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**GENERAL INFORMATION - Continued**

**VIII. Increase in Rates Applicable in Municipality Where Service is Supplied**

The rates and charges under all Service Classifications, payable in the municipality where service is supplied, shall be increased to reflect the taxes imposed on the Company within such municipality pursuant to the following statutes:

- (1) New York Tax Law, Sections 186-a (Gross Receipts Tax) and 1201(a);
- (2) New York Tax Law 186-c
- (3) New York Tax Law, Section 209 (State Income Tax);
- (4) General City Law Section 20-b; and
- (5) Village Law Section 5-530

**Statement of Percentage Increase in Rates and Charges**

The Statement of Percentage Increase in Rates and Charges ("Statement") sets forth the applicable percentage increase in rates and charges in effect for the various municipalities served by the Company. The Statement will reflect the currently effective rates under Section 186-a of the New York Tax Law, the effective rate under Section 186-c of the New York Tax Law, and a tax surcharge to recover State Income Taxes due under New York Tax Law Section 209 including the effect of the tax expense imposed by the Temporary Metropolitan Transportation Business Tax Surcharge under Tax Law Section 209-B. The Statement will also reflect the currently effective rates under the New York Tax Law Section 1201(a), General City Law Section 20-b and Village Law Section 5-530. Separate percentage increases will be applied to commodity rates and charges, to delivery rates and charges, and to the Company's other charges, all as defined in this Section VIII. Separate percentage increases will be applicable to residential service and to non-residential service, as defined in this Section VIII.

(A) Commodity rates and charges for applicable Service Classifications ("SC") shall include the following:

- (1) The Gas Cost Factor, as set forth in Section VII (A) of the General Information Section of this Rate Schedule;
- (2) The following charges and credits, as set forth in SC No. 9, SC No. 12, and/or SC No. 20 of this Rate Schedule:
  - (a) Balancing services and charges
  - (b) Imbalance charges
  - (c) Cashout charges and credits

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