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

Re: Case 14-M-0196 - Tariff filing by Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation to establish fees for residential customers who choose to opt out of using automated Meter Reading devices.

Dear Secretary Burgess,

Stop Smart Meters NY is filing the attached document - Direct Testimony of Norman W. Lambe, as part of filed documents for NYSPSC proceeding 14-M-0196.

The testimony of Norman W. Lambe, regarding "smart" meter fires and insurance, was submitted to a New Mexico Public Regulation Commission smart meter rate increase proceeding.

Last week, the New Mexico Public Regulation Commission denied the utility rate increase for smart meters.

Thank you.

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