

..DID: 6240**..TXT: PSC NO: 9 GAS****LEAF: 243****COMPANY: CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC. REVISION: 0****INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 03/01/99 SUPERSEDING REVISION:****STAMPS:****Cancelled by 1 Rev. Leaf No. 243.0 Effective 08/01/1999****RECEIVED: 12/08/98 STATUS: Cancelled EFFECTIVE: 03/01/99****SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 3 - Continued****RESIDENTIAL AND RELIGIOUS - HEATING FIRM SALES SERVICE****Rate - Continued****Air-Conditioning Rate**

Customers who use gas for the operation of gas air-conditioning equipment which is permanently installed will be billed for gas used during the period June 14th to October 14th as follows (per meter per month):

- (1) The total quantity of gas supplied, less the quantity of gas billed at the air-conditioning rate set forth below, will be billed at the rates under Rate I;
- (2) The quantity of gas (if any) exceeding 12 therms, and up to a maximum of 62 therms per ton of rated capacity of the Customer's air-conditioning equipment, will be billed at the rate set forth below.

For the first	1,200 therms	44.76	cents per therm
For excess over	1,200 therms	41.96	cents per therm

When a bill includes periods during both the Air-Conditioning Billing Period (June 14th to October 14th) and the Standard Billing Period (balance of the year), the rates and charges applicable will be prorated based on the number of days in the Air-Conditioning Billing Period and the number of days in the Standard Billing Period related to the total number of days in the billing period.

Gas Adjustment (for an explanation, see General Rule VII "Gas Adjustment Clause").

Increase in Rates and Charges

The rates and charges under this Service Classification shall be increased by the applicable percentage shown on the "Statement of Percentage Increase in Rates and Charges" (for an explanation, see General Rule VIII "Increase in Rates Applicable in Municipality Where Service is Supplied").

(Service Classification No. 3 - Continued on Leaf No. 244.0)

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