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GENERAL INFORMATION

12. ADJUSTMENT OF RATES IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHANGES IN THE COST OF GAS (Cont'd.)

12.1 APPLICABLE TO SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NOS. 1 AND 2 (Cont'd.)

- (H) <u>Statement of Gas Adjustment</u> (Cont'd.)
 - (2) The Statement of Gas Adjustment shall be filed with the Public Service Commission and apart from this Rate Schedule not less than three days prior to the date on which it is proposed to be effective. Such Statement will be available to the public at Company offices at which applications for service may be made. Each Statement shall contain:
 - (a) an identification of the schedules and service classifications to which they apply;
 - (b) the date when the increase or decrease in rates shall become effective and the period it will remain in effect;
 - (c) the present average cost to the utility of gas purchased to serve customers subject to the gas adjustment;
 - (d) the date at which, and the period for which, the average was determined;
 - (e) the base cost of gas;
 - (f) the present factor of adjustment;
 - (g) the amount per unit of consumption affected;
 - (h) a summary of refunds or surcharges to be applied to the adjustment; and
 - (i) the net amount per unit of consumption affected.
- (I) <u>Interim Recovery of Gas Supplier Take or Pay Charges</u>

Commencing April 1, 1989, the gas adjustment shall reflect a surcharge calculated according to the Stipulation and Resolution of issues as approved in Case 88-G-062-Phase 1A. The Take or Pay Surcharge is designed to collect, subject to refund, a certain portion of Take or Pay charges currently being billed to the Company by interstate pipeline suppliers, as well as a certain portion of Take or Pay charges heretofore deferred and will be shown on the Statement of Gas Adjustment filed with the Commission.

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