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June 15, 2016

Hon. Kathleen H. Burgess
Secretary
New York State Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223-1350

Re: PSL §18-a(6):   New York State Assessment Surcharge (NYSA)
Case 09-M-0311

Dear Secretary Burgess:

In compliance with the Commission's Orders in Case 09-M-0311 ("Order"), issued and effective June 18, 2014 and April 17, 2015, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or "the Company), hereby files the attached statement to become effective on July 1, 2016.

P.S.C. No. 15 – Electricity

Statement of New York State Assessment Surcharge – NYSA 15

The purpose of this filing is to revise the NYSA rates effective July 1, 2016 to reflect:
- the 2016/2017 Temporary State Energy & Utility Service Conservation Assessment pursuant to the Estimated Assessment issued on February 1, 2016;
- the reconciliation of the NYSA for the months of July 2015 through June 2016 (which includes an estimate for June 2016); and,
- the balance of authorized carrying charges as of May 31, 2016.

These calculations have been made pursuant to the provisions approved by the Public Service Commission as contained in General Information Section 36.F of P.S.C. No. 15 – Electricity. It should be noted that the under collection of approximately $0.993 million is primarily the result of the $0.825 million, or 15.6%, increase in the 2015/2016 assessment charged to Central Hudson as detailed in the Revised Assessment issued August 10, 2015. This Revised Assessment was issued subsequent to the annual filing and implementation of the NYSA surcharge factors effective July 1, 2015.

Work papers related to the aforementioned reconciliation and factor development have been sent
to Rosanne Maiello. Questions related to this letter should be directed to Jay Tompkins at 845-486-5203
or jtompkins@cenhud.com.

Yours very truly,

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