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Hon. Vernon A. Williams
Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

RE: STB Docket No. AB 873X
New York and Eastern Railway, LLC
Discontinuance Exemption - In Dutchess
County, NY

Dear Mr. Williams:

On behalf of New York and Eastern, Railway, LLC, I am filing an original and ten copies of the Certificate of Service advising Central Hudson Enterprise Corporation and Charles Effron and Son of the Board's decision served October 15, 2004 authorizing New York and Eastern Railway, LLC's discontinuance of service.

Please date stamp and return one copy of this filing in the self-addressed, stamped envelop.

Sincerely yours,

John D. Heffner

Enclosures

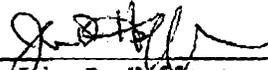
cc: Stephen Perretta, Esq.
Mr. Eyal Shapira
Louis Gitomer, Esq.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, John D. Heffner, hereby certify that a copy of the Surface Transportation Board's decision dated October 15, 2004, authorizing the discontinuance of service by New York and Eastern Railway, LLC, was sent by first-class United States mail, to:

Central Hudson Enterprise Corporation
(Formerly Central Hudson Gas)
110 Main Street
Poughkeepsie, NY 12061

Charles Effron and Son
167 Smith Street
P.O. Box 504
Poughkeepsie, NY 12602



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