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GENERAL INFORMATION

24. GLOSSARY:

The following words and terms when used in this Schedule have the following meanings:

Access Controller: A party known to the Company to be in control of access to the metering equipment of a customer, and to have an active account of its own with the Company.

Actual Reading: A meter reading obtained by a Company employee from either the meter or a remote registration device attached thereto.

Adjusted Gas Revenue: The revenue realized from the applicable service classification rates and charges, minus revenue taxes, the minimum charge and the cost of gas.

Annual Period: The 12 Months beginning with the Month in which the Customer first receives service under the applicable service classification. Each succeeding 12-Month period shall constitute another Annual Period.

Applicant:

Residential Applicant: A residential applicant is a person who request service at a dwelling for their own residential use or the residential use by another person. For purposes of the Home Energy Fair Practices Act (HEFPA), a residential applicant is any person who request service at a premises to be used as their residence or the residence of another person on whose behalf the person is requesting service, as defined in 16 NYCRR 11.2(a)(3).

Non-residential Applicant: A non-residential applicant is a person, corporation or other entity requesting service from the Company who is not a residential applicant as defined in 16 NYCRR 11.

Residing Applicant: A residing applicant is a person of governmental agency requesting gas service be provided where there is no service currently available, where that service shall be used at a premises that shall be occupied as the applicant's primary residence or, in the case of a governmental agency, occupied as a residence by an individual client.

Non-residing Applicant: A non-residing applicant is a developer, builder, person, partnership, association, corporation or governmental agency requesting gas service be provided where there is no service currently available, where that service shall be used in a residence occupied by others.

Appurtenant facilities: The necessary and ancillary accessories to an electric line that enables the transportation and distribution of electric energy.

Arrears: Charges for service for which payment has not been made more than 20 calendar days after payment was due.

Backbill: That portion of any bill, other than a budget bill, which represents charges not previously billed for service that was actually delivered to the Customer during a period before the current billing cycle. A bill based on an actual reading rendered after one or more bills based on estimated or customer readings (commonly called a catch-up bill) which exceeds by 50% or more the bill that would have been rendered under the Company's standard estimation program is presumed to be a backbill.

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