

PSC NO: 8 GAS  
 COMPANY: NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION  
 INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 11/01/03

STATEMENT TYPE: DISS  
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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCY IMBALANCE SALES SERVICE RATE

Effective With Usage During Billing Period Commencing November 1, 2003  
 Applicable to Billings Under Service Classification No. 11  
 NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION  
 P.S.C. No. 8 - GAS

Authorized Period:	<u>\$ Per Ccf</u>
<u>Billing Rate</u>	
Monthly Gas Cost	\$0.710780
Plus: Base Reserve Capacity Cost	\$0.014180
Plus: Delivery Adjustment Charge	<u>\$0.002870</u>
Rate for Delivery Deficiencies between 0 – 2% of total monthly throughput	\$0.727830
Seasonal Premium Factor (November - March)	<u>125%</u>
Rate for Delivery Deficiencies above 2% of total monthly throughput	<u>\$0.909788</u>

The rates listed above are in addition to the appropriate transportation service rate charged to the customer for the volumes of gas purchased by the customer under this service classification.

Date: October 29, 2003

Issued by D.F. Smith, President, 10 Lafayette Square, Buffalo NY 14203  
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