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SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 3 (Cont'd.)

SPECIAL PROVISIONS: (Cont'd.)

(C) <u>Availability</u>

Service under this rate schedule is available only to those customers being served prior to December 22, 1972 and only at the location of such service prior to December 22, 1972.

(D) Firm Base Load

A customer, at its option, may declare, prior to November 1 of each year, a fixed volume of its daily usage as Firm Base Load. A Customer electing this option may use its Firm Base Load volume during periods of interruption without incurring a Penalty Charge or Penalty Surcharge for usage up to the Firm Base Load declared. All Firm Base Load usage will be considered first through the meter and be billed at the rates and charges contained in Service Classification No. 2. Declared Firm Base Load volumes will remain fixed for a period of one year.

(E) <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 to enable the customer to operate satisfactorily such equipment without gas whenever and so long as service under this Service Classification is interrupted, including replenishing such fuel inventory during and after an interruption, to the extent necessary. The customer must also maintain a dedicated customerinstalled telephone line to enable the Company to obtain remote readings of the customer's meter.

The customer shall immediately: (i) notify the Company of any condition that would prevent the required interruption of gas service or prevent the Company from determining whether the customer is using gas during an interruption, (ii) take immediate action to correct such condition, and (iii) notify the Company when such condition has been corrected. If the customer does not correct such condition within 10 days, the customer will thereafter be charged at 1.5 times the applicable rates set forth under this Service Classification until the customer is found to be in compliance. During this period, the customer remains obligated to comply with interruptions of service initiated by the Company and remains subject to penalties for noncompliance.

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