

SERVICE CLASSIFICATION No. 6M - Continued

Gas consumed in excess of two therms per hour during periods that the Customer did not interrupt gas service during a Company initiated interruption without the express written authorization of the Company will be subject to an additional charge of either (i) two times the sum of the Market Price for natural gas delivered to the Company's city gate on the day of violation plus the transportation rate the Customer would be subject to if it were a transportation customer, or (ii) nine times the applicable sales rate, whichever is higher. All charges are subject to all utility taxes and surcharges. *Market Price* is defined as the highest city gate delivered price of natural gas at Transco Zone 6 NY, Texas Eastern M3 or Iroquois Zone 2 on the days of interruption, as quoted by Platts' "Gas Daily" report. Where a condition is experienced by the Customer that prevents the required transfer from gas, the Customer agrees to immediately notify the Company and to take immediate action to correct such condition, and to notify the Company when such condition has been corrected.

In the event Customer consumes gas during such periods the Company will have the right to estimate the amount of such consumption for the purpose of imposing the additional charge. Such estimate may be based upon the average daily consumption during periods of authorized consumption or upon any other reasonable method, including but not limited to the use of telemetering equipment.

Whenever the Company becomes aware that the Customer's equipment is incapable of switching to an alternate fuel and/or that the Customer does not have a reasonable amount of fuel on hand considering the time in the heating season, the Company will notify the Customer within forty-eight (48) hours that the violation must be corrected within ten (10) calendar days. It will be the responsibility of the Customer to contact the Company and provide proof that the violation has been corrected. However, this will not apply if the Customer has previously stipulated in writing that the Customer is willing and able to shut down during periods of interruption.

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