



December 3, 2018

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

Re: Case 18-M-0679 In the Matter of the 2018 Amendment to the Public Service Law, Section 39.4, Relating to the Discontinuation of Utility Service to Residential Customers

Dear Secretary Burgess:

The amended tariff leaves set forth below are filed by Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or the "Company") on December 3, 2018 to become effective May 1, 2019.

P.S.C. No. 15 – Electricity

1st Revised Leaf No. 53.2
1st Revised Leaf No. 53.4
3rd Revised Leaf No. 54
1st Revised Leaf No. 56
8th Revised Leaf No. 124
3rd Revised Leaf No. 126
4th Revised Leaf No. 163.7.2

The purpose of this filing is to streamline and clarify various sections of the tariff that refer to the special meter reading fee charged by the Company for a meter reading performed, on request, on a date other than the customer's regularly scheduled meter reading date. The special meter reading fee has been specified in General Information Section 13 – Billing for Services Supplied, and all other references to circumstances requiring a special meter reading fee have been modified to refer to this section.

The filing also addresses changes in Public Service Law §39. A reference to the law has been added to General Information Section 14 - Meter Reading, Estimated Bill and Backbilling to further clarify the Company's procedures to obtain an actual meter reading are subject to Public Service Law §39.

Given the clarifying nature of these changes, the Company requests that 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 Jennifer Lorenzini at (845) 486-5523 or Jlorenzini@cenhud.com.

Yours very truly,

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