CASE 18-M-0084- In the Matter of a Comprehensive Energy Efficiency Initiative NOTICE ANNOUNCING STATEWIDE LMI STAKEHOLDER WEBINAR

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that NYSERDA and the New York Utilities¹ will host a stakeholder session to discuss the development of the Statewide Low-to Moderate-Income (LMI) Portfolio, including an update on progress to date. The webinar will be held on **November 17**, **2021**, **from 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM**.

BACKGROUND:

In the January 16, 2020 *Order Authorizing Utility Energy Efficiency and Building Electrification Portfolios through 2025* ("Order"), the New York State Public Service Commission directed the New York Utilities and NYSERDA to develop and implement a Statewide LMI Portfolio to provide more complementary program offerings to increase the adoption of energy efficiency solutions for residential customers and in affordable multifamily buildings, improve customer experience and access to programs, and increase the impact of ratepayer funding administered in the LMI market segment. Following the Order, the New York Utilities and NYSERDA developed and filed an *LMI Implementation Plan* on July 24, 2020, outlining the goals and components of the Statewide LMI Portfolio.

In accordance with the Order and as outlined in the *Implementation Plan*, two stakeholder meetings will be held annually. This webinar is the second of two 2021 stakeholder meetings. At the stakeholder webinar, the New York Utilities and NYSERDA will update progress made to date and seek input from stakeholders and market partners.

NOTE:

<u>Question Submission</u>: In preparation for the webinar, stakeholders are invited to submit questions related to the topics listed below, prior to the webinar. Presenters will address, during the webinar, as many questions as time permits.

Please be brief and send questions to LMIForum@nyserda.ny.gov by November 10, 2021.

Preliminary Webinar Topics

- LMI Multifamily Program
- LMI Clean Heat Efforts
- NY Energy Advisor Update
- Small/ 1-4 Family Homes Program EmPower NY

Time permitting, attendees will also be able to ask their questions live.

Registration: Participants, please register for the webinar using the following link: <u>LMI Stakeholder</u> Meeting Registration.

¹ New York Utilities include Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation; Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc.; KeySpan Gas East Corporation d/b/a National Grid, The Brooklyn Union Gas Company d/b/a National Grid NY, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation d/b/a National Grid (collectively, "National Grid"); National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation; New York State Electric & Gas Corporation; Orange and Rockland Utilities, Inc.; and Rochester Gas and Electric Corporation.