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## Via Email

Hon. Robert Gordon, Commissioner Hon. Aida Camacho-Welch, Secretary Board of Public Utilities 44 South Clinton Avenue Suite 314, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Trenton, NJ 08625-0350

Re: I/M/O the Petition of Rockland Electric Company For Approval Of An Electric Vehicle Program, Establishment Of An Electric Vehicle Surcharge, And For Other Relief ("RECO-EV")

BPU Docket No. EO20110730

Dear Commissioner Gordon and Secretary Camacho-Welch:

The undersigned is Counsel to Rockland Electric Company ("RECO" or the "Company") in connection with the above referenced matter.

After conferring and obtaining consent of the other parties to this proceeding, the Company provides this letter to respectfully request a suspension of the Procedural Schedule embodied in the April 8, 2021 2021 Prehearing Order With Procedural Schedule in this matter. Specifically, the Company's request includes suspension of the deadline for the filing of Intervenor/Rate Counsel testimony. The purpose of the suspension is to facilitate on-going settlement discussions.

With settlement discussions continuing, RECO is optimistic that this proceeding can be resolved without the need for further litigation. The parties nevertheless reserve the right to request a further/amended Procedural Schedule at a later date, in the event one is required. The Company will report back thirty days from the date of this letter to advise whether settlement efforts are proceeding, or whether an amended Procedural Schedule is needed.

Pursuant to the Board's March 19, 2020 Order regarding the COVID-19 pandemic (Docket No. EO20030254), this letter is being electronically filed by email with the Secretary and served by email upon the attached service list; no paper copies will follow.

Kindly have the Office of the Secretary or the Office of Case Management confirm receipt by email to the undersigned.

Thank you for your courtesy and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted, /s/ James C. Meyer
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