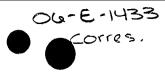


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VIA E-MAIL AND REGULAR MAIL Hon. Jaclyn A. Brilling Secretary New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12233-1350

RE: Case No. 06-E-1433 – Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as

to the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of the Orange &

Rockland Utilities, Inc. for Electric Service

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Pursuant to 16 NYCRR Sections 2.1 and 4.3, Hess Corporation ("Hess") hereby moves to intervene and appear as a party in the above-referenced proceeding. Hess is a licensed energy service company ("ESCO") in New York State and is actively engaged in the independent sale and marketing of electricity in the Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc. service territory.

Given its active status in the Orange & Rockland service territory, Hess respectfully submits that it will be directly affected by the issues under consideration in this proceeding. Moreover, participation by Hess will contribute to the development of a complete record and is otherwise fair and in the public interest. Therefore, please add the following representative to the active party list in this proceeding:

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Please contact me at (732) 750-7048 if you have any questions with respect to this matter. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Jay Looper

Jay L. Kooper Director of Regulatory Affairs

cc: John Carley, Esq. (Orange & Rockland Utilities, Inc.)