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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 24. GLOSSARY:

**Pooling Area:** An area defined as a Company operational area served, generally, but a single interstate pipeline. Pooling areas shall be defined, designated, and/or modified on a prospective basis, in the Company's reasonable discretion and shall be posted on the Company's Electronic Bulletin Board ("EBB").

**Public Right-of-Way:** The territorial limits of any street, avenue, road or way (other than a limited access thoroughfare) that is for any highway purpose under the jurisdiction of the State of New York or the legislative body of any county, city, town or village and is open to the public use and that may be used for the placement of utility facilities.

**Public Service Commission ("PSC"):** New York State Public Service Commission, or any successor organization thereto. A state regulatory body with authority over electric, gas, communications, water, and cable utilities in New York State. It is charged by law with ensuring that safe and reliable service is made available at reasonable rates while, at the same time, allowing the utility the opportunity to earn a return on its investment that is sufficient to maintain its credit and enable it to continue raising the capital necessary to provide satisfactory service in the future.

**Qualification:** The process by which an ESCO or a DC receives approval to serve Customers under the terms of this Tariff.

**Reconciliation:** Reconciling the total of all retail Loads in the Control Area with metered total Control Area Loads on an hourly basis.

**Right-of-Way:** A right to pass over, occupy or use another's land for placing and maintaining utility facilities.

**Seasonal Customer:** A customer who applies for and receives gas service periodically each year, intermittently during the year, or at other irregular intervals.

**Seasons:**

Summer: May 1 – October 31, inclusive

Winter: November 1 – April 30, inclusive

**Service Line:** The piping, including associated metering and pressure reducing appurtenances, that transports gas below grade from a main to the first accessible fitting inside the wall of a customer's building when a meter is located within the building; if a meter is located outside the building, the service line shall be deemed to terminate at the outside of the building foundation wall.

**Short-Term or Temporary Non-Residential Customer:** A customer who requested service for a period of time up to two years.

**Surcharge:** A charge payable by the Customer to the Company in addition to the charge for gas under applicable service classification.

**Tampered Equipment:** Any service related equipment that has been subjected either to unauthorized interference so as to reduce the accuracy or eliminate the measurement of a utility's service, or to unauthorized connection occurring after the Company has physically disconnected service.

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