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PSC NO. 4 GAS

ORANGE AND ROCKLAND UTILITIES, INC.

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## SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 8 (Cont'd.)

**SPECIAL PROVISIONS:** (Cont'd.)

- (F) <u>Customer Responsibilities</u> (Cont'd.)
  - (1) Alternate Fuel/Energy Facilities (Cont'd.)

Customers with inoperable alternate fuel or alternate energy facilities, including associated customer-installed telephone lines, will be entitled to a forty-eight hour grace period to correct the condition from the time when the condition is first reported by the customer or from when the condition is first discovered by the Company with notice to the customer, whichever is earlier. Any such grace period permitted under this Special Provision shall not exempt the customer from the "two violation rule" set forth in Special Provision G (1). Customers that fail to correct the condition within the forty-eight hours shall be subject to the Charge for Inoperable Alternate Fuel/Energy Facilities or Inadequate Fuel Reserves set forth in Special Provision G (3) of this Service Classification.

The customer must comply with an annual inspection of its alternate fuel or alternate energy facilities, at a date and time determined by the Company, to determine whether such facilities are operable. In addition, the Company shall have the right to require compliance with a planned interruption to test customers' alternate fuel or alternate energy facilities. The customer must comply with any such planned interruption.

## (2) <u>Reserve Requirements</u>

Prior to October 1 of each year, customers are required to demonstrate to the Company that they will have in place by November 1 adequate reserves of their alternate fuel based on their peak winter period requirements and in accordance with the provisions below.

(a) All Distillate Users and Human Needs Customers shall have a ten days supply of alternate fuel. If the customer does not have ten days storage capability on site, the customer must fill available on-site storage and prove, to the Company's satisfaction, that a relationship exists with an alternate fuel provider to supply the customer for the difference between its onsite supply and the ten days of required alternate fuel supply.