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GENERAL INFORMATION

- 12. ADJUSTMENT OF RATES IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHANGES IN THE COST OF GAS (Cont'd.)
- 12.1 APPLICABLE TO SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NOS. 1 AND 2 (Cont'd.)
 - (I) <u>Annual Reconciliation</u> (Cont'd.)
 - (5) The determination period to be used in the computation of the surcharge or refund shall be the 12 months ended August 31 of each year. The computation shall be filed with the Commission on or before October 15, and the resulting surcharge or refund shall be effective with the first January billing cycle date.
 - (6) Revisions to the annual surcharge/refund adjustment will be permitted during the 12 month period ended August 31 for the purpose of preventing large over-collection or under-collection balances from accruing at August 31, subject to Commission approval.
 - (J) <u>Statement of Gas Adjustment</u>
 - (1) The Gas Adjustment Charge computed as herein provided, shall be effective for service rendered on and after the first day of the calendar month following the computation date and shall continue in effect until changed. Gas Adjustment Charges will be prorated based on the number of days each Gas Adjustment Charge is in effect during a billing period.
 - (2) The Statement of Gas Adjustment shall be filed with the Public Service Commission and apart from this Rate Schedule not less than three days prior to the date on which it is proposed to be effective. Such Statement will be available to the public at Company offices at which applications for service may be made. Each Statement shall contain:
 - (a) an identification of the schedules and service classifications to which they apply;
 - (b) the date when the increase or decrease in rates shall become effective and the period it will remain in effect;
 - (c) the present average cost to the utility of gas purchased to serve customers subject to the gas adjustment;
 - (d) the date at which, and the period for which, the average was determined;