Standard Binghamton LLC

22 Charles Street • Binghamton, NY 13905

November 16, 2011

Hon. Jaclyn A. Brilling Secretary to the Commission New York State Public Service Commission Three Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12223-1350

Re:

Notice of Intent to Discontinue Operations and Retire

Standard Binghamton LLC

Dear Secretary Brilling:

Pursuant to the Commission's Generating Unit Retirement Order, issued in Case 05-E-0889, Proceeding on Motion of the Commission to Establish Policies and Procedures Regarding Generation Unit Retirements, on December 20, 2005, Standard Binghamton LLC ("Standard Binghamton") hereby provides notice that it intends to discontinue operation of its generating unit effective February 17, 2012. Standard Binghamton owns and operates a 47.7 MW single-unit generating facility located in Binghamton, New York. The generating unit is connected to a 115 kV transmission line and the Northside Substation, both owned by New York State Electric & Gas Corporation ("NYSEG").

In accordance with the requirements of the *Generating Unit Retirement Order*, Standard Binghamton is simultaneously providing a copy of this notice to the New York Independent System Operator, Inc. ("NYISO") and NYSEG. Standard Binghamton believes that there is sufficient generating capacity available in the NYISO's Zone C such that its generating unit will not be needed to preserve the reliability of the electric grid.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact David Glazek at 212-610-9176.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Singer Managing Member

cc: New York Independent System Operator, Inc. New York State Electric & Gas Corporation