..DID: 4144 ..TXT: PSC NO: 218 GAS LEAF: 187 COMPANY: NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION REVISION: 1 INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 08/21/98 SUPERSEDING REVISION: 0 STAMPS: Cancelled by 2 Rev. Leaf No. 187 Effective 06/01/1999 Effective date postponed to 10/08/98. See Supplement No. 9, 8 RECEIVED: 06/09/98 STATUS: Cancelled EFFECTIVE: 10/08/98 SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 11 LOAD AGGREGATION (continued)

Eligibility to Act as Aggregator (continued)

b. <u>Establishment of Credit Limits</u> (continued)

information as to the aggregator's legal structure; its officers, partners, or proprietors; trade references; bank references; recent financial statements; and such other credit information as might reasonably be required in the exercise of due diligence by a potential creditor of the aggregator.

c. <u>Public Service Commission Requirements</u> Aggregators must file with the Public Service Commission a copy of its standard contract and warrants that they have complied with the requirements set forth in the Public Service Commission's Order dated March 28, 1996, in Case 95-G-1048.

d. <u>Curtailment Plans</u> Aggregators must provide to Niagara Mohawk a copy of their plan for curtailment of their customers in the event of inadequate gas supplies.

e. <u>Terms of Payment</u> - Bills are due and payable when rendered, which will be the date the bill is personally served or three calendar days after the mailing of the bill. Full payment must be received on or before the date shown on the bill to avoid a late payment charge of one and one-half percent. The one and onehalf percent per monthly billing period shall be applied to all amounts previously billed under this tariff including arrears and unpaid late payment charges applied to previous bills. The date specified on the bill shall be at least ten (10) calendar days subsequent to the date the bill is rendered.

Pooled Balancing Service

Pooled Balancing Service permits an aggregator to pool the usage of a group of eligible customers for the purpose of determining imbalances.

a. <u>Customer Eligibility</u>. Pooled Balancing Service is available to customers served under Service Classifications 5 Non-DCA, 7 Non-DCA, S.C. 8, S.C. 5I and S.C. 9 (contracts with effective dates before June 1, 1996 will have to amend their existing service agreements in order to participate in Pooled Balancing). To receive Pooled Balancing Service, Aggregator Form 2 must be completed by the Customer's approved aggregator and submitted to the Company electronically through the Company's web site or via fax not later than the 11th of the month prior to the month service is to commence.

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