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### **36. OTHER CHARGES AND ADJUSTMENTS** (Cont'd)

#### **B. Electric Bill Credit** (Cont'd)

The EBC so determined shall be applied as a per kWh or kW credit, as applicable, to the energy (kWh) or demand (kW) deliveries on the bills of all customers served under Service Classification Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 13 and 14. Customers taking service under Service Classification No. 14 will receive the credit applicable to their Parent Service Classification. Parent Service Classification shall mean the Service Classification that the customer would otherwise qualify for based on the customer's usage characteristics.

The EBC will be stated in whole \$0.00001 amounts per kilowatthour and whole \$0.01 amounts per kilowatt. Not less than fifteen days prior to a proposed change in the EBC, a Statement showing the factors and the effective date will be filed with the Public Service Commission apart from this Schedule.

For a customer taking service under Service Classification Nos. 3 or 13: if the amount of the EBC in any given billing period exceeds the customer's billed delivery charges from Central Hudson for the billing period, resulting in a net bill less than zero (0), Central Hudson will issue the customer a bill in the amount of zero (0) dollars; or, (2) if the customer's billed delivery charges for any given billing period prior to the application of any EBC are less than zero (0), no EBC will be applied in the billing period. Any EBC not received by the customer due to operation of the above constraints will be reallocated to that customer in the subsequent billing period. In any such reallocation, the aforementioned constraints will continue to be applicable and may entail reallocation to subsequent billing periods. These EBC constraints will be applied prior to the existing constraints for the Purchased Power Adjustment, as described in General Information, Section 29.

#### **C. Clean Energy Standard (CES)**

Effective April 1, 2017, a Clean Energy Standard (CES) Surcharge will be implemented to recover Case 15-E-0302 Tier 2 Maintenance Contracts and Backstop Charges costs. The CES Surcharge will be stated in whole \$0.00001 amounts per kilowatthour, will be the same for all applicable Service Classifications, and will be applied to the energy (kWh) deliveries on the bills of all full service and delivery service customers served under this Schedule. The CES Surcharge will be determined, at a minimum, on an annual basis to be effective with the first billing batch in April, and will include a reconciliation of prior period CES Surcharge recoveries (eleven months actual, one month forecast) as applicable, and an allowance for bad debts.

Not less than fifteen (15) days prior to a proposed change in the CES Surcharge, the proposed CES Surcharge and effective date will be filed with the Public Service Commission on the System Benefits Charge Statement pursuant to General Information Section 36.A.

For billing purposes, the CES Surcharge will be combined with the System Benefits Charge, as described in General Information Section 36.A, with the combined amount shown as one line item on customer bills.

#### **D. HEAP Bill Credit Program/Low Income Bill Discount Program**

##### **HEAP Bill Credit Program**

Each residential customer who received a HEAP benefit for their Central Hudson bill starting with the 2012/2013 HEAP Plan Year will receive a credit each month applied to their Central Hudson account. A HEAP credit will continue for 12 consecutive months, or until the customer becomes eligible for the Low Income Bill Discount Program. Pursuant to the Order in Case 12-M-0192 issued and effective June 26, 2013, bill credit levels for eligible single and dual service HEAP program participants shall apply as follows. The monthly credit for electric only heating customers shall be \$17.50 per month. The monthly

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