

February 12, 2018

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

Dear Secretary Burgess:

In accordance with General Information Section 35 of P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity, the Statement listed below is filed to become effective April 1, 2018.

P.S.C. No. 15 - ELECTRICITY

Statement of Accounts Receivable Discount

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The purpose of this filing is to update the accounts receivable discount factor applicable to Central Hudson's ("the Company's") purchase of an ESCO/retail supplier's customer billings where Central Hudson is providing consolidated billing service to the ESCO/retail supplier. The factor consists of a two-part rate equivalent to the Company's most recent actual three-year average of net write-offs plus 0.13 percent to reflect other costs of the program. Discount Statement No. 16, to become effective April 1, 2018, reflects a discount rate of 1.00 percent, comprised of the Company's actual three year average net write-offs of .87 percent for 2015 through 2017, plus 0.13 percent to reflect other costs of the program.

Workpapers have been sent directly to Commission Staff.

Very truly yours,

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