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STATEMENT OF CASHOUT

Applicable to Billings Pursuant to Rule 29 - Cashout of Imbalances

1. **FOR UNDERDELIVERIES:**

MONTHLY IMBALANCE LEVEL	CHARGE PER THERM
0 to 2%	\$0.4634
>2% to 10%	\$0.5097
>10% to 15%	\$0.5561
>15% to 20%	\$0.6024
>20%	\$0.6487

2. **FOR OVERDELIVERIES:**

MONTHLY IMBALANCE LEVEL	PAYMENT PER THERM
0 to 2%	\$0.3214
>2% to 10%	\$0.2892
>10% to 15%	\$0.2571
>15% to 20%	\$0.2250
>20%	\$0.1928

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