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Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
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Dear Commissioners:

In accordance with General Information, Section 28.B of P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas, the Revenue Tax Surcharge Statement listed below is filed to become effective June 3, 2003.

P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas

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The purpose of this filing is to revise the State Income Tax factors included in the Revenue Tax Surcharge factor.

The impact on our customers' bills effective June 3, 2003 will be an increase of approximately 1.6%.

Very truly yours,

Arthur R. Upright