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GENERAL INFORMATION

11. <u>GAS RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS</u> (Cont'd.)

11.1 <u>RESTRICTIONS ON ATTACHMENTS OF NEW GAS CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLYING OF GAS TO EXISTING CUSTOMERS</u> (Cont'd.)

(E) <u>Curtailment of Service</u>

(4) <u>General Provisions</u> (Continued)

(b) Penalties

Customers failing to comply with a curtailment directive may be subject to an additional charge for each dekatherm of overrun service equal to \$25 per dekatherm for all usage during the curtailment period.

Base usage for purposes of determining the amount of overrun service on which a penalty is assessed will be determined by the nature of the curtailment and whether a customer is directed by the Company to cease all gas usage or to reduce gas usage to a specified level or by a specified amount. Notice provided in accordance with 11.1(E)(4)(a) will specify the base usage applicable to the curtailment situation.

(c) Bill Proration for Gas Sales Customer

In the event of a curtailment of the Company's gas sales customers, the next bill for service will be prorated as provided in General Information, Section 6.,5, except that no proration will be required until a curtailment schedule has been in effect for more than forty-eight (48) consecutive hours.

(F) Outdoor Gas Lighting

The Public Service Commission has prohibited the use of natural gas in gas-fired decorative torches. A decorative torch is defined as any device in which gas is used as a fuel to produce an open flame, whether or not such flame is open to the atmosphere or enclosed in glass or other appropriate covering. Service is permitted for outdoor lighting fixtures wherein a mantle is employed that enables the gas to be converted to useful lighting.

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