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(F) Minimum Charge (per month) - Continued

Off-Peak Firm Customers taking service under Service Classification No. 12 Rate II will receive credit for volumes taken under that Service Classification during the billing period. Charges for Unauthorized Gas Use and Balancing Charges will not be credited against the minimum charge.

Annual Reconciliation:

If a Customer incurs a minimum charge in any month(s) but the total of the Daily Delivery Quantities in the Annual Period is equal to or greater than 1/2 of the Annual Transportation Quantity (exclusive of the allowance for losses), the Company shall refund all minimum charges paid in excess of the amounts applicable to the quantity of service taken in the shortfall months. If the total Daily Delivery Quantities in the Annual Period is less than 1/2 of the Annual Transportation Quantity (exclusive of the allowance for losses), the Company shall refund so much of the minimum charges paid in the shortfall months as exceed the amount payable for 1/2 of the Customer's Annual Transportation Quantity. The Annual Period is the 12 months beginning with the month in which the Customer first receives service under this Service Classification and each succeeding 12 month period. This calculation shall exclude any Charges for Unauthorized Use and balancing charges.

There is no minimum charge for an Interruptible Customer. A minimum charge, if any, for a CNG, Bypass, or Power Generation Customer shall be as negotiated by the Customer and the Company.

(G) Balancing Services and Charges for Firm Customers:

Firm Customers shall participate in one of the following: the Load Following Service, Capacity Balancing Service effective on and after July 1, 1997, Daily Delivery Service, or the Daily Cashout Service, under the terms described below and as further explained in the Company's Sales and Transportation Operating Procedures. Human Needs Customers shall be required to take either the Load Following Service, Capacity

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