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VIA E-MAIL AND FIRST-CLASS MAIL

Hon. Eleanor Stein  
Administrative Law Judge  
New York Public Service Commission  
Three Empire State Plaza  
Albany, New York 12233-1350

RE: Case No. 07-M-0548 – Proceeding on Motion of the  
Commission Regarding an Energy Efficiency Portfolio  
Standard

Dear Judge Stein:

Enclosed, please find the Comments of Hess Corporation in the above-captioned matter. Please contact me at (732) 750-7048 if you have any questions. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jay Kooper".

Jay L. Kooper  
Director of Regulatory Affairs

cc: Active Parties (via e-mail)

**STATE OF NEW YORK  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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Regarding an Energy Efficiency Portfolio Standard

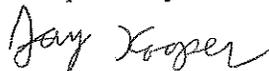
**COMMENTS OF HESS CORPORATION REGARDING  
STAFF'S QUESTIONS AND ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS  
FROM ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE STEIN**

Hess Corporation ("Hess") submits these initial comments pursuant to questions issued by Staff and additional questions issued by the Honorable Eleanor Stein, Administrative Law Judge, in a correspondence dated June 22, 2007. Hess appreciates the opportunity to participate in this proceeding and believes that the ESCO industry robustly participating throughout the State is well-positioned to substantially contribute to the Administration's ambitious goal of reducing statewide electric usage by 15% by 2015 as set forth in the "15 By 15" plan.

Hess has intervened in this proceeding both individually and as a member of the Retail Energy Supply Association ("RESA"). Hess hereby incorporates herein by reference and expresses its full support for the detailed comments submitted by RESA on July 10, 2007.

Dated: July 11, 2007  
Woodbridge, New Jersey

Respectfully submitted,



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