STATEMENT OF INCREASE IN RATES AND CHARGES

Applicable to Billing under all Service Classifications
of the Schedule for Electric Service of

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

(1) **Section 209 of the New York State Tax Law (State Income Tax)** - The applicable rates and charges for service under all service classifications of P.S.C. No. 2 ELECTRICITY, shall be increased by dividing such rates and charges by a surcharge factor of 1.0295 pursuant to General Information Section 18.

(2) **Sections 209-b and 186-c of the New York State Tax Law (Metropolitan Transportation Authority Business Tax Surcharge)** - The applicable rates and charges for service under all service classifications of P.S.C. No. 2 ELECTRICITY, including the effect of the surcharge factor shown in (1) above, shall be increased by dividing such rates and charges by the following applicable surcharge factors pursuant to General Information Section 18:

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(3) **Section 186-a of the New York State Tax Law (Gross Receipts Tax), Section 20-b of the General City Law, and Section 5-530 of the Village Law** - The applicable rates and charges for service under all service classifications of P.S.C. No. 2 ELECTRICITY, including the effect of the surcharge factors shown in (1) and (2) above, shall be increased by dividing such rates and charges by the following applicable surcharge factors pursuant to General Information Section 18:

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*Applicable to the following municipalities:

- City of Middletown
- City of Port Jervis
- Village of Airmont
- Village of Bloomingburg
- Village of Chestnut Ridge
- Village of Goshen
- Village of Grand View-on-Hudson
- Village of Greenwood Lake
- Village of Harriman
- Village of Haverstraw
- Village of Highland Falls
- Village of Hillburn
- Village of Kaser
- Village of Kiryas Joel
- Village of Monroe
- Village of Montebello
- Village of New Hempstead
- Village of New Square
- Village of Nyack
- Village of Otisville
- Village of Pierrmont
- Village of Pomona
- Village of Sloatsburg
- Village of South Nyack
- Village of Spring Valley
- Village of Suffern
- Village of Unionville
- Village of Upper Nyack
- Village of Warwick
- Village of Washingtonville
- Village of Wesley Hills
- Village of West Haverstraw
- Village of Wurtsboro

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