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Public Service Commission  
Three Empire State Plaza  
Albany, NY 12223

**Balancing Provisions Applicable to SC 14**

Dear Commissioners:

The tariff amendments set forth below are filed by Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation ("Central Hudson" or "the Company") on December 22, 2011 to become effective April 1, 2012:

**P.S.C. No. 12 – Gas**

6 <sup>th</sup> Revised Leaf No. 130	Original Leaf No. 198.1
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 196	Original Leaf No. 198.2
3 <sup>rd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 197	2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 199
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 197.1	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised Leaf No. 200
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 197.2	3 <sup>rd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 203
2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised Leaf No. 198	

The tariff leaves listed above are being filed to revise the balancing provisions applicable to SC 14 consistent with the provisions for other service classifications.

Given that the Balancing Service Charge applicable to Service Classification Nos. 9 & 11 customers will be updated to be effective April 1, 2012 pursuant to currently approved tariff provisions, the Company is not filing a modified Statement of Balancing Service Charge at this time. The Company proposes to instead include Service Classification No. 14 on the statement on or about March 1, 2012 when the Company makes its annual filing to update such charges.

Since SC 14, which is available to electric generation facilities, has limited application and customers interested in taking service under its provisions would be in direct contact with Central Hudson, the Company requests that the requirement of Section 66(12)(b) of the Public Service Law as to newspaper publication for the amendments listed herein be waived.

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Yours very truly,

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