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 GENERAL INFORMATION (Cont*d)

II. CONTINUED

27. STANDBY SERVICE AGREEMENT

STANDBY SERVICE AGREEMENT UNDER SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 12

_____ with its principal offices
 at _____
 (hereinafter "Customer"), which receives service from National Fuel Gas Distribution Corporation (hereinafter "Company") under any of
 Company's transportation services, including Service Classification Nos. 13D, 13M, 15, 16 or 17, at account no. _____
 agrees to take, and the Company agrees to render. Standby Service under the Company's Service Classification No. 12. Said Standby Service
 shall be provided as follows:

RATES

Monthly Standby Demand Charge (check one):

_____ Default Rate. _____ Negotiated Rate as set forth in Rider 1.

Monthly Standby Commodity Charge (check one):

_____ Default Rate. _____ Negotiated Rate as set forth in Rider 1.

VOLUMES

Demand (check one):

_____ Default level. Specify monthly level:

JAN _____ FEB _____ MAR _____ APR _____ MAY _____ JUN _____

JUL _____ AUG _____ SEP _____ OCT _____ NOV _____ DEC _____

_____ Negotiated level as set forth in Rider 1.

Commodity: Maximum volume equal to specified monthly demand level.

OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Service under this Agreement shall be in accordance with Service Classification No. 12 filed with the New York State Public Service
 Commission ("Commission") as amended from time to time. A copy of the currently effective form of Service Classification No. 12 is attached
 as Appendix A hereto and is incorporated herein. If there is any inconsistency between this Agreement and Service Classification No. 12, either
 as presently in effect or as amended, then the provisions of Service Classification No. 12 shall apply.

The Company reserves the right to file with the Commission tariffs or tariff supplements proposing changes in the terms and conditions of,
 and rates for, service under Service Classification No. 12.

Witness our signatures this _____ day of _____, 199 __, with the intent to be legally bound.

By: _____
 Customer

NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION

BY: _____

Issued by P.C. Ackerman, President, 10 Lafayette Square, Buffalo NY 14203
 (Name of Officer, Title, Address)