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## II. RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- 1. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS:
- 1.1 The Term "Company" or "Utility" means Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation.
- 1.2 The term "Residential Applicant" means an individual, firm, partnership, corporation, association, municipality, or governmental body requesting service from the Company for his/her or its own use and not for resale or delivery to others. See Rule 1.4 for additional information regarding residential applicants.
  - 1.2.1 The term "Non-Residential Applicant" means a person, corporation or other entity who has requested service as a non-residential customer. See Rule 1.5 for additional information regarding non-residential applicants.
- 1.3 The term "Customer" means an individual, firm, partnership, corporation, association, municipality, or governmental body lawfully receiving service from the Company. See Rule 1.4 for additional information regarding residential customers.
  - 1.3.1 The term "Non-Residential Applicant" means a person, corporation or other entity, receiving service from the Company, who is not a residential customer as defined in 16 NYCRR, Part II. See Rule 1.5 for additional information regarding non-residential customers.
- 1.4 Residential Applicants and Customers

A residential customer is any person who, pursuant to an application for service made by such person or a third party on his/her behalf, is supplied directly by the company with gas service at a premise used in whole in part as his/her residence where:

1.4.1 The Company's effective tariff specifies a residential rate for such service, provided however that no person who requests or is supplied service to an entire multiple dwelling or for the common areas of a multiple dwelling, as defined in the Multiple Dwelling Law or the Multiple Residence Law, shall be considered a residential applicant or customer;

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