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

Dear Commissioners:

In accordance with General Information Section 36.C of P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity, the statement listed below is filed to become effective October 1, 2006.

P.S.C. No. 15 - ELECTRICITY

Statement of System Benefits Charge
and Renewable Portfolio Standard Charge

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The purpose of this filing is to update the Renewable Portfolio Standard Charge to reflect the Company's 2007 costs of renewable resources under the Renewable Portfolio Standard Program, pursuant to the Commission's Order in Case 03-E-0188 issued and effective September 24, 2004. The total Renewable Portfolio Standard Program costs for 2007 including an estimated under/over collection for 2006, are spread over an estimate of delivery sales for October 1, 2006 through September 30, 2007. The System Benefits Charge factor per kWh remains unchanged from Statement SBC-7.

Very truly yours,

Michael L. Mosher

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