INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

September 26, 2013

To the Board of Directors of Hudson River-Black River Regulating District:

We have examined Hudson River-Black River Regulating District's (the Regulating District), a New York State Public Benefit Corporation, a discretely presented component unit of the State of New York, compliance with its own investment policies, applicable laws and regulations related to investments, and the New York State Office of the State Comptroller Investment Guidelines for Public Authorities (the Guidelines) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013. Management is responsible for the Regulating District's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Regulating District's compliance based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and, accordingly, included examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the Regulating District's compliance with those requirements related to investments and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our examination provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the Regulating District's compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, the Regulating District complied, in all material respects, with the aforementioned requirements described in the first paragraph as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management and the Board of Directors of the Regulating District and the New York State Office of the State Comptroller and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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