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GENERAL INFORMATION

6. <u>METERING AND BILLING</u> (Cont'd.)

6.6 LATE PAYMENT CHARGE

- (1) The Company may impose a continuing late payment charge at the rate of one and one-half percent (1 1/2%) per month to the accounts of all customers except state agencies on:
 - (a) the balance of any bill for service, including budget bills and any unpaid late payment charge amounts applied to previous bills, which bill is not paid within 25 calendar days after the Billing Date;
 - (b) the amount billed for service used that was previously unbilled because service was being provided through tampered equipment, provided the Company can demonstrate either that the condition commenced since the customer initiated service or that the customer knew or reasonably should have known the original billing was incorrect; and
 - (c) the balance due under a non-residential deferred payment agreement except as defined in 6.12 (2)(B)(ii).

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