

October 26, 2016

Honorable Kathleen H. Burgess, Secretary State of New York Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, NY 12223

Re: Postponement of Proposed Changes Pending in Case 14-M-0224

Dear Secretary Burgess:

In accordance with Commission rules, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or the "Company") hereby files the following gas tariff supplement:

P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas

Supplement No. 45

The purpose of this filing is to postpone until March 1, 2017 the effective date of the following tariff leaves, which were filed on August 5, 2016:

P.S.C. No. 12 – Gas

11th Revised Leaf No. 3 2nd Revised Leaf No. 139 2nd Revised Leaf No. 139.1 4th Revised Leaf No. 140

The request to postpone the tariff leaves is made to allow additional time for Staff of the NYS Public Service Commission to review the Company's compliance filing.

The Company also requests a waiver of newspaper publication requirements of Public Service Law \$66(12) (b) for this filing.

Questions related to this filing should be directed to Jennifer Lorenzini at (845) 486-5523 or JLorenzini@cenhud.com.

Yours very truly,

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