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POLICY COMMENT

There are multiple proposals pending before the State Legislature that would reduce New York's reliance on fossil gas and accelerate the State's transition away from this fuel source. These include but are not limited to, Part EEE of TED, the All-Electric Buildings Act, and the Gas Transition and Affordable Energy Act.

Con Edison supports the Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act's clean energy goals and as outlined in our Clean Energy Commitment, we are committed to leading and delivering the clean energy future and support policy reforms and programs that aim to reduce fossil gas consumption and provide customers with clean energy alternatives. This commitment also includes supporting changes to building codes that reduce the use of fossil fuels in buildings and promoting net-zero building policies for new construction. These commitments complement our existing pledge to deliver energy to our existing 1.1 million gas customers safely as we transition to the clean energy future.

Con Edison stands ready and willing to work with our partners in government and external stakeholders to support and advise the legislature on whichever proposal or proposals they ultimately seek to advance.