



July 23, 2013

Public Service Commission  
Three Empire State Plaza  
Albany, New York 12223-1350

Re: Cases 12-M-0192 Compliance Filing  
in the Joint Petition of Fortis Inc. et al. and CH Energy  
Group, Inc. et al. for the Approval of the Acquisition of CH Energy  
Group, Inc. by Fortis Inc. and Related Transactions

Dear Secretary Cohen:

Pursuant to Public Service Commission Order, issued and effective June 26, 2013, in the above captioned proceeding, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or "the Company") hereby files amended tariff leaves to its Schedule for Electric Service, PSC No. 15 – Electricity, and Schedule for Gas Service, PSC No. 12 – Gas.

**P.S.C. No. 15 – Electricity**

8<sup>th</sup> Revised Leaf No. 163.5

**P.S.C. No. 12 – Gas**

15<sup>th</sup> Revised Leaf No. 126

12<sup>th</sup> Revised Leaf No. 126.1

3<sup>rd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 126.2

These amendments are filed July 23, 2013 to become effective August 1, 2013 to effectuate the electric and gas changes to low income programs included in the aforementioned Order. Please note, Gas Leaves Nos. 126.1 and 126.2 are only being filed to accommodate the overflow of language from Leaf No. 126.

The current HEAP Bill Credit Program provides a monthly bill credit of \$11.00 to all customers who are HEAP recipients. The current program provides dual service customers with one discount. The program will be modified to provide the following discount levels for single and dual service participants.

	Electric Only	Gas Only	Both Electric & Gas
Heating	\$17.50	\$17.50	\$23.00
Non-Heating	\$5.50	\$5.50	\$11.00

To ensure that no current participant faces a reduction in current benefit levels, any single service non-heating customer currently receiving a bill discount of \$11.00 will continue receiving such benefit at the \$11.00 level, instead of the \$5.50 level specified above.

Further, with limitations, Central Hudson will waive service reconnection fees, no more than one time per customer until new rates go into effect, for customer's participating in either the EPOP or HEAP programs.

Although the aforementioned Order was silent as to the requirements of 66(12)(b) of the Public Service Law regarding newspaper publications, the Company requests a waiver of this requirement as customers served under this provision are in constant contact with the Company.

Questions related to this filing should be addressed to Amy Dittmar at (845) 486-5433 or by email to [adittmar@cenhud.com](mailto:adittmar@cenhud.com).

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M.L. Mosher", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Michael L. Mosher

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