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Hon. Jeffrey Cohen
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Re: Case 12-G-0297 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission To Examine Policies Regarding the Expansion of Natural Gas Service

Dear Acting Secretary Cohen,

Please accept for filing in the above-referenced proceeding Comments submitted on behalf of the Empire State Petroleum Association, Inc. (ESPA) which accompanies this letter separately.

Also submitted with this filing are four documents referenced in our comments. These documents were prepared expeditiously to meet the filing deadline and may be subject to revisions or additions.

Respectfully submitted,



Emilio Petroccione, Esq.

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