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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Honorable Aida Camacho-Welch Secretary State of New Jersey Board of Public Utilities PO Box 350 Trenton, NJ 08625-0350

Re: In the Matter of the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities Response to the

COVID-19 Pandemic

BPU Docket No. AO20060471

Dear Secretary Camacho-Welch:

In accordance with the Board of Public Utilities' Order Authorizing Establishment of a Regulatory Asset for Incremental COVID-19 Related Expenses dated July 2, 2020 in the above-referenced docket, I submit for filing Rockland Electric Company's verified quarterly report of prudently incurred incremental costs and offsets related to the COVID-19 pandemic for the first quarter of 2021 (*i.e.*, January 1 through March 31). For COVID-19 incremental costs and offsets related to 2020, please see Rockland Electric Company's report filed on January 22, 2021. Please note that Rockland Electric Company is making this filing solely in electronic form pursuant to the Board's directive in its Emergency Order dated March 19, 2020 in BPU Docket No. EO20030254.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding these responses.

Very truly yours,

/s/ John L. Carley

John L. Carley Assistant General Counsel

Enclosure

COVID-19 Related Costs and Offset For The Three Months Period Ended March 31,2021

Quarterly Report

Incremental Cost Related to COVID-19 For The Three Months Period Ended March 31,2021 (\$000's)

	<u>Jan-</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Feb-21</u>	<u>Mar-21</u>	YTD
Late Payment Fees	\$	12	\$ 12	\$ 12	\$ 37
COVID-19 Response Incremental Costs		1	8	11	21
Uncollectible Expenses				98	98
Total	\$	13	\$ 21	\$ 122	\$ 155

Late Payment Fees For The Three Months Period Ended March 31,2021

Late Payment Fees	<u>Jan-21</u>		Feb-21		<u>Mar-21</u>		YTD	
Baseline Late Payment Fees (Per Rates)	\$	12,167	\$	12,167	\$	12,167	\$	36,500
Actual Late Payment Fees		-		-				-
Incremental Lost Late Payment Fees	\$	12,167	\$	12,167	\$	12,167	\$	36,500

Incremental Lost Late Payment Fees in Thousands of Dollars

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COVID-19 Response Incremental Costs For The Three Months Period Ended March 31,2021

Expenditure Type	<u>J</u>	an-21	Feb-21	<u>Mar-21</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Materials & Supplies	\$	3,324	\$ 514	\$ 391	\$ 4,229
Facilities and Buildings Maintenance		3,901	34,174	30,792	68,867
Incremental Labor**		1,842	28,980	55,396	86,218
Grand Total	\$	9,067	\$ 63,668	\$ 86,578	\$ 159,313
Costs Capitalized					(34,958)
Net Incremental Costs					124,355
Allocation Factor*					16.80%
RECO's Share of Incremental Costs					\$ 20,892
RECO's Share of Incremental Costs in Thousands of Dollars					\$ 21

^{**} Coverage related to employees on quarantine

Uncollectible Expenses
For The Three Months Period Ended March 31,2021
(\$000's)

Uncollectible Expenses \$ 98

STATE OF NEW YORK) : ss COUNTY OF ROCKLAND)

Ann Cedrone, of full age, being duly sworn according to law, on her oath deposes and says

- 1. I am the Treasurer of Rockland Electric Company.
- 2. I have read the annexed report, and the matters and things contained therein are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Sworn to and subscribed to Before me this 30th day Of April 2021

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DENISE A COLLINS Notary Public - State of New York NO. 01CO5078588 Qualified in Rockland County My Commission Expires May 27, 2023