

STATE OF NEW YORK
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held in the City of
Albany on April 16, 2026

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

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CASE 24-E-0461 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to
the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of
Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation for
Electric Service.

CASE 24-G-0462 - Proceeding on Motion of the Commission as to
the Rates, Charges, Rules and Regulations of
Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation for
Gas Service.

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF AMENDMENTS ON A PERMANENT BASIS

(Issued and Effective April 21, 2026)

BY THE COMMISSION:

INTRODUCTION

On August 27, 2025, Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation (Central Hudson or the Company) filed tariff amendments to its electric and gas tariff schedules, P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity and P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas, respectively. The amendments effectuate the rates and charges for Rate Year 1 (July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026) of the three-year rate

plans established by the Commission's 2025 Rate Order.¹ These amendments became effective on a temporary basis on September 1, 2025. On October 27, 2025, and March 2, 2026, Central Hudson filed supplemental tariff amendments that the Company asserts are housekeeping in nature to its tariff schedule, P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity, which became effective on a temporary basis on November 1, 2025, and March 7, 2026, respectively.

By this Order, the Commission authorizes the tariff amendments listed in the Appendix to become effective on a permanent basis on the date of issuance of this Order, except for the tariff provisions related to the Commission's Standby Service Order² and the Energy Efficiency Orders,³ which will remain in effect on a temporary basis until acted upon by the Commission in one or more subsequent orders.⁴

¹ Cases 24-E-0461 and 24-G-0462, Order Adopting Terms of a Joint Proposal and Establishing Electric and Gas Rate Plans (issued August 14, 2025) (2025 Rate Order).

² Case 15-E-0751, Value of Distributed Energy Resources, Order Establishing Updated Standby Service Rates and Implementing Optional Mass Market Demand Rates (issued October 13, 2023) (Standby Service Order).

³ Case 25-M-0248, Non-Low- to Moderate-Income Energy Efficiency and Building Electrification Portfolios, Order Authorizing Non-Low- to Moderate-Income Energy Efficiency and Building Electrification Portfolios for 2026-2030 (issued May 15, 2025); Case 25-M-0249, Low- to Moderate-Income Energy Efficiency and Building Electrification Portfolio, Order Authorizing Low- to Moderate-Income Energy Efficiency and Building Electrification Portfolio for 2026-2030 (issued May 15, 2025) (collectively, Energy Efficiency Orders).

⁴ The amendments to leaves Nos. 231, 232, 272.3, 272.3.1, and 272.3.2 of P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity, for the Standby Service Order, Leaves Nos. 163.3 and 163.5.5 of P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity and Leaf No. 127 of P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas for the Non-LMI, and Leaf No. 163.3 of P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity and Leaf No. 127 of P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas for the LMI, will remain in effect on a temporary basis until acted upon by the Commission in one or more subsequent orders.

BACKGROUND

The 2025 Rate Order adopted the terms of the Joint Proposal and established a three-year rate plan for electric and gas service for the period beginning September 1, 2025, through June 30, 2028.⁵ The approved rate plans provide for a Rate Year 1 revenue requirement increase for electric service of \$46.4 million (8.6 percent increase in delivery revenues or 4.5 percent increase in total revenues) and a Rate Year 1 revenue requirement increase for gas service of \$19 million (11.5 percent increase in delivery revenues or 7.1 percent increase in total revenues).

The 2025 Rate Order authorized Central Hudson to file tariff amendments as necessary to effectuate the provisions of the 2025 Rate Order for Rate Year 1, on not less than five days' notice and to take effect on a temporary basis on September 1, 2025. The Commission required that the Company serve copies of its filings on all active parties to the proceedings. The Commission directed parties wishing to comment on the compliance filings to do so with the Secretary to the Commission within 14 days of service of Central Hudson's proposed tariff amendments.⁶ The 2025 Rate Order stated that the tariff amendments set forth in the compliance filings would not become effective on a permanent basis until approved by the Commission.

As a result of the Company's agreement to extend the suspension period of the electric and gas rate proceedings to allow time for the negotiations that resulted in the Joint

⁵ The second rate year of the 2025 Rate Order is the 12-month period beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027. The third rate year is the 12-month period beginning July 1, 2027, and ending June 30, 2028.

⁶ 2025 Rate Order, Ordering Clauses 3 and 4, p. 102.

Proposal, the Commission approved a make whole mechanism.⁷ The make whole mechanism consists of a surcharge or credit that allows the Company to collect from or refund to ratepayers the difference between the revenues that were collected during July and August 2025 and the revenues the Company would have received had the new rates gone into effect on July 1, 2025. The 2025 Rate Order requires that the revenue differences be collected or refunded during the period from October 1, 2025, through June 30, 2027.

TARIFF FILINGS

On August 27, 2025, Central Hudson filed tariff amendments to its electric and gas tariff schedules, P.S.C. No. 15 and P.S.C. No. 12, respectively. As prescribed by the 2025 Rate Order, the electric tariff amendments effectuate a \$46.4 million increase in electric delivery service revenues, and the gas tariff amendments effectuate a \$19 million increase in gas delivery service revenues. Additionally, Statement of Miscellaneous Charges Nos. 104 and 324 were filed on September 26, 2025, and September 29, 2025, respectively. The Statements of Miscellaneous Charges became effective on October 1, 2026, and implement the make-whole mechanism adopted as part of the 2025 Order.

On October 27, 2025, and March 2, 2025, Central Hudson filed supplemental tariff amendments to its tariff schedule, P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity, that it contends are housekeeping in nature, effective on November 1, 2025, and March 7, 2026, respectively, on a temporary basis. The October 27, 2025 filing consolidates revisions to tariff leaf No. 163.5.4 to capture

⁷ Cases 24-E-0461 and 24-G-0462, Order on Extension of Maximum Suspension Period of Major Rate Filings (issued June 13, 2025).

language required by the 2025 Rate Order and the EV Rate Order.⁸ The March 2, 2026 tariff filing combines revisions made to tariff leaf Nos. 163.7.2.1 and 163.7.4 to capture language required by the 2025 Rate Order and the CDG Order.⁹ The Appendix to this Order sets forth a list of the amendments filed by the Company.

The 2025 Rate Order waived the requirement that Central Hudson publish notice of the tariff amendments for Rate Year 1 prior to their effective date, as provided for by Public Service Law (PSL) §66(12)(b) and Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules and Regulations (NYCRR) §720-8.1. However, the 2025 Rate Order required that Central Hudson complete newspaper publication no later than six weeks following the effective date of the amendments. Central Hudson filed proof of publication on October 14, 2025. Central Hudson requests a waiver of the newspaper publication requirements for the supplemental tariff amendments filed on October 27, 2025, and March 2, 2026, as the Company states the revisions are housekeeping in nature.

In the 2025 Rate Order, the Commission directed parties wishing to comment on the tariff amendments to file such comments with the Secretary to the Commission within 14 days of service of the tariff amendments. No comments were filed in response to Central Hudson's compliance filings.

⁸ Case 22-E-0236, Alternatives to Traditional Demand-Based Rate Structures for Commercial Electric Vehicle Charging, Order Implementing Electric Vehicle Charging Rates for Commercial Customers (issued October 17, 2024) (EV Rate Order).

⁹ Case 19-M-0463, Consolidated Billing for Distributed Energy Resources, Order Approving Community Distributed Generation Billing and Crediting Performance Metrics (issued July 17, 2025) (CDG Order).

LEGAL AUTHORITY

Pursuant to PSL §§5, 65(1), 66(1), and 66(12), the Commission has the legal authority to review the proposed tariff leaves, as well as modify, reject or approve such filed tariffs to ensure that the rates and services governed by those tariffs are just and reasonable and otherwise consistent with law. As such, the Commission has the legal authority to review the Company's filings and approve and make effective tariff amendments, as prescribed in this Order.

DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSION

The Commission authorizes Central Hudson's tariff amendments listed in the Appendix effectuating Rate Year 1 to become effective on a permanent basis as they comply with the 2025 Rate Order and no comments on the proposed amendments have been received. The electric and gas Statements of Miscellaneous Charges, which each became effective on October 1, 2025, appropriately effectuate the make whole provisions as they properly capture the revenue differences caused by the extension of the suspension period. The tariff amendments filed on October 27, 2025, and March 2, 2026, which we agree are housekeeping in nature, are also approved as these tariff changes consolidate tariff revisions required by prior Commission orders. This Order does not authorize the amendments to tariff provisions proposed by Central Hudson to comply with the Standby Service Order and the Energy Efficiency Orders to become effective on a permanent basis; these proposed tariff provisions shall remain in effect on a temporary basis until acted upon by the Commission in one or more subsequent orders. Finally, the Commission grants the request to waive the newspaper publication requirements for the tariff amendments

filed on October 27, 2025, and March 2, 2026, as they are housekeeping in nature.

The Commission orders:

1. The tariff amendments filed by Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation that are listed in the Appendix to this Order are authorized to become effective on a permanent basis upon the date of issuance of this Order.

2. Tariff provisions filed in compliance with the Commission Orders issued October 13, 2023, in Case 15-E-0751, and issued May 15, 2025, in Cases 25-M-0248 and 25-M-0249 shall remain in effect on a temporary basis until acted upon by the Commission.

3. The requirements of Public Service Law §66(12)(b) and Title 16 of the New York Codes, Rules, and Regulations §720-8.1 as to the newspaper publication of the changes proposed in Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation's October 27, 2025, and March 2, 2026 filings are waived.

4. These proceedings are continued.

By the Commission,

(SIGNED)

MICHELLE L. PHILLIPS
Secretary

SUBJECT: Filings by CENTRAL HUDSON GAS & ELECTRIC CORPORATION

Amendments to Schedule P.S.C. No. 15 - Electricity

Fourth Revised Leaves Nos. 106.1.5, 106.1.11,
163.9.2
Fifth Revised Leaf No. 106.1.6
Sixth Revised Leaves Nos. 163.9.7, 184.5, 248
Seventh Revised Leaf No. 106.1.9
Eighth Revised Leaf No. 184.3
Ninth Revised Leaves Nos. 94, 187, 205.1.1
Tenth Revised Leaves Nos. 137, 272.3.1
Eleventh Revised Leaf No. 210.1
Twelfth Revised Leaf No. 217.1
Thirteenth Revised Leaf No. 232
Fourteenth Revised Leaf No. 163.5.35
Fifteenth Revised Leaves Nos. 106, 272.3.2
Sixteenth Revised Leaf No. 272.3
Seventeenth Revised Leaves Nos. 135, 205.2
Eighteenth Revised Leaves Nos. 163.5.5, 218.2
Nineteenth Revised Leaf No. 163.5.2
Twenty-First Revised Leaves Nos. 184.2.1, 231
Twenty-Second Revised Leaves Nos. 219, 221
Twenty-Third Revised Leaf No. 163.3
Twenty-Fourth Revised Leaves Nos. 165, 185, 218.1
Twenty-Fifth Revised Leaves Nos. 163.5.4, 220, 222,
246
Twenty-Seventh Revised Leaves Nos. 205.1, 218, 226
Twenty-Eighth Revised Leaves Nos. 169, 246.1
Twenty-Ninth Revised Leaf No. 210
Thirtieth Revised Leaf No. 205
Thirty-First Revised Leaves Nos. 104, 217

Electric Bill Credit Statement No. 11
Merchant Function Charge Statement No. 25
Light Emitting Diode Fixture Delivery Rates
Statement No. 11
Low Income Bill Discount Monthly Credits Statement
No. 8
Miscellaneous Charges Statement No. 322
Market Price Charge and Marker Price Adjustment
Statement No. 319
Value of Distributed Energy Resources - Cost
Recovery Statement No. 92

Issued: August 27, 2025 Effective on a temporary
basis on September 1, 2025.

Miscellaneous Charges Statement No. 324

Issued: September 29, 2025 Effective: October 1, 2025

Twenty-Sixth Revised Leaf No. 163.5.4

Issued: October 27, 2025 Effective on a temporary
basis on November 1, 2025.

Fourth Revised Leaf No. 163.7.2.1

Fifth Revised Leaf No. 163.7.4

Issued: March 2, 2026 Effective on a temporary
basis on March 7, 2026.

Amendments to Schedule P.S.C. No. 12 - Gas

Second Revised Leaves Nos. 129.3.1.1, 129.4, 211,
214

Third Revised Leaves Nos. 10, 83, 204, 205, 208,
209, 210, 213

Fourth Revised Leaves Nos. 129.3.1, 207

Fifth Revised Leaf No. 8

Sixth Revised Leaves Nos. 85, 128.1, 129.3

Seventh Revised Leaf No. 4

Ninth Revised Leaf No. 63

Tenth Revised Leaves Nos. 115, 127

Twelfth Revised Leaf No. 129.1

Thirteenth Revised Leaves Nos. 124.1, 129.2, 137

Fourteenth Revised Leaf No. 73

Fifteenth Revised Leaves Nos. 126.2, 129

Sixteenth Revised Leaf No. 181.1

Eighteenth Revised Leaves Nos. 121, 212

Twenty-Second Revised Leaf No. 151

Twenty-Third Revised Leaf No. 206

Twenty-Fifth Revised Leaves Nos. 152, 158

Twenty-Sixth Revised Leaves Nos. 181, 188, 193

Twenty-Seventh Revised Leaf No. 126.1

Twenty-Ninth Revised Leaves Nos. 149, 186, 191

Merchant Function Charge Statement No. 31

Gas Bill Credit Statement No. 12

Low Income Bill Discount Monthly Credits
Statement No. 7

Issued: August 27, 2025 Effective on a temporary
basis on September 1, 2025.

Miscellaneous Charges Statement No. 104

Issued: September 26, 2025 Effective: October 1, 2025

SAPA: Not Applicable

NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION: September 4, 11, 18, and 25, 2025;
waived for October 27, 2025, and March 2,
2026 filings.