UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	Plaintiff,)))
-VS-)) 97-CV-6294T)
ROCHESTER GAS & ELECTRIC CORPORATION,	;)))
	Defendant.)))

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

Plaintiff, United States of America, hereby certifies that it has complied within the provisions of the Antitrust Procedures and Penalties Act, 14 U.S.C. § 16(b)-(d) and states:

- 1. The proposed Final Judgment and Competitive Impact Statement were filed on February 20, 1998 and March 20, 1998, respectively;
- Pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 16(b), the proposed Final Judgment and
 Competitive Impact Statement were published in the <u>Federal Register</u> on March 31, 1998, 63
 Fed. Reg. 15,432-37 (1998);
- 3. Pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 16 (c), a summary of the terms of the proposed Final Judgment and Competitive Impact Statement were published:
 - (a) in the Washington Post, a newspaper of general circulation in the District of Columbia, during the period March 26, 1998 and April 1, 1998, and

- (b) in the New York Times, a newspaper of general circulation in the state of New York, during the period March 26, 1998 and April 1, 1998;
- 4. The 60-day comment period specified in 15 U.S.C. § 16(b) commenced on March 31, 1998, and terminated on May 29, 1998;
- 5. The United States received no comments from members of the public concerning the proposed Final Judgment;
 - 6. Defendants have complied with the requirements of 15 U.S.C. § 16(g);
- 7. Pursuant to the Stipulation filed on February 20, 1998, and 15 U.S.C. § 16(e), the Court may enter the Final Judgment after it determines that the Judgment serves the public interest;
- 8. Plaintiff's Competitive Impact Statement demonstrates that the proposed Final Judgment satisfies the public interest standard of 15 U.S.C. § 16(e); and
- 9. Plaintiff requests that this Court enter the Final Judgment without further hearings and is authorized by counsel for Defendants to state that Defendants join in this request.

 Dated: June 8, 1998.

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