

STATE OF NEW YORK EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT STATE CONSUMER PROTECTION BOARD

David Paterson Governor Mindy Bockstein Chairperson and Executive Director

August 15, 2008

Hon. Jaclyn Brilling Secretary NYS Dept. Public Service Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: Case 08-S-0153 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Investigate the Prudence of Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., in Relation to the Steam Pipe Rupture of July 18, 2007 at East 41st Street and Lexington Avenue, New York

Dear Madam Secretary:

Please accept the original and twenty five (25) copies of the New York State Consumer Protection Board's Statement in Support of Joint Proposal, for filing in the above captioned matter.

Enclosure

cc: Hon. William Bouteiller
Active Parties (electronically)