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Public Service Commission
Three Empire State Plaza
Albany, NY 12223

Re: Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation:
Case 02-M-0515 Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Establish Gas
Transportation Rates for Distributed Generation Technologies

In compliance with the Commission' Order in Case 02-M-0515, issued and effective December 3, 2003, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or "the Company"), is issuing the attached tariff leaf. This leaf is issued on a temporary basis to become effective on April 2, 2004.

P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas

3rd Revised Leaf No. 206

The purpose of this filing is to comply with a request by PSC Staff to modify the rates previously filed for this service classification.

Because there are no customers taking service under this Classification, the Company requests that this tariff become effective on short notice and the requirements of 66((12)b) of the Public Service Law as to newspaper publication be waived. Questions related to this filing should be directed to Patricia M. Buck at (845) 486-5244.

Yours very truly,
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