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AGGREGATED FIRM TRANSPORTATION RATE - RESIDENCE (Cont'd)

INCREASE IN RATES AND CHARGES (Cont'd)

<u>Deliverability Demand Components</u> (Cont'd)

(4) Capacity Release Surcharge

If a Customer or their Agent chooses to take assignment of the upstream pipeline capacity under contract to the Company, the customer will be charged for that service through the Capacity Release Surcharge. The capacity release surcharge rate per 100 cu. ft. will be applied to the sum of the Customer's Daily Contract Quantity and the Customer's Incremental Daily Contract Quantity.

Firm Standby Sales Adjustment

In the event that the Customer's Retail Supplier defaults on delivery obligations, the capacity released to the customer will be recalled by the Company as explained in Special Provision 12.3. The Customer will be charged a rate per 100 cu. ft. equal to 110 percent of the commodity cost component, as shown on Schedule 7-H of the Statement of Gas Cost Adjustment, for all gas volumes delivered to the customer in excess of the customer owned gas. In addition, Customers using third party upstream capacity will be charged the Capacity Release Surcharge. In the event that their Retail Supplier defaults on delivery or payment obligations, the customer will need to transfer to another Retail Supplier or return to core sales service at the start of their next billing cycle. Customers returning to core sales service will be required to remain on core sales service for a twelve month period.

The rates and charges under this Service Classification are increased pursuant to General Information, Section 28, to reflect tax rates applicable within the municipality where the customer takes service.

MONTHLY MINIMUM CHARGE - \$5.53 Per Meter Installation

TERM OF SERVICE

A Customer Buying Group's term of service is one year. The termination date of service for individual customers within the Customer Buying Group shall be that of the Customer Buying Group.

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