

PSC NO: 9 GAS
 CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.
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**STATEMENT OF RATE FOR SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 9
 APPLICABLE TO BILLING UNDER SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 9
 OF THE SCHEDULE FOR GAS SERVICE**

	Applicable to County of Westchester <u>Customers</u>	Applicable to City of New York <u>Customers</u>
A. Firm Transportation Service		
The firm transportation base rates are subject to the following monthly rate adjustment components:		
1. A non-firm revenue credit per therm as explained on Leaf Nos. 164.0 - 166.2 of the Schedule for Gas Service	(2.2225) ¢/therm	(2.2225) ¢/therm
2. A Gas Facility Cost Credit (applicable to New York City Customers) as explained on Leaf No. 183.0 of the Schedule for Gas Service	0.0000 ¢/therm	(0.6817) ¢/therm
3. A Transition Surcharge for Capacity Costs per therm as explained on Leaf No. 183.1 of the Schedule for Gas Service	0.0000 ¢/therm	0.0000 ¢/therm
4. A Research and Development Surcharge	0.1180 ¢/therm	0.1180 ¢/therm
5. A Competitive Retail Choice Credit per therm as explained on Leaf No. 303.1 of the Schedule for Gas Service	(2.4000) ¢/therm	(2.4000) ¢/therm
6. An additional Competitive Retail Choice Credit per therm applicable to prior periods as explained on Leaf No. 303.1 of the Schedule for Gas Service	(0.5230) ¢/therm	(0.5230) ¢/therm
7. The total rate adjustment per therm to firm base transportation rates (Lines 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6)*	(5.0275) ¢/therm	(5.7092) ¢/therm

* For space heating customers, the rate adjustment per therm set forth above is subject to a Weather Normalization Adjustment as explained on Leaf Nos. 171.0 - 174.0

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B. Interruptible Transportation Service

1. The base transportation rates applicable to Residential Interruptible transportation customers are as follows:

RESIDENTIAL

(a) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - *Priority AB* Service:

New York City

7.938 Percent*	28.8538 ¢/therm
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County of Westchester

5.2679 Percent*	29.5857 ¢/therm
6.3878 Percent*	29.2742 ¢/therm
8.7008 Percent*	28.6513 ¢/therm

(b) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - *Priority C* Service:

New York City

7.938 Percent*	8.0425 ¢/therm
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County of Westchester

5.2679 Percent*	8.2465 ¢/therm
6.3878 Percent*	8.1597 ¢/therm
8.7008 Percent*	7.9861 ¢/therm

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1. The base transportation rates applicable to Residential Interruptible transportation customers are as follows:

RESIDENTIAL

(c) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - *Priority D* Service:

New York City

7.938 Percent*	7.3774 ¢/therm
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County of Westchester

5.2679 Percent*	7.5645 ¢/therm
6.3878 Percent*	7.4849 ¢/therm
8.7008 Percent*	7.3256 ¢/therm

(d) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - *Priority E* Service:

New York City

7.938 Percent*	7.1774 ¢/therm
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County of Westchester

5.2679 Percent*	7.3645 ¢/therm
6.3878 Percent*	7.2849 ¢/therm
8.7008 Percent*	7.1256 ¢/therm

*Applicable Percentage Increases in Rates and Charges are explained on Leaf Nos. 167.0 - 168.0 and shown on the related "Statement of Percentage Increase in Rates and Charges" for service supplied within municipality where the customer is taking service.

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2. The base transportation rates applicable to Non-Residential
 Interruptible transportation customers are as follows:

	Non-Residential	Non-Residential (Exempt from Petroleum Business Tax)
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(a) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - <i>Priority AB</i> Service:		
<u>New York City</u>		
6.6431 Percent*	17.5043 ¢/therm	17.5043 ¢/therm
<u>County of Westchester</u>		
4.0359 Percent*	17.9430 ¢/therm	17.9430 ¢/therm
5.1296 Percent*	17.7563 ¢/therm	17.7563 ¢/therm
7.3875 Percent*	17.3830 ¢/therm	17.3830 ¢/therm
(b) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - <i>Priority C</i> Service:		
<u>New York City</u>		
6.6431 Percent*	11.9279 ¢/therm	8.0425 ¢/therm
<u>County of Westchester</u>		
4.0359 Percent*	12.2268 ¢/therm	8.2465 ¢/therm
5.1296 Percent*	12.0996 ¢/therm	8.1597 ¢/therm
7.3875 Percent*	11.8452 ¢/therm	7.9861 ¢/therm

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2. The base transportation rates applicable to Non-Residential
 Interruptible transportation customers are as follows:

	Non-Residential	Non-Residential (Exempt from Petroleum Business Tax)
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(c) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - <i>Priority D</i> Service:		
<u>New York City</u>		
6.6431 Percent*	11.1560 ¢/therm	7.3774 ¢/therm
<u>County of Westchester</u>		
4.0359 Percent*	11.4356 ¢/therm	7.5645 ¢/therm
5.1296 Percent*	11.3166 ¢/therm	7.4849 ¢/therm
7.3875 Percent*	11.0787 ¢/therm	7.3256 ¢/therm
(d) Applicable to Customers eligible for SC 12 - <i>Priority E</i> Service:		
<u>New York City</u>		
6.6431 Percent*	10.9560 ¢/therm	7.1774 ¢/therm
<u>County of Westchester</u>		
4.0359 Percent*	11.2356 ¢/therm	7.3645 ¢/therm
5.1296 Percent*	11.1166 ¢/therm	7.2849 ¢/therm
7.3875 Percent*	10.8787 ¢/therm	7.1256 ¢/therm

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3. The base transportation rates for therm or equivalent therm usage applicable to **existing** customers currently classified as SC 12 - *Priority AB* Service and *Priority C* Service who (a) have used less than 50% of their estimated annual gas consumption in their prior 12 month billing period, (b) agree to use natural gas for all their dual fuel equipment requirements for the next 12 months, except when service is curtailed by the Company in accordance with the tariff, and (c) can demonstrate, to the Company's satisfaction, that their weighted average alternate fuel costs for the past 12 months was as follows:
- (a) Applicable to *Priority F* customers with weighted average alternate fuel costs equal to or greater than 70 cents per gallon and less than or equal to 80 cents per gallon 18.0000 ¢/therm
- (b) Applicable to *Priority G* customers with weighted average alternate fuel costs less than 70 cents per gallon 15.0000 ¢/therm
4. The *Priority H* transportation rate for therm or equivalent therm usage applicable to **existing** customers currently classified as SC 12 - *Priority D* Service and any other SC 12 Rate 1 customers who meet the eligibility requirements for *Priority D* Service, who (a) have used less than 50% of their estimated annual gas consumption in the prior 12 month billing period, (b) agree to use natural gas for all their dual-fuel equipment requirements for the next 12 months, except when service is curtailed by the Company in accordance with the tariff, and (c) can demonstrate to the Company's satisfaction, that their weighted average alternate fuel cost for the past 12 months was less than 66 cents per gallon 8.1000 ¢/therm

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5. The base transportation rates for therm or equivalent therm usage applicable to **new** SC 9 Rate I customers as of November 1, 1997 with estimated annual gas consumption less than 1 million therms, who agree to burn natural gas (a) for all their dual-fuel equipment requirements for a period of three (3) years, or (b) to meet a minimum of 50% of their dual-fuel equipment requirements for a period of five (5) years, except when service is curtailed by the Company in accordance with the tariff, where the customer's estimated gas usage per dollar of Company capital cost for connection ratio is:

	<u>3 Year Term</u>	<u>5 Year Term</u>
(a) <i>Priority I</i> Greater than 21.6 therms of annual usage per dollar (\$) of capital costs	4.5000 ¢/therm	6.0000 ¢/therm
(b) <i>Priority J</i> Greater than or equal to 14.2 therms of annual usage and less than or equal to 21.6 therms of annual usage per dollar (\$) of capital costs	6.0000 ¢/therm	8.0000 ¢/therm
(c) <i>Priority K</i> Greater than or equal to 12.5 therms of annual usage and less than 14.2 therms of annual usage per dollar (\$) of capital cost	7.5000 ¢/therm	10.5000 ¢/therm

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C. Off-Peak Firm Service

The base transportation rates per therm applicable to off-peak firm transportation customers as explained on Leaf Nos. 275.0 - 276.0 of the Schedule for Gas Service, as follows:

	<u>One Year</u>	<u>Two Years</u>	<u>Three Years</u>
	(¢/therm)	(¢/therm)	(¢/therm)
First 500,000 therms per month	8.0000	7.5000	7.0000
Excess over 500,000 therms per month	7.0000	6.5000	6.0000

D. Unauthorized Use Charge

The charge per therm applicable to unauthorized gas use by interruptible or off-peak firm transportation customers, as explained on Leaf No. 302.0 of the Schedule for Gas Service is the higher of

\$4.50 per therm

or

\$2.50 per therm
plus a marketer gas price

E. Capacity Release Service

The rate per therm applicable to Capacity Release Service is

4.6 ¢/therm

F. System Loss Factor

The percentage to be applied to a customer's daily transportation quantity to determine the quantity of gas to be retained by the Company as an allowance for losses is

2.3%

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