

PSC NO: 8 GAS
COMPANY: NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION
INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE 8/1/05
ISSUED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ORDER IN CASE NO. 04-G-1047 DATED JULY 22, 2005

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STATEMENT OF LIRA MINIMUM CHARGE

Effective With Usage During Billing Period Commencing August 1, 2005
Applicable to Billings Under Service Classification No. 2
NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION
P.S.C. No. 8 - GAS

Pursuant to the order in Case 04-G-1047 issued July 22, 2005, the following LIRA minimum charge shall be in effect on and after August 1, 2005.

Minimum Charge	(\$0.6300)
Billing Charge	<u>\$2.0000</u>
Net Minimum Charge	<u><u>\$1.3700</u></u>

Pursuant to the terms of the Settlement Agreement and Joint Proposal in Case 04-G-1047 the amount of the LIRA minimum may be increased by the Company if it is anticipated that the total amount of discount at forecast enrollment levels will cause the Company to exceed the \$5 million expense cap.

Date: July 29, 2005

Issued by D.J. Seeley, President, 6363 Main Street, Williamsville, NY 14221
(Name of Officer, Title, Address)