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

Dear Commissioners:

In accordance with General Information Sections 36.A and 36.C of P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity, the Statement listed below is filed to become effective October 1, 2011.

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 ("RPS") Charge to reflect Central Hudson's 2012 cost requirement for renewable resources under the New York State RPS Program, pursuant to the Commission's Order in Case 03-E-0188 issued and effective April 2, 2010. The total RPS The sum of the program cost requirement for 2012 and the under/over collection of the 2011 requirement, which is based on a reconciliation that includes estimated collections for September 2011, is allocated over a forecast of total delivery sales for October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012 to design the RPS factor. The System Benefits Charge factor per kWh remains unchanged from SBC Statement No. 22.

Very truly yours,

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