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GENERAL INFORMATION

10. CONDITIONS OF GAS SERVICE: (CONT'D)

I. Dual Fuel Requirement: (Cont'd)

- (3) Existing firm customers whose total existing usage is 50,000 Dth or more per year that have heretofore obtained any gas service for which maintenance of dual fuel capability was a condition under this Section or any previously filed Section of this Schedule shall be required as a condition of continued service to maintain dual fuel capability.
- (4) Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 10.I.(1) and 10.I.(2) of this Schedule, application may be made but firm gas shall not be furnished under this section to any applicant without the approval of the Company after a review of the Company's supply and load situation and approval by the PSC, if such applicant's new or additional firm annual gas usage will be more than 100,000 Dth.

J. Exceptions:

The Company may, at any time, refuse to approve additional applications for new or additional gas service if, in its sole discretion, the Company believes that its supply and load circumstances are such that it cannot provide additional service without jeopardizing its existing customers; provided, however, that the Company shall promptly advise the PSC of any such refusal.

No applicant may rely on obtaining new or additional gas service unless and until his application is approved in writing by the Company. The applicant's priority eligibility for service shall be based upon the date the Company receives the Customer's application for gas service. Unless otherwise specified in the Company's approval of an application, such approval shall only be binding upon the Company if the applicant is actually ready to take the new or additional gas service within one hundred eighty (180) days after the date of such approval.

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