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COMPANY: CENTRAL HUDSON GAS & ELECTRIC CORPORATION

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44. COMMERCIAL SYSTEM RELIEF PROGRAM (Cont'd)**Definitions** (Cont'd)

When the weather-adjusted CBL methodology is used, the Company, at its own discretion, may select alternate hours for the adjustment period to calculate the weather adjustment factor in order to accurately reflect the customer's typical usage.

"Contracted Hours" refers to the period within a weekday, Monday through Friday during the Capability Period excluding federal holidays, during which the Direct Participant or Aggregator contracts to provide Load Relief whenever the Company designates a Planned Event.

"Direct Participant" refers to a Customer who enrolls under this CSRP directly with the Company for a single Central Hudson account and agrees to provide at least 50 kW of Load Relief.

"Electric Generating Equipment" refers to: (a) electric generating equipment at the premises of a Customer that can be used to provide Load Relief under this CSRP; or (b) emergency electric generating equipment that is interconnected and can be operated to provide Load Relief under this CSRP.

"Load Relief" refers to power (kW) and energy (kWh): (a) ordinarily supplied by the Company that is displaced by use of Electric Generating Equipment and/or reduced by the Direct Participant or Aggregator at the Customer's premises; or (b) produced by use of Electric Generating Equipment by a Customer and delivered by that Customer to the Company's distribution system during a Load Relief Period.

"Load Relief Period" refers to the hours for which the Company requests Load Relief when it designates a Planned Event or an Unplanned Event.

"Performance Adjusted kW" refers to the kW level that a Direct Participant or Aggregator requests to provide subsequent to the imposition of a penalty.

"Performance Factor," when a Planned Event or Test Event is called, is the ratio of: (i) the average hourly kW of Load Relief provided by the Direct Participant or Aggregator during the requested hours, up to the kW of contracted Load Relief to (ii) the kW of contracted Load Relief.

"Planned Event" refers to the Company's request, on not less than 21 hours' advance notice, for Load Relief during the Contracted Hours. Planned Events may be called when the Company's day-ahead forecasted load level is at least 94 percent of the forecasted summer system-wide peak.

"Renewable Generation" means behind-the-meter electric generating equipment that is not fossil-fueled and has no emissions associated with it.

"Reservation Payment Option" Direct Participants and Aggregators will receive Reservation Payment for each Capability Period month in which they are enrolled.

"Test Event" refers to the Company's request under the Reservation Payment Option for Direct Participants and Aggregators to provide one hour of Load Relief, within the span of weekday Contracted Hours, on not less than 21 hours' advance notice.

"Unplanned Event" refers to the Company's request for Load Relief: (a) on less than 21 hours' advance notice; or (b) for hours outside of the Contracted Hours.

"Voluntary Participation Option" Direct Participants and Aggregators will not receive Reservation Payment for each Capability Period month in which they are enrolled.

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