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> > October 5, 2000

Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12223-1350

<u>Case 00-G-1599</u>

Dear Commissioners:

In accordance with Commission rules, Central Hudson hereby files electronically the following gas tariff supplement:

<u>Gas - P.S.C No. 12</u>

Supplement No. 3

The purpose of this filing is to postpone until December 15, 2000 the following rate leaves, which were filed to modify the provisions of our tariff to comply with the provisions contained in our Gas Transportation Operating Procedures Manual. The request to postpone these tariffs is made to allow additional time for the Public Service Commission to review our filing.

<u>Gas - P.S.C No. 12</u>

3rd Revised Leaf No. 124 3rd Revised Leaf No. 124.1 1st Revised Leaf No. 124.2

This supplement is filed October 5, 2000 to become effective on November 5, 2000. The Company requests that the Commission waive the notice requirement and allow this supplement to become effective on short notice on October 10, 2000.

Central Hudson also requests that the requirements of 66((12)(b)) of the Public Service Law as to newspaper publication be waived because the proposed changes will not impact any of our customers.

Very truly yours,

Arthur R. Upright