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May 30, 2001

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

Cases 99-M-0631 and 98-M-1343

Dear Commissioners:

In compliance with the Commission' Order in Cases 99-M-0631 and 98-M-1343, issued and effective May 18, 2001, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or "the Company"), is issuing the attached tariff leaves. These leaves are issued on a temporary basis to become effective on June 1, 2001.

P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas

3rd Revised Leaf No. 126 1st Revised Leaf No. 126.1

The purpose of this filing is to incorporate the consolidated billing and payment processing practices specified in Appendix A of the Commission's Order and to include in the tariff the billing backout credit and charge designated in Appendix B of the Order. However, as allowed by the Order, the Company has incorporated the consolidated billing practices in our tariff but will not be obligated to provide consolidated billing services until Electronic Data Interchange, Case 98-M-0667, for billing and payment processing is available and operational.

As directed in Ordering paragraph four the requirements of 66((12)(b)) of the Public Service Law as to newspaper publication have been waived.

Very truly yours,

Arthur R. Upright