

June 23, 2017

VIA HAND DELIVERY & ELECTRONIC MAIL

Luly E. Massaro, Commission Clerk
Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Boulevard
Warwick, RI 02888

RE: Docket 4686 - Request for Approval of Storm Contingency Fund Replenishment Compliance Filing

Dear Ms. Massaro:

On behalf of National Grid,¹ I have enclosed one (1) original of RIPUC No. 2177, Storm Fund Replenishment Provision, reflecting the tariff language approved by the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission (PUC) at its Evidentiary Hearing on June 21, 2017 in the above-referenced docket.

Except for the change of the effective date to July 1, 2017, the tariff is otherwise the same as the version of the tariff language that the Company filed with the PUC on December 29, 2016.

Thank you for your attention to this filing. Please contact me at 781-907-2153 if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,



Celia B. O'Brien

Enclosures

cc: Docket 4686 Service List
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¹ The Narragansett Electric Company d/b/a National Grid (National Grid, or the Company).

THE NARRAGANSETT ELECTRIC COMPANY
STORM FUND REPLENISHMENT PROVISION

The Company's rates for Retail Delivery Service are subject to a Storm Fund Replenishment Factor ("SFRF") beginning July 1, 2017 for a period of four (4) years, which shall replenish the balance of the Company's Storm Contingency Fund ("Storm Fund"), which has been negatively and substantially affected by costs incurred to prepare for, respond to, and restore electric service following significant weather events.

The SFRF shall be a uniform per kilowatt-hour factor applicable to all delivery service customers and, for billing purposes, will be included with the distribution kWh charge on customers' bills.

All revenue billed through the SFRF shall be credited to the Storm Fund.

The SFRF is subject to review and approval by the Commission. The provisions of this tariff will remain in effect until terminated or revised as proposed by the Company and approved by the Commission from time to time.

This provision is applicable to all Retail Delivery Service tariffs of the Company. The operation of this Storm Fund Replenishment Provision is subject to R.I. Gen. Laws § 39-3-11.

Effective: July 1, 2017

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a copy of the cover letter and any materials accompanying this certificate was electronically transmitted to the individuals listed below.

The paper copies of this filing are being hand delivered to the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission and to the Rhode Island Division of Public Utilities and Carriers.

Joanne M. Scanlon

June 23, 2017
Date

**Docket No. 4686 – National Grid’s Storm Contingency Fund Replenishment
Service List as of 1/26/17**

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