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(B) Rate (per month) - Continued

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subparagraphs (B) (1) and (B) (2) of this Rider. The rate reduction in the first year of the five-year phase out period will be five-sixths of the rate reduction the Customer would receive by application of the rates set forth in subparagraphs (B) (1) and (B) (2) of this Rider. In the second year, the rate reduction will be two-thirds thereof. In the third year, the rate reduction will be one-half thereof. In the fourth year, the rate reduction will be one-third thereof. In the fifth year, the rate reduction will be one-sixth thereof.

The Company will file a Statement with the Public Service Commission not less than three (3) business days prior to the effective date of the Statement, showing the applicable area development phase-out rates as described in the paragraph above. This Statement will be available at Company offices where application for such service may be made.

After a Customer has received ten years of rate reductions, the rate reductions under this Rider will no longer be available to the Customer.

- (7) The foregoing rates shall apply to all gas service supplied hereunder on and after the effective date hereof. Where a bill includes periods before the effective date and after the effective date, the rates applicable will be prorated based on the number of days of service rendered before the effective date and on and after the effective date related to the total number of days in the billing period.
- (8) For the rates applicable to the transportation of Customer-owned gas, see Service Classification No. 9.

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