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SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 9 (Cont'd.)

SPECIAL PROVISIONS: (Cont'd.)

(E) <u>Compensation to Customer for Withdrawing Service</u>

In the event the Company withdraws service hereunder, as provided for above, the Company shall compensate customer for taking customer's gas. The rate of compensation shall be as provided for in the service agreement and shall be no greater than customer's alternate fuel cost including an allowance, if appropriate, for incremental operating costs. Compensation shall be accomplished by crediting the customer's account.

(F) <u>Company Loss Allowance</u>

The Company shall make no additional charges nor shall it retain any of the customer's gas as compensation for operating losses incurred in providing service hereunder. Compensation for losses has been included in the charges provided for above.

(G) Pipeline Loss and Fuel Allowances

A customer using Company transportation capacity on interstate pipelines shall be required to supply fuel for the transportation of gas, and gas to cover any loss requirements of the pipeline.

(H) <u>Alternate Fuels</u>

The Supplemental Sales Charge is a rate per Mcf determined each month by the Company and is dependent on the type of alternate fuel used by the customer. Customers who do not have an alternate fuel and who have certified that they can and will discontinue use of Company service as requested shall be charged the Category C Supplemental Sales Charge.

(I) <u>Customer Responsibilities</u>

Customers must maintain operable alternate fuel equipment, adequate fuel storage capacity at the customer's location for use in such alternate fuel equipment and fuel supply that is adequate and replenished as necessary to enable the customer to operate satisfactorily such equipment without gas whenever and so long as service under this Service Classification is withdrawn. The customer must also maintain a dedicated customer-installed telephone line to enable the Company to obtain remote readings of the customer's meter.

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