirteen Month Average Ended  
December 31, 2007

	<u>13 Month Average December 31, 2007</u>	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Cost Rate</u>	<u>Weighted Cost</u>
Long term Debt				
ORU	410,536,337			
RECO	0			
Pike	<u>3,200,000</u>			
Total	<u>413,736,337</u>	49.805%	6.28%	3.13%
Customer Deposits				
ORU	11,705,000			
RECO	2,174,000			
Pike	<u>104,000</u>			
Total	<u>13,983,000</u>	1.683%	3.81%	0.06%
Common Equity				
Par	5,000			
Premium	216,173,900			
Retained Earnings	<u>186,822,500</u>			
Total	<u>403,001,400</u>	<u>48.512%</u>	11.63%	<u>5.64%</u>
Total Capitalization	<u><u>830,720,737</u></u>	<u>100.000%</u>		<u>8.83%</u>

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
LONG TERM DEBT  
Actual At June 30 2006

	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Amount Outstanding	Original Issue Amount	Premium or Discount	Expense of Issuance	Net Proceeds	Actual Cost of Money	Effective Annual Cost
<b>Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.</b>									
Debentures:									
Series F, 6.50%	12/18/97	12/1/27	80,000,000	80,000,000	0	901,750	79,098,250	6.59%	5,272,000
Series G, 7.00%	3/9/99	3/1/29	45,000,000	45,000,000	(693,900)	1,338,234	42,967,866	7.38%	3,321,000
Series A, 2000, 7.50%	6/12/00	6/15/10	55,000,000	55,000,000	(925,700)	204,220	53,870,080	7.80%	4,290,000
Series A, 2005, 5.30%	3/31/05	4/1/15	40,000,000	40,000,000	(80,000)	495,000	39,425,000	5.49%	2,196,000
			<u>220,000,000</u>					<u>6.85%</u>	<u>15,079,000</u>
Pollution Control Debt:									
1994, 6.09%	10/1/94	10/1/14	55,000,000	55,000,000	0	4,544,524	50,455,476	6.85%	3,767,500
1995, Variable Rate	8/1/95	8/1/15	44,000,000	44,000,000	0	3,571,683	40,428,317	3.63%	1,597,200
			<u>99,000,000</u>					<u>5.42%</u>	<u>5,364,700</u>
Sub Total ORU Debt			319,000,000					6.41%	20,443,700
Unamortized Debt Discount			(960,937)						
<b>Total ORU</b>			<u>318,039,063</u>						
<b>Rockland Electric Company</b>									
First Mortgage Bonds:									
Series J, 7.125%	Note A	2/4/97	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0
Sub Total RECO Debt			0						0
Unamortized Debt Discount			0						
<b>Total RECO</b>			<u>0</u>						
<b>Pike County Light &amp; Power Company</b>									
First Mortgage Bonds:									
Series C, 7.07%		11/10/98	3,200,000	3,200,000	0	284,129	2,915,871	7.97%	255,040
<b>Total Pike</b>			<u>3,200,000</u>					<u>7.97%</u>	<u>255,040</u>
<b>Consolidated Total</b>									
Long Term Debt			322,200,000					6.42%	20,698,740
Unamortized Debt Discount			(960,937)						
<b>Total Consolidated</b>			<u>321,239,063</u>						

Note A RECO First Mortgage Bonds, Series J, \$20 million, due 2/1/07 are excluded because they are due within one year and are not expected to be refinanced.

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES  
LONG TERM DEBT  
Forecast - Thirteen Months Ended December 31, 2007

Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Amount Outstanding	Original Issue Amount	Premium or Discount	Expense of Issuance	Net Proceeds	Actual Cost of Money	Effective Annual Cost
<b>Debtures:</b>									
Series F, 6.50%	12/18/97	12/1/27	80,000,000	80,000,000	0	901,750	79,098,250	6.59%	5,272,000
Series G, 7.00%	3/9/99	3/1/29	45,000,000	45,000,000	(693,900)	1,338,234	42,967,866	7.38%	3,321,000
Series A, 2000, 7.50%	6/12/00	6/15/10	55,000,000	55,000,000	(925,700)	204,220	53,870,080	7.80%	4,290,000
Series A, 2005, 5.30%	3/31/05	4/1/15	40,000,000	40,000,000	(80,000)	495,000	39,425,000	5.49%	2,196,000
Series A, 2006, 5.45%	10/4/06	10/1/16	75,000,000	75,000,000	(136,500)	562,500	74,301,000	5.57%	4,177,500
Series A, 2007, 6.49%	9/1/07	9/1/17	17,500,000	60,000,000	0	900,000	59,100,000	6.70%	1,172,500
			<u>312,500,000</u>					<u>6.54%</u>	<u>20,429,000</u>
<b>Pollution Control Debt:</b>									
1994, 6.09%	10/1/94	10/1/14	55,000,000	55,000,000	0	4,544,524	50,455,476	6.85%	3,767,500
1995, Variable Rate	8/1/95	8/1/15	44,000,000	44,000,000	0	3,571,683	40,428,317	3.63%	1,597,200
			<u>99,000,000</u>					<u>5.42%</u>	<u>5,364,700</u>
Sub Total ORU Debt			411,500,000					6.27%	25,793,700
Unamortized Debt Discount			(963,663)						
<b>Total ORU</b>			<u>410,536,337</u>						
<b>Rockland Electric Company</b>									
<b>First Mortgage Bonds:</b>									
Series J, 7.125%	Note A	2/4/97	2/1/07	0	0	0	0	0.00%	0
Sub Total RECO Debt			0						0
Unamortized Debt Discount			0						
<b>Total RECO</b>			<u>0</u>						
<b>Pike County Light &amp; Power Company</b>									
<b>First Mortgage Bonds:</b>									
Series C, 7.07%	11/10/98	10/1/18	3,200,000	3,200,000	0	284,129	2,915,871	7.97%	255,040
<b>Total Pike</b>			<u>3,200,000</u>					<u>7.97%</u>	<u>255,040</u>
<b>Consolidated Total</b>									
Long Term Debt			414,700,000					6.28%	26,048,740
Unamortized Debt Discount			(963,663)						
<b>Total Consolidated</b>			<u>413,736,337</u>						

Note A RECO First Mortgage Bonds, Series J, \$20 million, due 2/1/07 are excluded because they are due within one year and are not expected to be refinanced.

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Exhibit E-9

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

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General Inflation Factors

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Projected Gross Domestic Product Price Index

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GDP Deflator-2000=100Forecasts Prepared For 2006 CECONY Gas Rate Case

	2004	2005	Forecast			
			2006	2007	2008	2009
Mar. 31	108.2	111.6	115.0	117.6	120.3	123.0
Jun. 30	109.2	112.2	115.9	118.6	121.3	124.0
Sep. 30	109.7	113.1	116.0	118.6	121.4	124.0
Dec. 31	110.6	114.0	116.7	119.4	122.1	124.8
<b>Average</b>	<b>109.4</b>	<b>112.7</b>	<b>115.9</b>	<b>118.5</b>	<b>121.3</b>	<b>123.9</b>
<b>Annual Average</b>						
Year-over-year % change	2.6%	2.8%	2.5%	2.3%	2.3%	2.2%

Average 12 months Ending Dec. 31, 2005	(Actual)	=	112.7
Average 12 months Ending June 30, 2006	(Actual)	=	114.5
Average 12 months Ending Dec. 31, 2007	(Forecast)	=	118.5
Average 12 months Ending Dec. 31, 2008	(Forecast)	=	121.3
Average 12 months Ending Dec. 31, 2009	(Forecast)	=	123.9

Escalation rate for the 12 Months Ending 6/30/06 to the 12 Months Ending 12/31/07 - Rate Year 1	=	1.035
	or	3.5%
Rate Year 2 (increase over Rate Year 1)	=	1.023
	or	2.3%
Rate Year 3 (increase over Rate Year 2)	=	1.022
	or	2.2%