

PSC NO: 9 GAS
COMPANY: CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.
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VI. Service Classification Riders (Available on Request) - Continued

RIDER E – LOW INCOME PROGRAM

Applicable to Service Classifications Nos. 1, 3 and 9
 (Subject to the provisions thereof)

(A) Applicability:

To Customers taking service under Service Classification (SC) No. 1, SC No. 3, SC No. 9 Rates (A)(1), (A)(6) and (A)(10) and Rider J Rates I and II and who are enrolled in the Company's Low Income Program ("Low Income Customer").

(B) Definitions:

The following terms are defined for the purposes of this Rider only:

An "add-on benefit", as referenced in the PSC's May 20, 2016 Order Adopting Low Income Program Modifications and Directing Utility Filings in Case 14-M-0565, is an incremental payment that is provided to regular HEAP benefit recipients if their household income is at or below 130% of the federal poverty level, or if their household contains a vulnerable individual (household member who is age 60 or older, under age 6, or permanently disabled). A customer can receive two add-on benefits if both of these conditions apply to their household.

"HEAP" refers to the Home Energy Assistance Program.

(C) Eligibility:

Eligibility for the Company's Low Income Program Tiers is as follows:

Tier 1: A Customer must receive benefits under Supplemental Security Income, Temporary Assistance to Needy Persons/Families, Safety Net Assistance, Medicaid, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, the federal Lifeline program or and other program associated with the federal Lifeline program, or have received a HEAP benefit in the preceding 12 months.

Tier 2: A Customer must have received a regular HEAP benefit in the preceding 12 months with one add-on benefit.

Tier 3: A Customer must have received a regular HEAP benefit in the preceding 12 months with two add-on benefits.

Tier 4: A Customer must be enrolled in the Direct Vendor or Utility Guarantee Program.

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